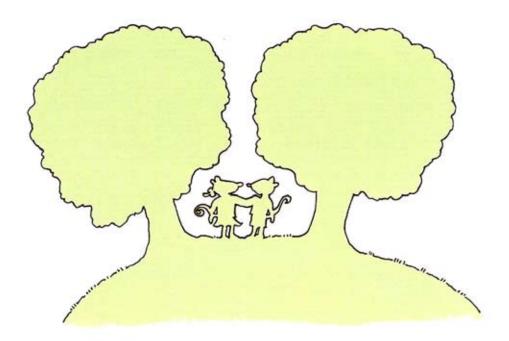
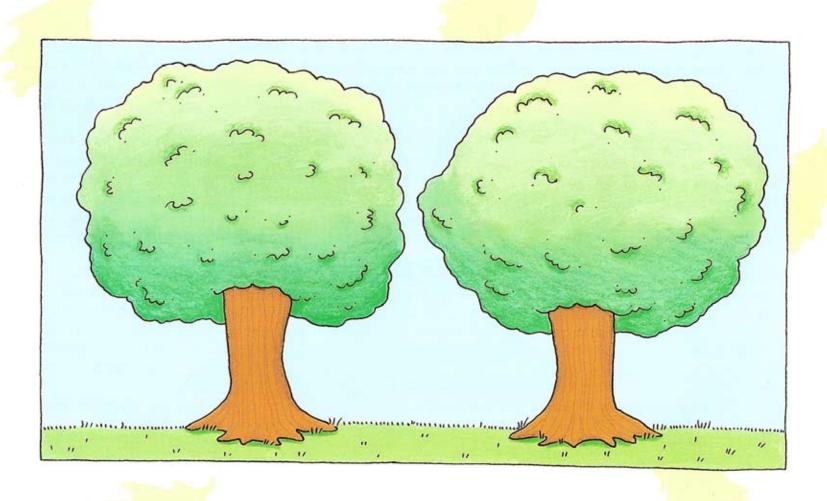
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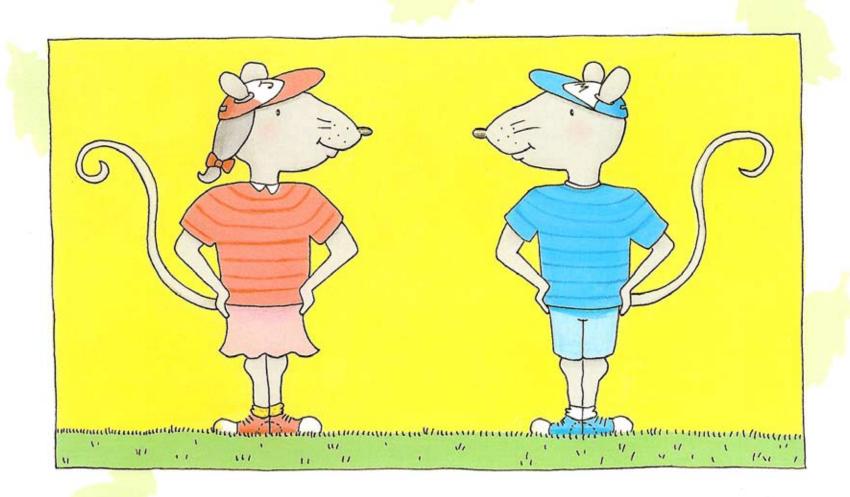
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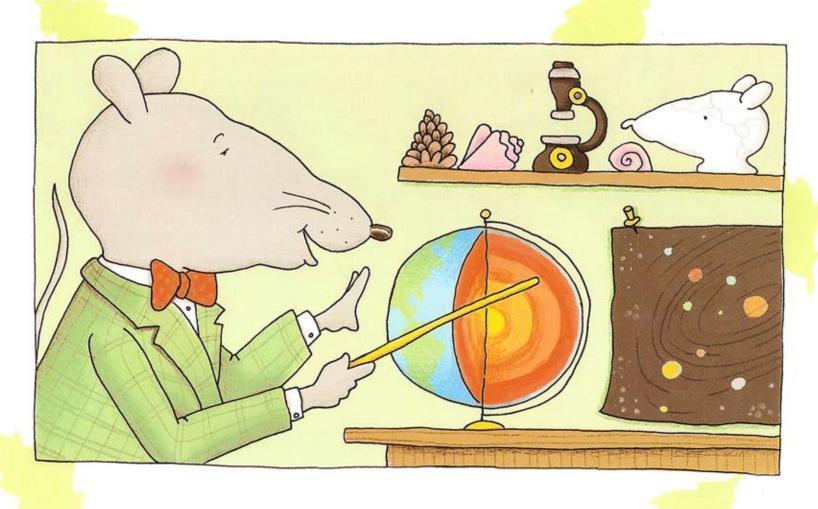
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Green trees are very nice.



Gray mice are twice as nice.



