

THE HUNGRY FOX



There was a small village. A forest was near that village



Small cowherd boys used to bring their cows to the near by forest for grazing. Cows chew the soft tasty green grass and the boys would play and frolick



In that forest, was a huge banyan tree. It had a huge trunk



There was hollow in that trunk. The boys would hide their lunch boxes in that hollow



Everyday in afternoon, the boys would sit together and share their lunch



One day a hungry fox reached that forest



When he reached the banyan tree, he smelt the strong aroma of the food



He came near the hollow of the tree. His mouth watered





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He quickly entered the hollow and nicely began to relish the food



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His tummy was now full, yet out of greed he kept eating. So his stomach began to blow like a ballon. Still he kept on eating

At last he finished all the food from their tiffins



Now i must run away from here

The fox began to come out of the hollow, his head and chest could come out but his ballon like stomach could not be pulled out



He tried hard. The skin of his belly was ripped apart but still he could not come out



The fox began to worry

I shall be able to come out of this hollow only when my ballon-like belly becomes small after the food gets digested

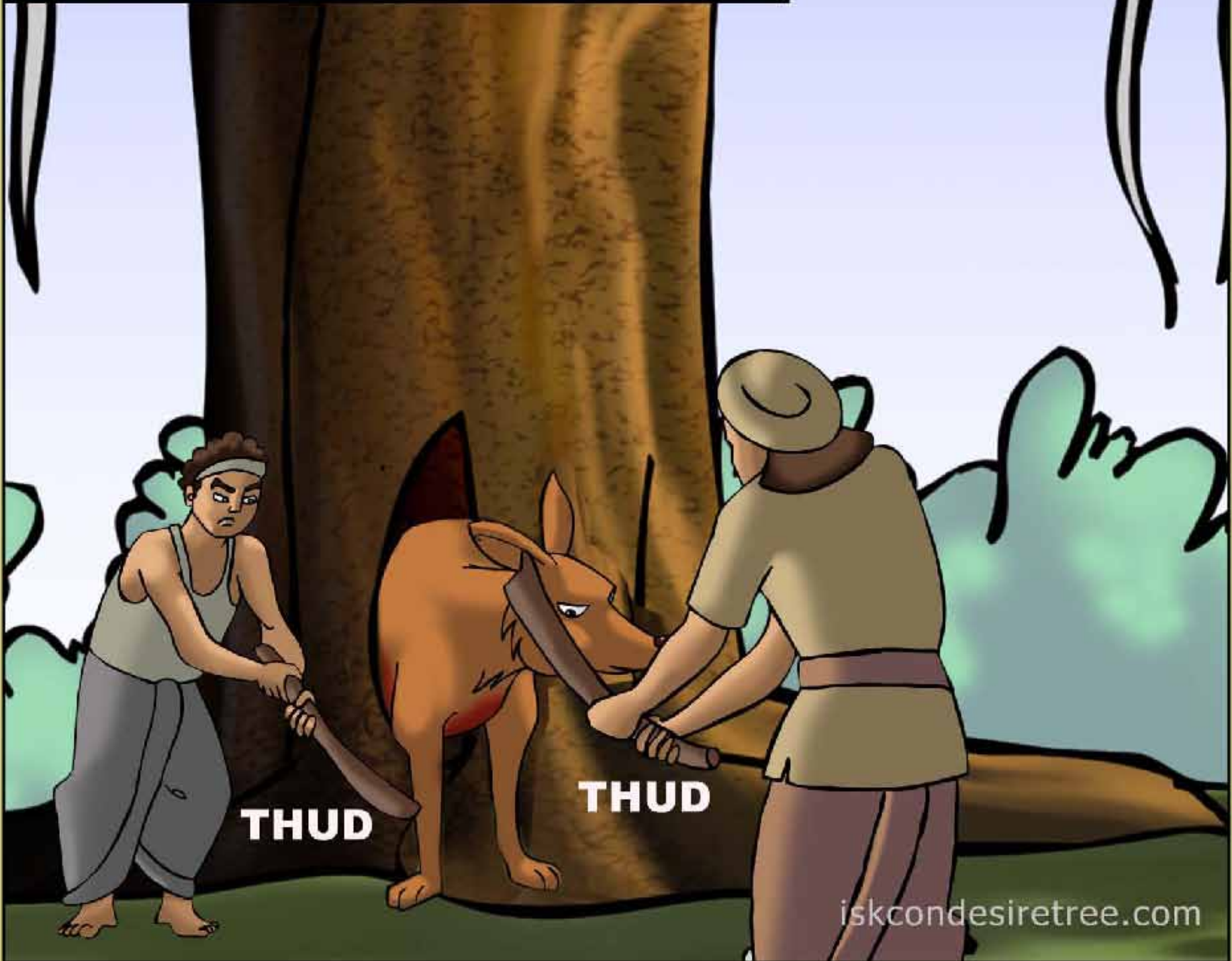
It was afternoon. The boys stopped playing. They were very hungry and hence went towards the banyan tree



They saw there was a fox in that hollow



The boys attacked the fox, the fox wanted to run but he could not. In this way, he was nicely taught a lesson



MORAL :

Greed is a fat demon with a small mouth and whatever you feed it is never enough