

Listening

This famous story is called the Tortoise and the Rabbit. Can you predict or remember what happens? Listen and check your ideas.



Choose the best moral for this story.

1. Don't laugh at other people.
2. You should never take a rest.
3. It is better to do things slowly and carefully.

Listen again and choose the verb forms that you hear.

1. One day, a rabbit **watched / was watching** a tortoise. He **laughed / was laughing** because the tortoise was so slow.
2. The rabbit **thought / was thinking** this was a funny idea, but he agreed. They **decided / were deciding** on the start and finish lines for the race.
3. After a few minutes, the rabbit **looked / was looking** back. He **didn't see / wasn't seeing** the tortoise, so he decided to take a short rest.
4. While the rabbit **slept / was sleeping**, the tortoise **moved / was moving** as fast as he could.