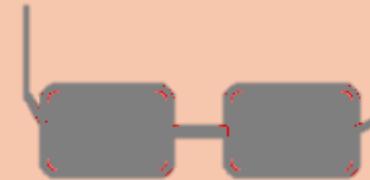
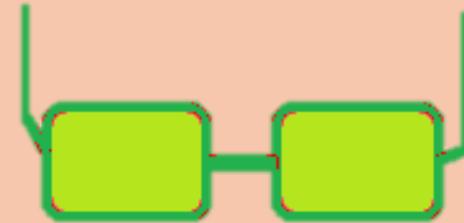
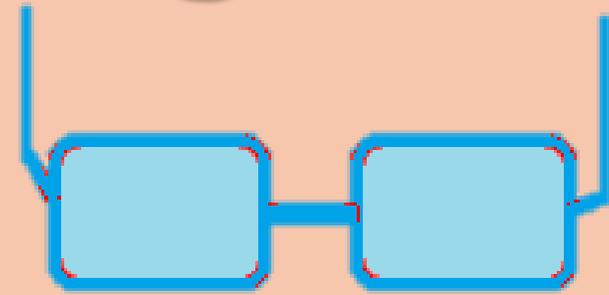


# New Sunglasses



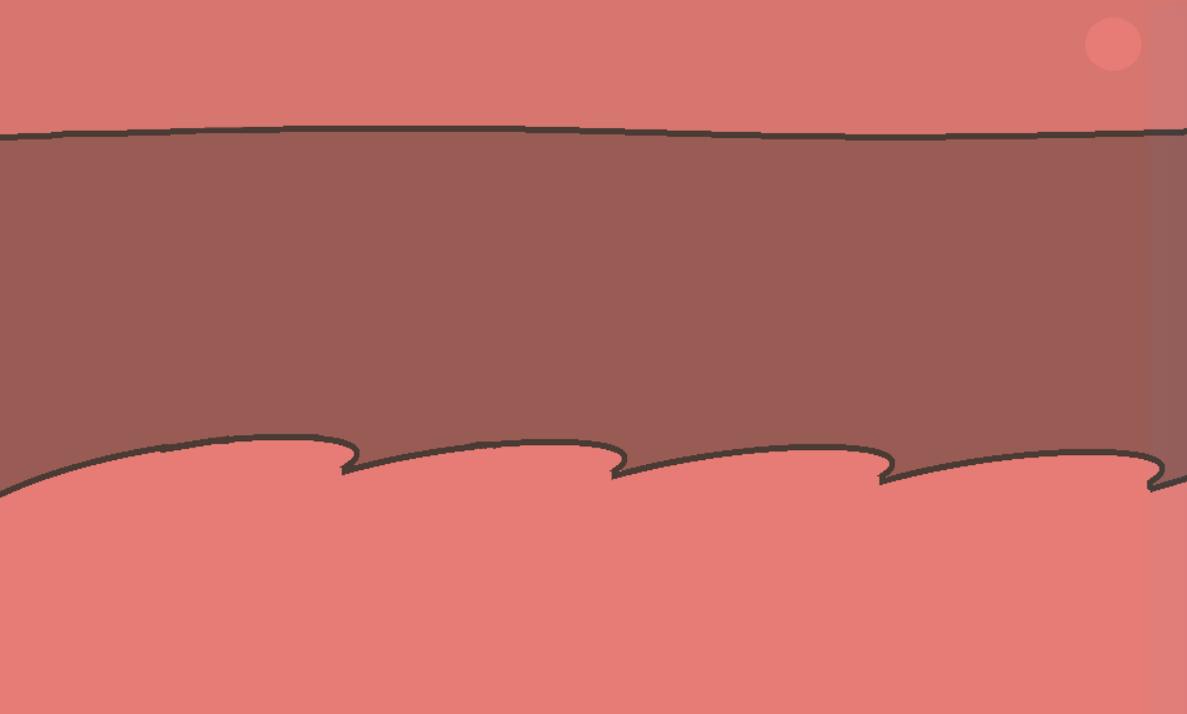
Written by Russell Holton  
Illustrated by Russell & Somkamon Holton



Dad took Lek and Luca to a small shop near the beach, and they both chose a pair of sunglasses each. Lek's sunglasses were bright red while Luca chose a pair of sunglasses that were bright blue.

