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Larry likes his fluffy coat but he gets too hot. Then he cuts it, and at night he's too cold! How can he have the best of both?

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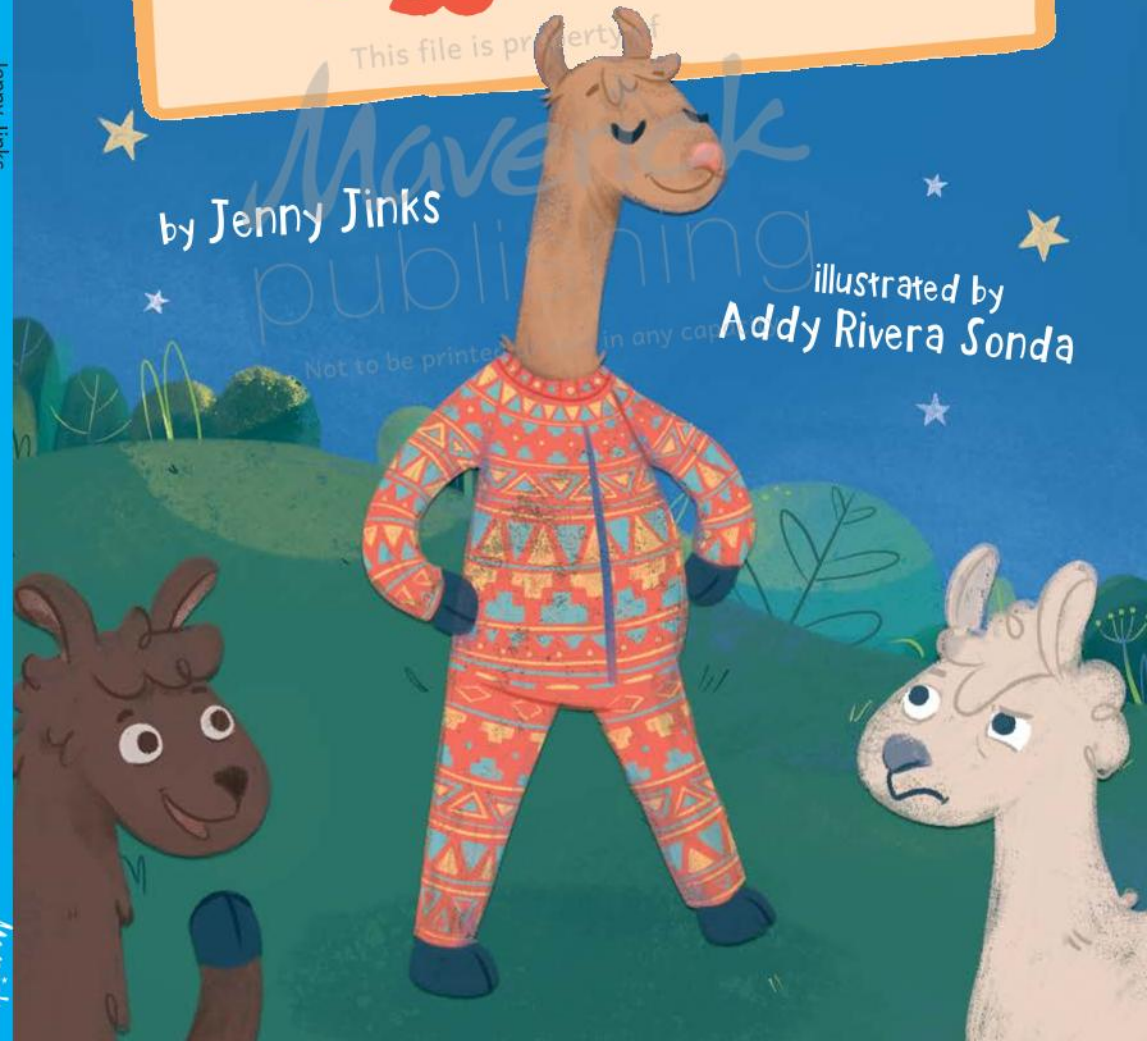
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Larry was fed up.



"I am hot!" he said.

"My wool is too thick."



“Go for a swim,” said Terry.
Larry swam in the pool.



Larry's wool got wetter and
wetter, and bigger and bigger.
But he was still hot.





“Sit under the tree,” said Terry.

Larry sat under the tree.

But the twigs stuck in his wool.

And he was still hot.

"I can help," said Edna.



