The Clever Jackals



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The Clever Jackals Level 14

Purpose

To support the development of speaking and listening skills through role play.

Student Outcomes

- Displays confidence when speaking to an audience.
- Uses correct intonation patterns to convey meaning.
- Understands the difference between spoken language and book language.

Key Teaching Points PM Story Book

- Share ***PM Gems*** *The Clever Jackals* (Level 14) with the students in a guided reading lesson.
- Retell the story, *The Clever Jackals*.
- Discuss the characters and setting.

Key Teaching Points PM Little Play

- Compare the cover illustrations of the ***PM*** Story Book and the ***PM*** Little Play.
- Talk about the title page and the colour-coded panels for the reader and each character.
- Demonstrate the procedure for reading the panels.
- Encourage independent role-play practice followed by presentations to an audience.

Links with Other Level 14 PM Little Plays

Jolly Roger and the Clever Green Parrot *The Picnic Tree* *Telling the Truth*

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A Play

The Clever Jackals

People in the Play



Reader



Lion



Deer
(four)



Jackals
(two)

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Reader

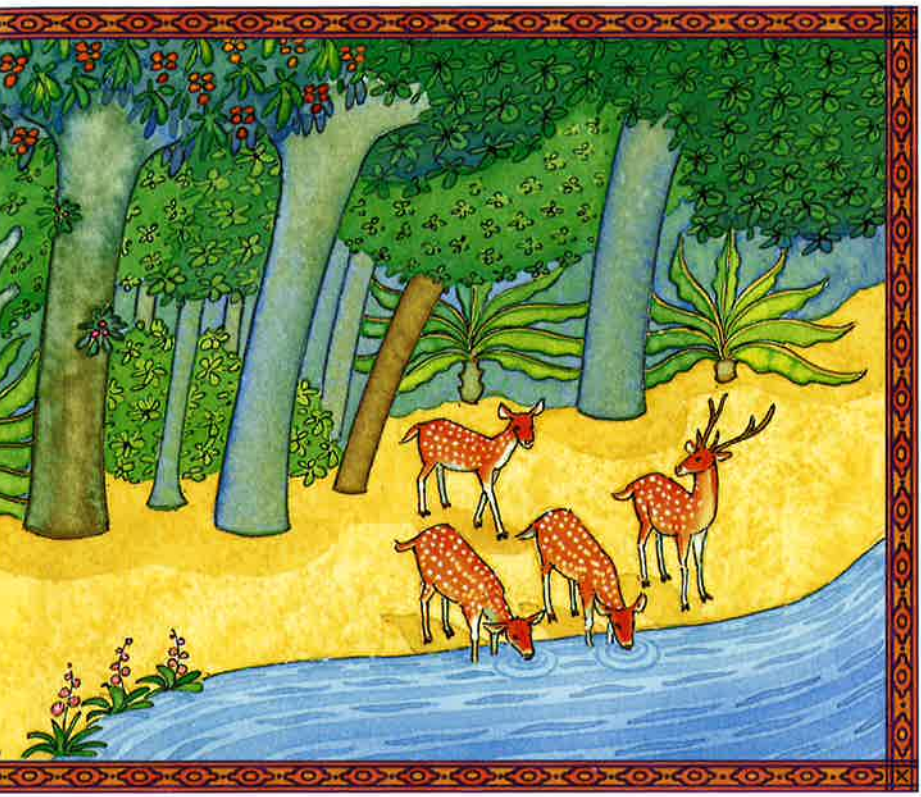
Two little jackals
lived in a green jungle.