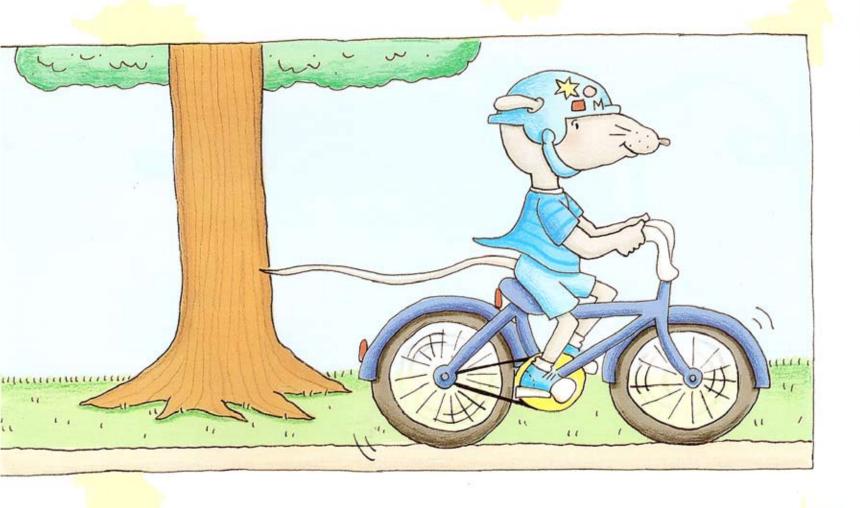
My teacher, Mr. Stine, is very wise.



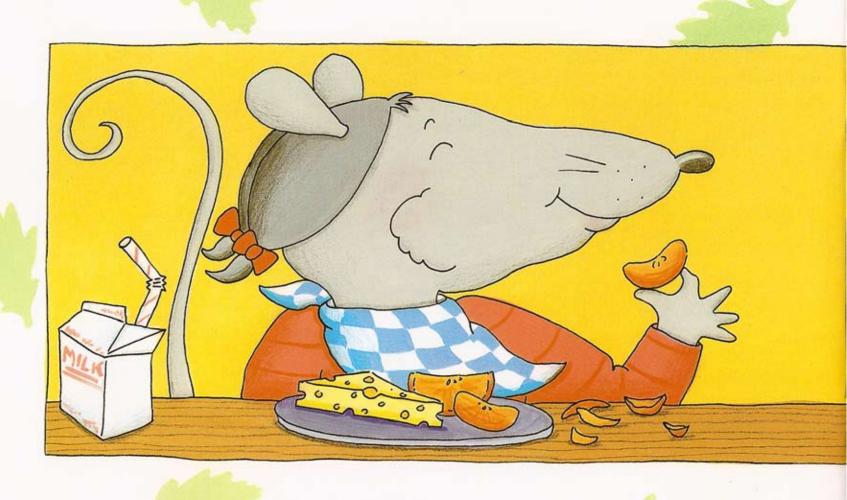
Well, my teacher, Mrs. Pine, is twice as wise.



My new red bike is very cool.



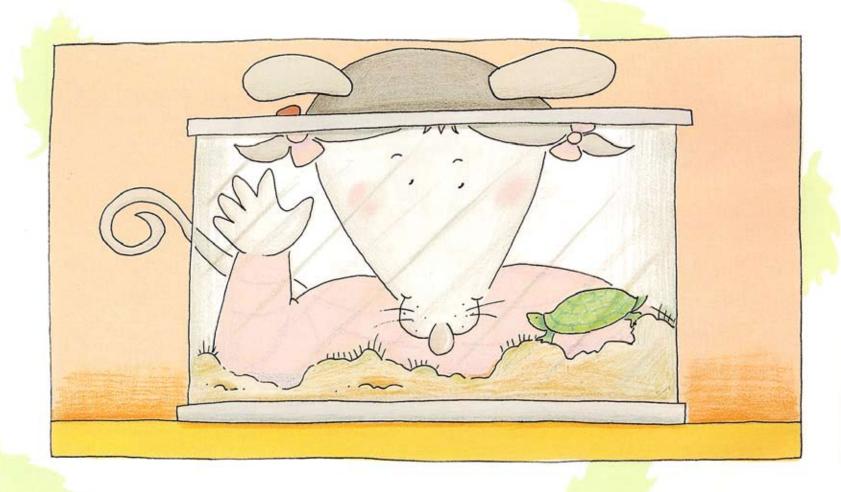
Well, my new blue bike is twice as cool.



My orange is very sweet.



Well, my peach is twice as sweet.