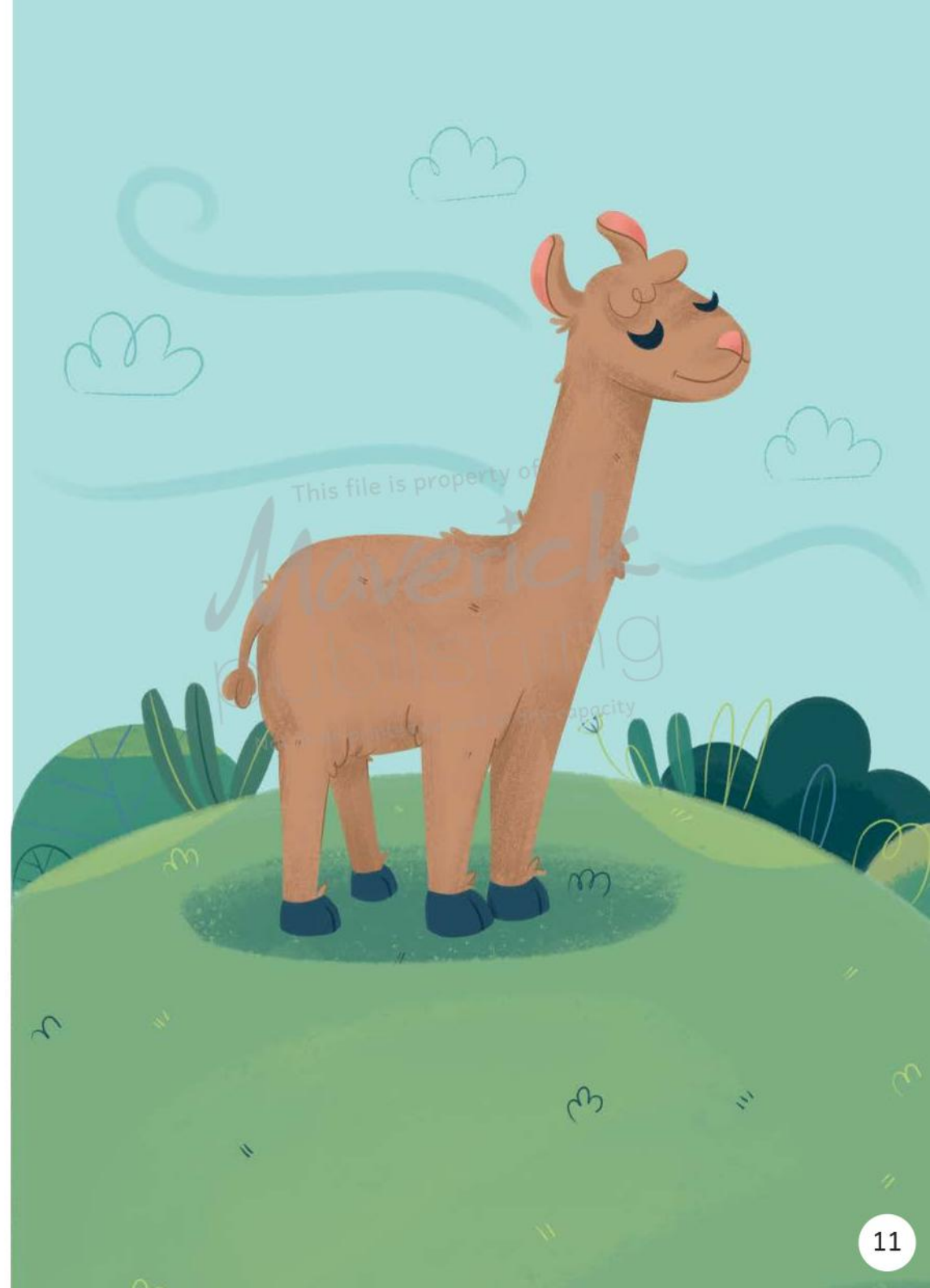
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