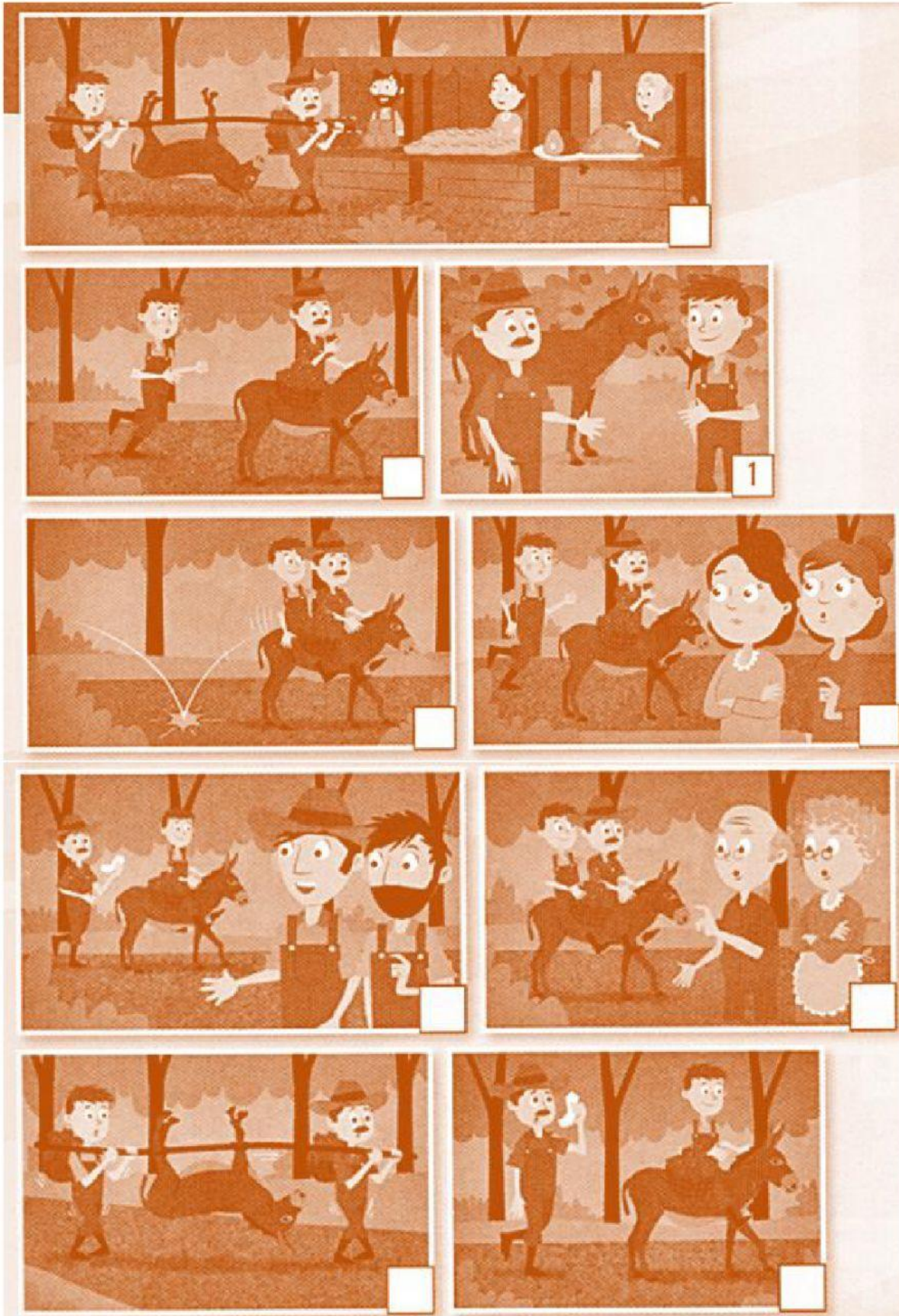


READING

1-Look at the pictures. Select three words which are NOT in the story.



apples bananas car dog
donkey farmer market men
old man old woman son women

2-Read the story and number the pictures in the correct order.

The story of a farmer, his son and their donkey.

1 This is a story about a farmer, his son and their donkey. They go to market with their apples every Friday.

2 It's Friday. It's hot and sunny. The farmer and his son are going to market. The farmer is walking and his son is riding the donkey.

3 They pass some men. They're talking.
"Hey! Look at that farmer. He's walking and his lazy son is riding the donkey."
"That's not right."

4 Now the farmer is sitting on the donkey. His son is running on the road.
"Those men are right. You're young. You can walk."

5 They pass some women. They're talking.
"Hey! Look at that poor boy. He's running and his lazy father is riding the donkey."
"It's not fair."

6 The farmer stops the donkey. He calls his son.
"Those women are right. Jump on the donkey! You can ride with me."
"Thanks, Dad!"

7 They pass an old man and an old woman. They're talking.
"Hey! Look at that poor donkey. He's carrying the farmer, his son and all the apples."
"That's not right!"

8 "That old man and that old woman are right. Poor donkey! Let's carry him."

9 Finally they arrive at the market. Everyone is looking at them.
"Hey! Look at that silly farmer and his son! They're carrying their donkey!"

3- Read the story again. Answer the questions.

- 1 Is the son lazy?
- 2 Is the farmer lazy?
- 3 Can the donkey carry the farmer, the son and the apples?
- 4 Does the man think for himself?

4- Now listen to the story while you read it again.

5- OVER YOU! What is the moral of the story?

- 1 Listen to other people, but think for yourself too.
- 2 Don't be lazy.
- 3 Donkeys are good animals.