

The Elephant Who Danced

Once upon a time, there lived an elephant whose name was Bennett. He was a very kind elephant who wouldn't hurt a fly. He was big and grey, and he loved to dance. Every time he did, he shook the building because he was so heavy.

Bennett had five friends called, Bear, Cat, Dog, Cow and Bee. One day, when he was at school, they started to tease him.

"Na, na, na, na, na! You can't dance properly," they said. They were so mean to him all day. They tripped him over. They put worms in his lunch box. They pretended to be nice and gave him a flower but when he smelled it, a wasp flew out and stung him on his trunk.

By the end of the day, Bennett couldn't take it anymore. He started to cry and he went and told the teacher. The teacher was very angry with Bennett's friends and came down on them like a tonne of bricks. "We don't like bullies in this school," she said.

Then Bennett's friends felt sorry for being so mean to him. "We're sorry!" they said. After that, they became friends again.