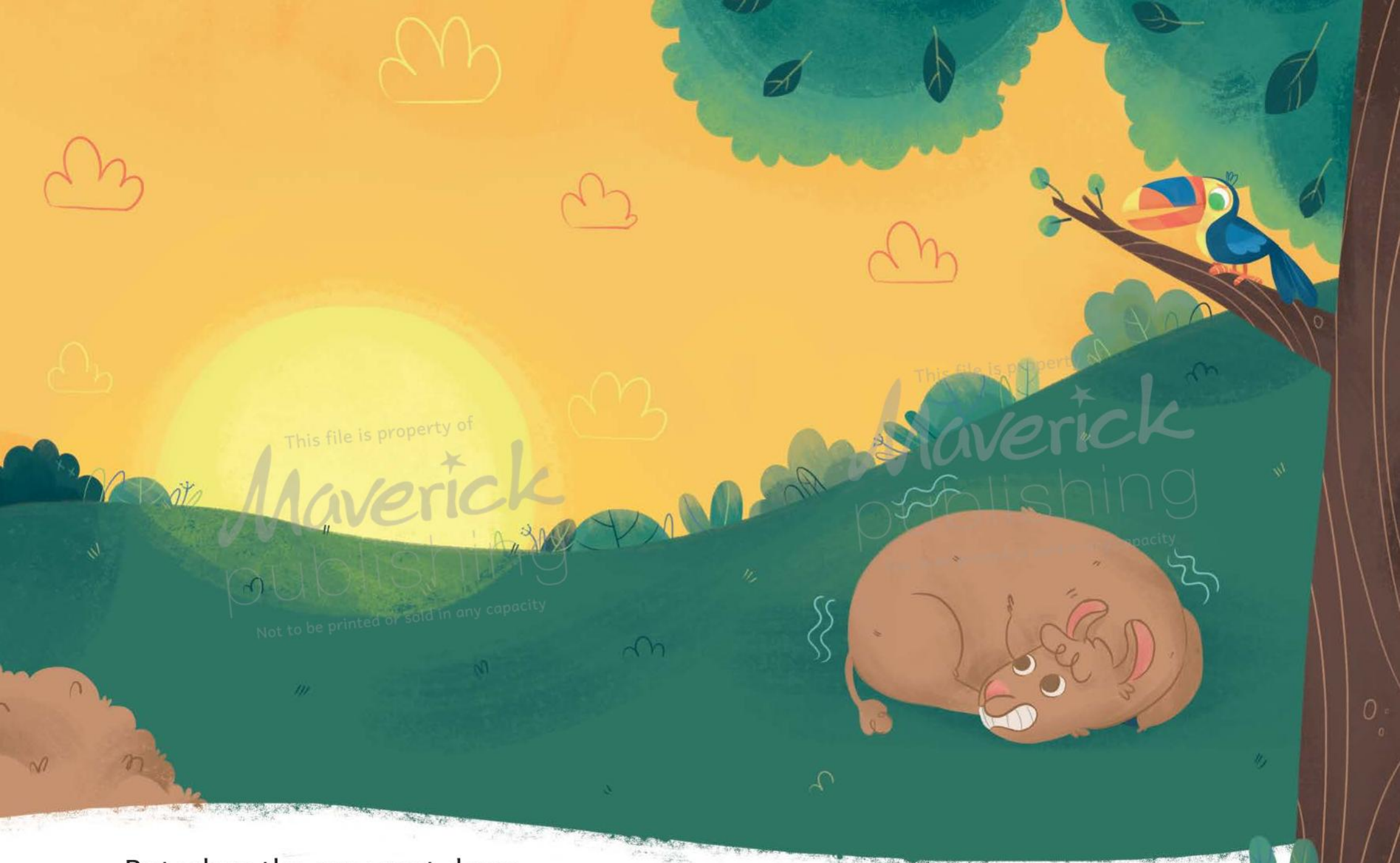
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"You look odd," said all the llamas.