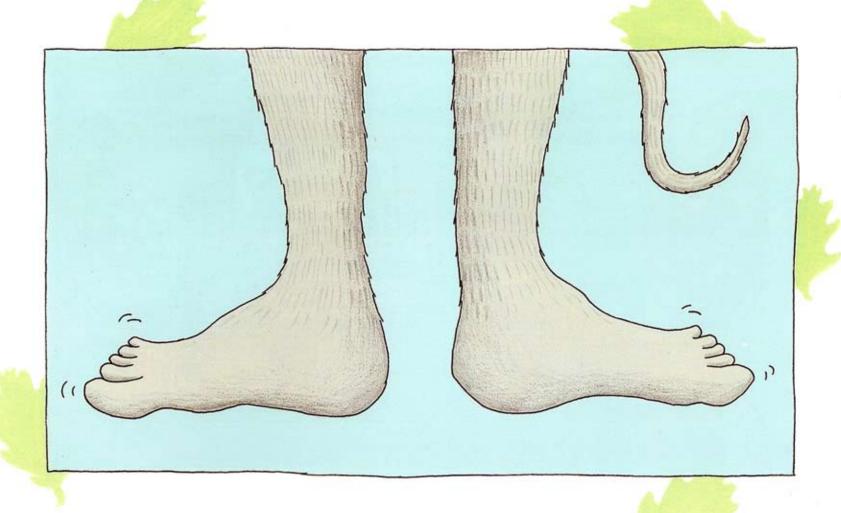
My pet is very good.



Well, my pet is twice as good.



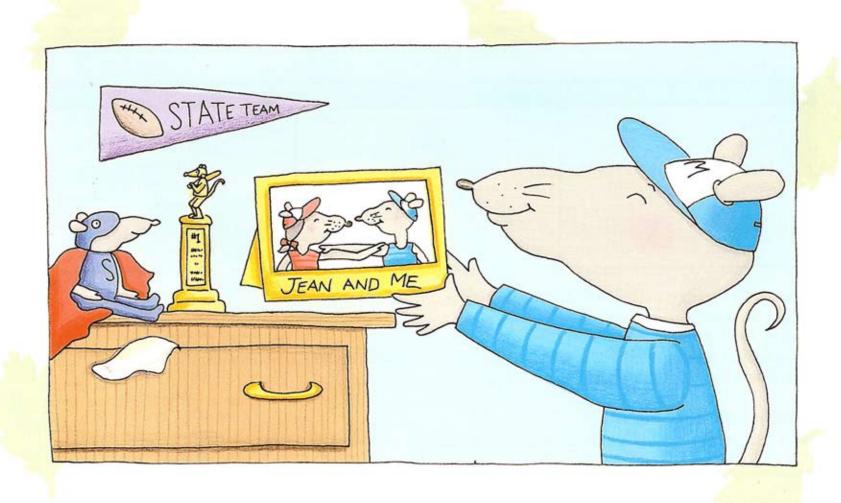
Yellow socks are very neat.



Well, clean feet are twice as neat.



Well, my pal Miles is very nice.



Well, my pal Jean is twice as nice.

BOOK 14: Twice as Nice

Focus Skills: long i: i-e

Focus-Skill Words		Sight Words	Story Words
bike mice Miles nice	Pine Stine twice wise	are good my	Mr. Mrs. orange teacher yellow

Focus-Skill Words contain a new skill or sound introduced in this book.

Sight Words are among the most common words encountered in the English language (appearing in this book for the first time in the series).

Story Words appear for the first time in this book and are included to add flavor and interest to the story. They may or may not be decodable.

Interactive Reading Idea

Invite your young reader to draw pictures of friends and family members on a large sheet of paper. Have him or her label each drawing with a descriptive word from the story. Help your reader think of which friend or family member is nice, wise, cool, good, sweet, or neat.

Scope and Sequence

Book #	Title	Focus Skills	
1	I Spy	m, f, s, r, h, t, c, short a	
2	Hap and Cap	p, n, short a	
3	Top Job, Mom!	b, d, g, l, j, short o	
4	Pom-Pom's Big Win	w, k, short i	
5	Pug's Hugs	v, y, short u	
6	Jet It, Get It	z, x, short e	
7	Click, Click	qu, ck	
8	The ABC Bags	double f, l, and s	
9	Sing-Song Sid	-ing, -ong, -ang	
10	Draw and Share	consonant digraphs: sh, ch, th	
11	Truck Tricks	consonant blends: tr, gr, dr, cr, fl	
12	Dave and Jane's Band	long a: ay, a-e, ai	
13	Pete's Street Beat	long e: ee, e-e, ea, ending e	
14	Twice as Nice	long i: i-e	
15	The Little Green Man Visits Pine Cone Cove	long o: o-e, oa, ow, ending o; -old	
16	Mr. Noisy at the Dude Ranch	long u: u-e; /oi/sound: oi, oy	
17	Sad Sam and Blue Sue	oo, ue	
18	Out to Gumball Pond	ew; ou as in out; ow as in now	
19	Splish, Splash	3-letter blends: str, spl, scr	
20	Barney Bear's Party	r-controlled vowels	
21	The Rainy Day Band	contractions	
22	Cat and Dog at the Circus	question words, soft c and g	
23	Jo Jo in Outer Space	simple word endings: -er, -ed, -ly, -y	
24	Riddle and Rhyme with Apron Annie	rhyming words, 2-syllable words	