



Lea's Birthday Party

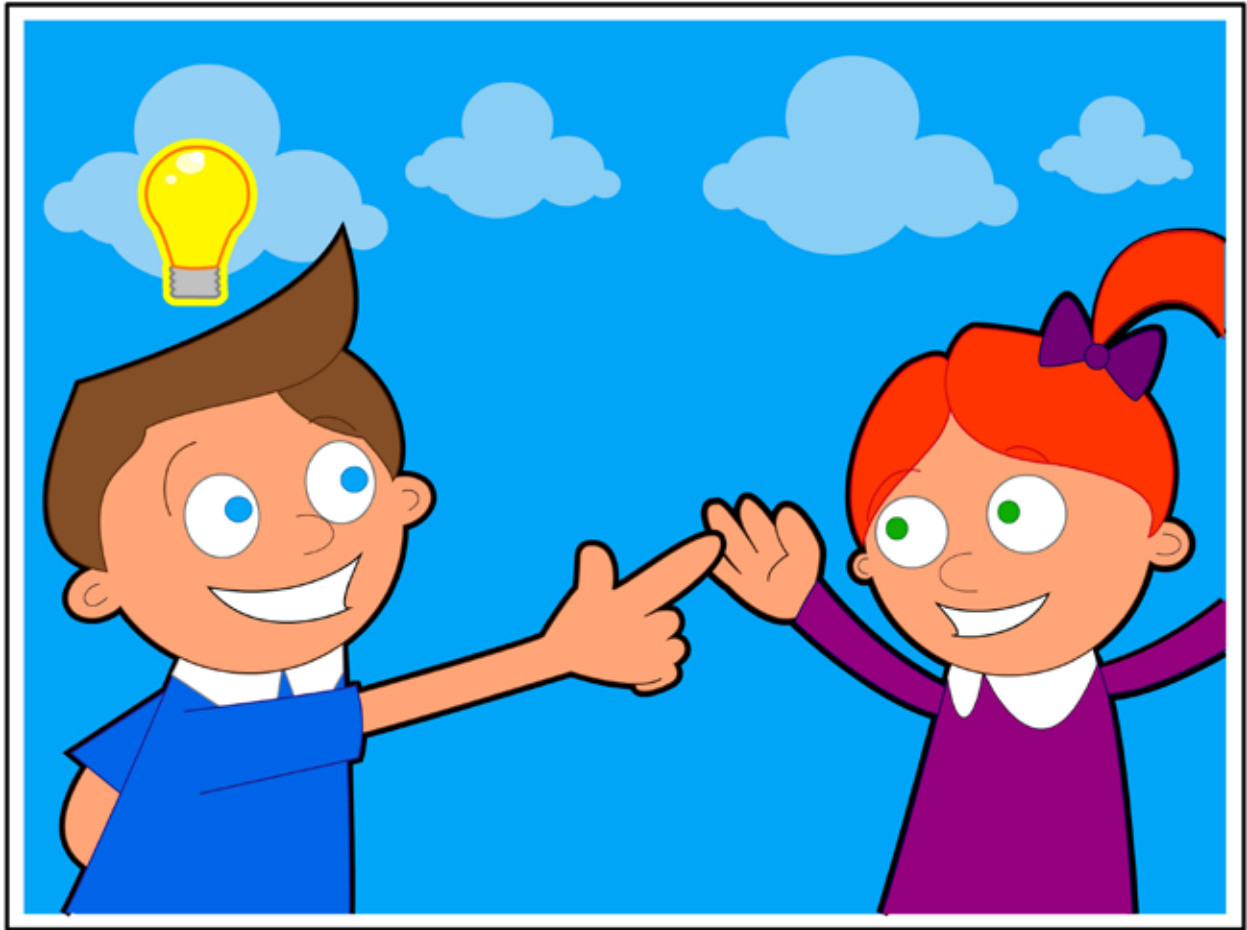


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It was a nice sunny day and Lea and Cleo were playing outside in the park beside their house. They were sitting on the seesaw talking about what kind of party Lea should have. "How about a soccer game?" asked Cleo. "No, too boyish," said Lea. "Oh, I know," said Lea, "a princess birthday party." "No, too girlish," said Cleo.





“I got the best idea ever!” said Cleo. “How about we have the birthday party right here in the park. Let’s start planning.”





Lea went on. "We can have a soccer game at the park field, a make-up table for the girls and a hot dog stand too." She went on and on. But then Cleo reminded her that they were just kids and they would need money.





Lea had no problem with that. She went to her room and got the money she had saved. Then she went to see her mother and said, "Here is the money I saved up and here are my birthday plans. Can I please have a party on Saturday?"





On Saturday morning Lea was so proud that she had organized her own birthday party. All her friends were there on time and her party was a success.