Lek and Luca were on holiday at the beach. It was a warm and sunny day so Dad suggested that Lek and Luca should buy some sunglasses to help protect their eyes from the bright sunlight.

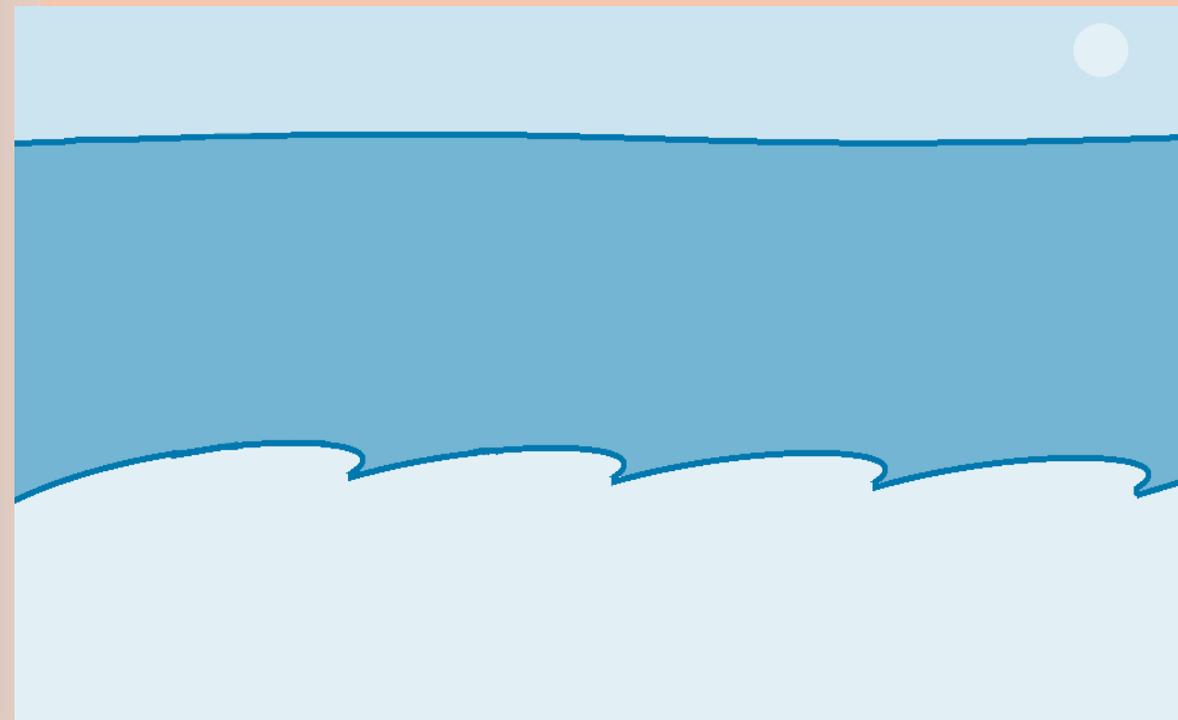




Luca put on his blue sunglasses and gasped.

