

## A Holiday at the Beach

The sun was shining. The sand was so hot it stung your feet. Ben sat on the beach, eating an ice cream. Strawberry, his favourite.

“Let me have a lick,” his sister, Marcia, asked.

“Maybe,” said Ben, and he continued to eat the ice-cream.

“Pleeeeeeeeeeease,” said Marcia.

Ben ignored her. There was no way she was going to get any, he thought.

“Please, Ben...” she said.

Ben took an extra big lick of ice-cream. “Yum,” he said.

Marcia scowled. She really hated her brother some times. She went to snatch the ice-cream from him, but it fell – plop! - onto the sand.

Ben was furious. “Marcia! You little-”

“I’ll tell Mum!” warned Marcia.

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## Characters

BEN, - 10 years old, a lively boy.

MARCIA, - Ben's younger sister, sometimes annoying.

## SCENE 1: The beach.

*A beach. It is very sunny. The waves are flowing up and down the golden sand. Seagulls fly overhead in the clear sky.*

(BEN is sitting, eating an ice-cream and MARCIA is sitting next to him.)

MARCIA: Let me have a lick. (moaning)

BEN: Maybe.

MARCIA: Pleeeeeeeeeeease. (making a sad face)

(BEN continues to eat the ice-cream.)

MARCIA: Please, Ben.

BEN: Yum. (with a big lick of the ice cream)

(MARCIA tries to grab the ice-cream, but it drops on the sand.)

BEN: Marcia! You little-! (shouting)

MARCIA: I'll tell Mum!