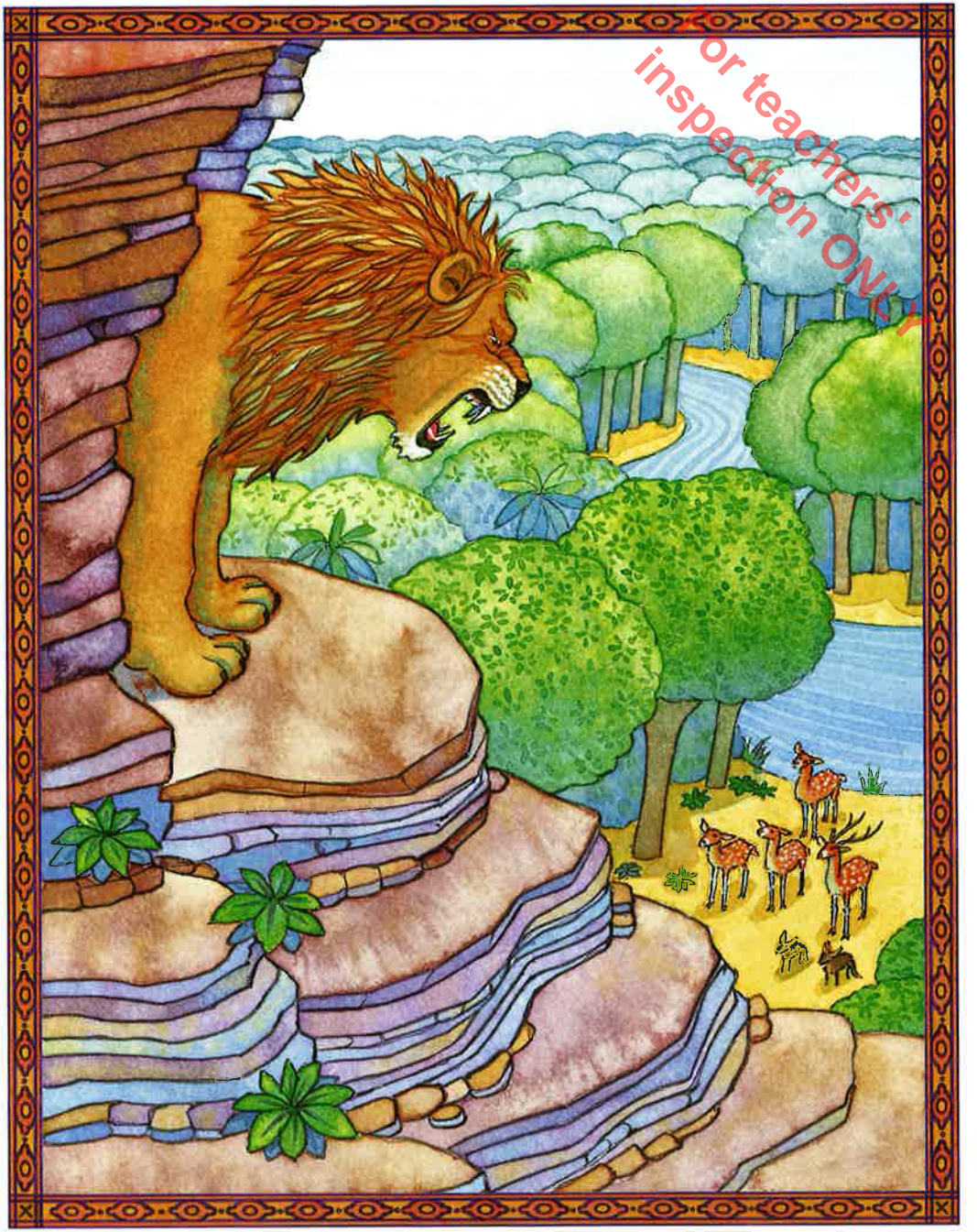


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Reader

Some deer lived there, too.
Every day, they all went
down to the river to drink.





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Reader

But, one day,
a lion came along.
He looked down at the deer
and the jackals.

Lion *(roaring)*

I am King of the Jungle!
I am very hungry.
Come to my cave
so that I can eat you up.

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Deer

What can we do?

We don't want Lion

to eat us up!



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Jackals

Hide behind the trees.
We will trick Lion.
We won't let him eat
any of us.