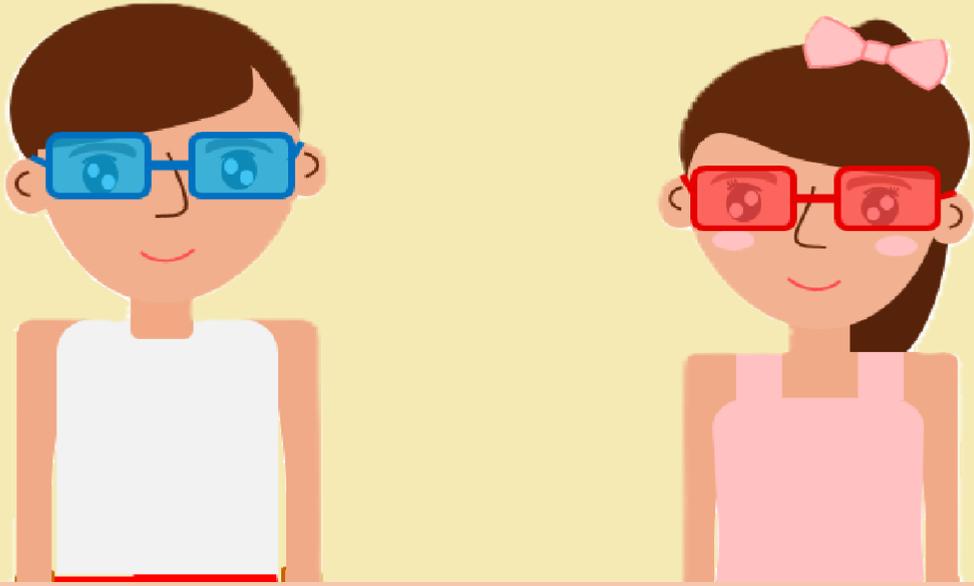
"The sea and the sky are nearly the same shade of blue," he said.

"I could swim in the sky or fly my kite in the sea."



Once they left the shop Lek put her sunglasses on.

"Oh my, everything looks red. The beach looks very strange, and the sea looks like it's made from strawberry jam," she said.



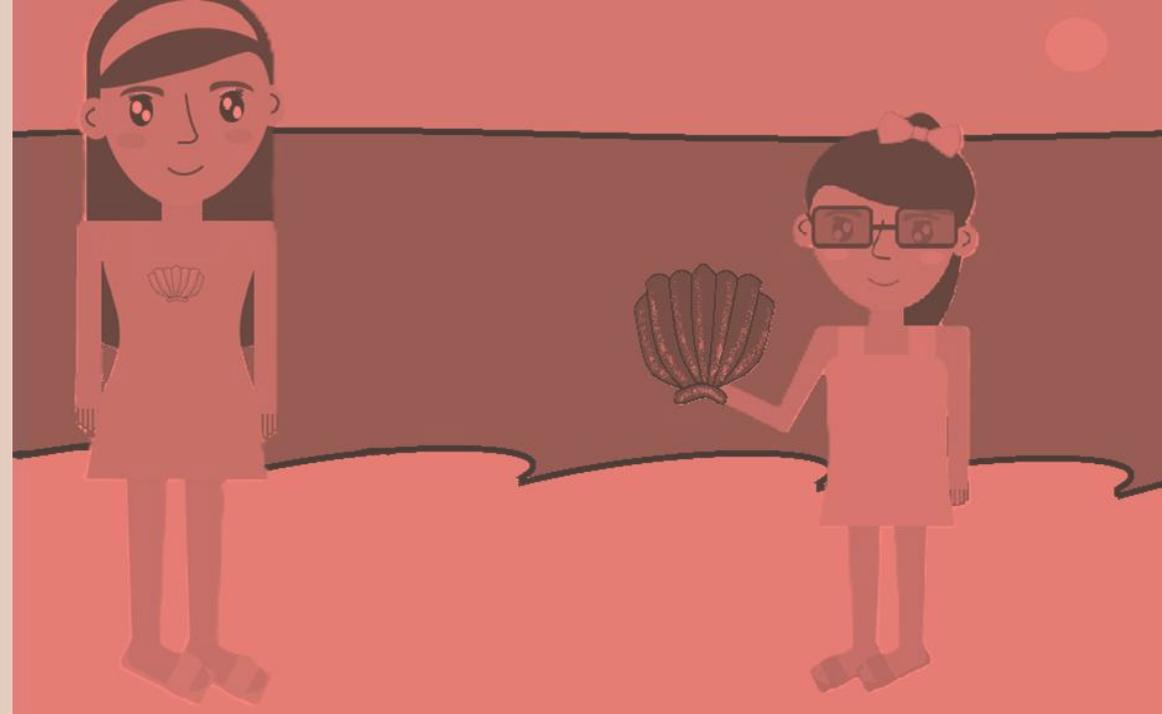
Lek and Luca's sunglasses had tinted lenses, so everything they looked at was either a shade of red or a shade of blue.