But now Larry was not hot.
He was not wet. He did not itch.
"I like my short hair," he said.



But when the sun went down,
Larry got cold. He began to shiver.

“I miss my wool,” he said.

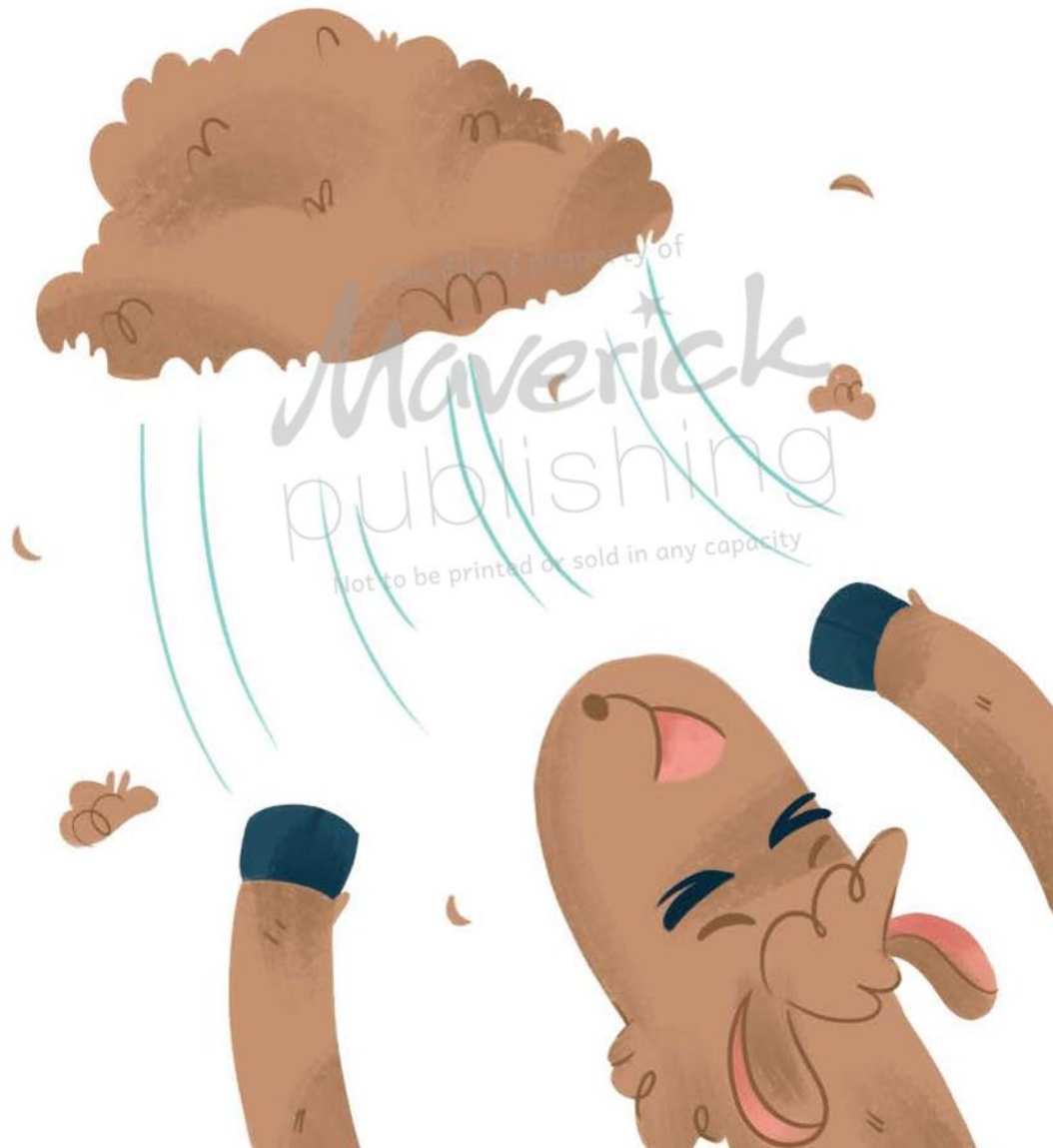
Larry was fed up.

But Terry had a plan.

“Put your wool back on,” said Terry.



Larry got his wool and put it back on.
But the wool did not stick.



“Brrrrrrr,” Larry said.
He was still cold.



“I can help,” said Edna.
She took Larry's wool.



CLICK! CLACK!



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“What are they?” said all the llamas.

“You look odd.”

But now Larry was not cold.

“I like my pyjamas!” he said.

Now Larry ran in the sun and
swam in the pool.



And when it got cold, he was snug
in his pyjamas.



“I wish we were like Larry,”
all the llamas said.



“Can you help us too?” the llamas
said to Edna.

“Yes!” said Edna.



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Now all the llamas had short hair.
And they all had a...



...LLAMA PYJAMA PARTY!

Quiz

1. What is Larry?

- a) A llama
- b) A dog
- c) A cat

2. What happens when Larry goes for a swim?

- a) He gets cold
- b) His wool gets bigger and bigger
- c) He gets hot

3. "I can help," said _____.

- a) Terry
- b) Ben
- c) Edna

4. Why does Larry feel cold?

- a) Because the sun went down
- b) Because his wool is sticky
- c) Because Terry has pyjamas

5. And when it got cold, he was _____ in his pyjamas.

- a) Hot
- b) Snug
- c) Cold



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