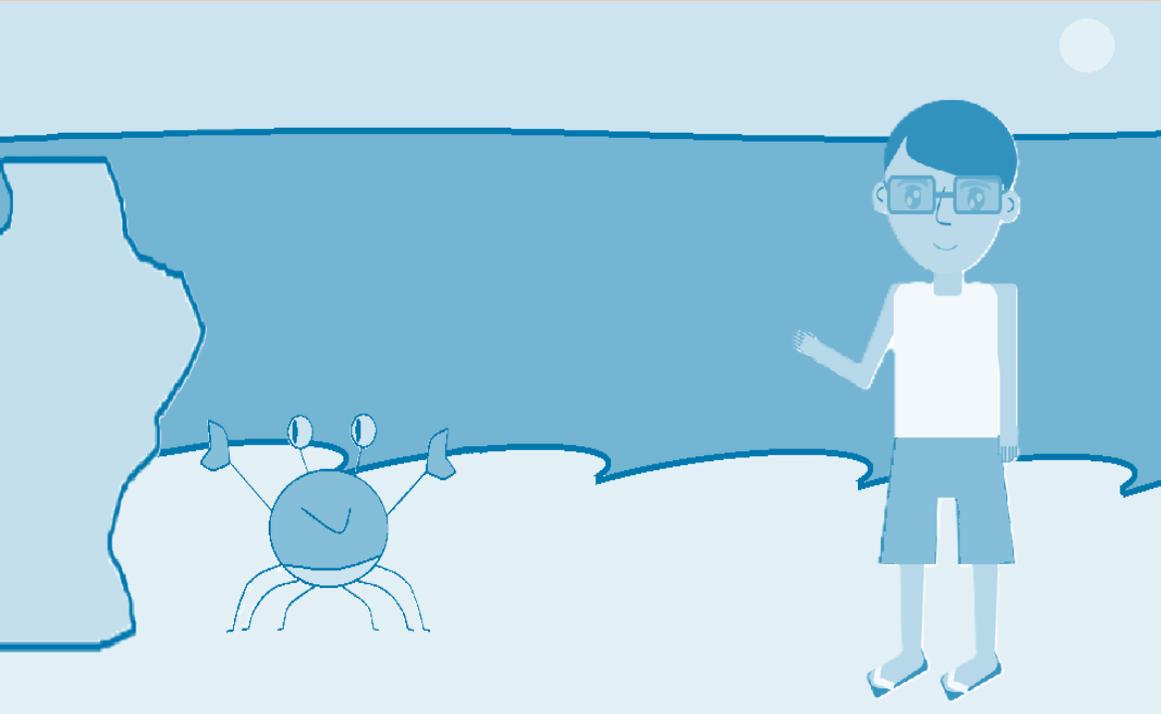
"Wow this is fun!" Luca exclaimed.

Lek picked up a seashell from the beach.

"If I find lots of seashells I'll make them into a beautiful necklace," she said.

"We can also use them for arts and crafts," replied Mum.





Luca found a crab on the beach, and it looked very funny through his blue sunglasses.

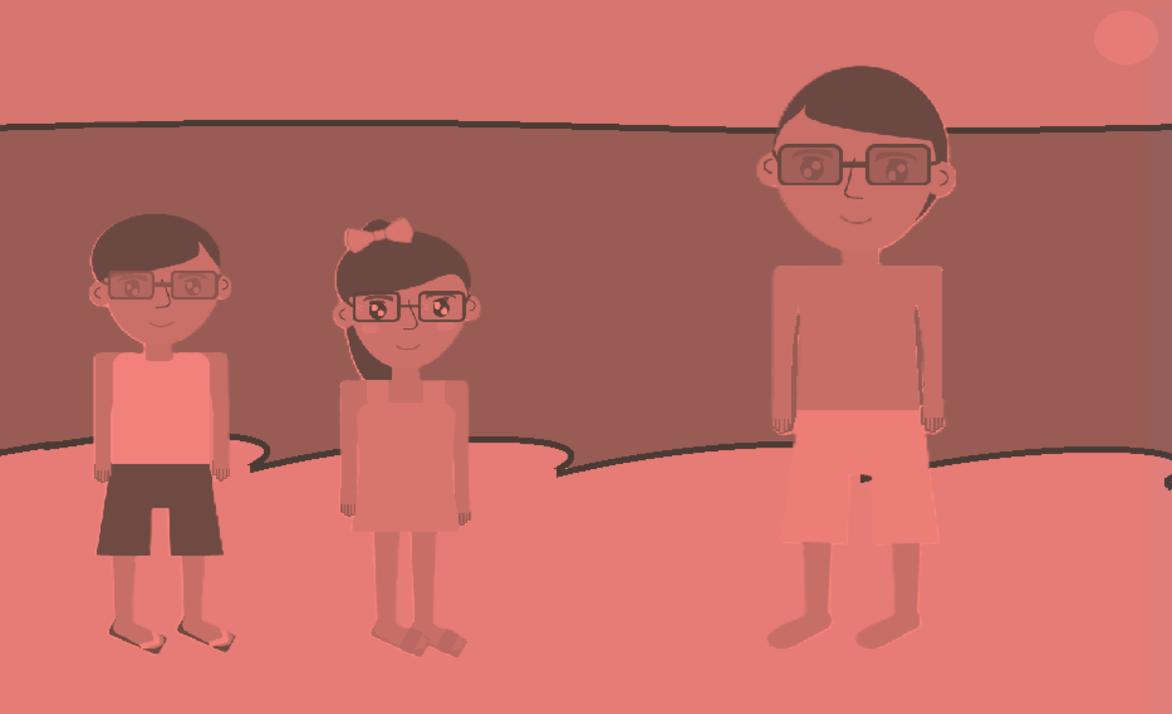
He chased after it, but the crab ran very quickly and disappeared into a hole in the rocks.

Dad was sleeping on the sand.

"I have an idea," said Lek.

She carefully removed Dad's normal glasses and replaced them with the red ones she was wearing.



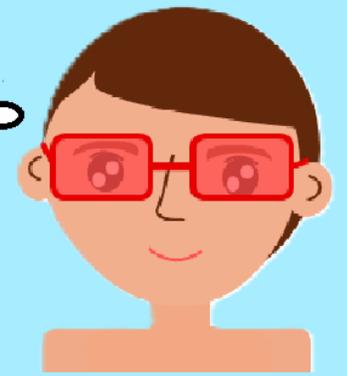


"You rascals, everything around me looked red. I thought I'd missed lunch and the sun was setting," he said laughing.

"Talking of lunch and red things, I would love to slurp a nice cold strawberry smoothie, let's go and buy one, shall we?"

Dad woke up, and Lek and Luca watched him carefully, as he looked around and scratched his head. He seemed very puzzled.

He saw Luca wearing his blue sunglasses and Lek with a pair of glasses that were much too big for her small face.



Thanks for reading!!

Please visit [www.lekandluca.com](http://www.lekandluca.com)  
for the free printable story.

