

## The Smart Shark

There once was a shark who thought he was the smartest fish in the sea. Every day he would brag about how smart he was.

“I am very tired of the shark telling us how smart he is,” the carp remarked one day to the starfish.

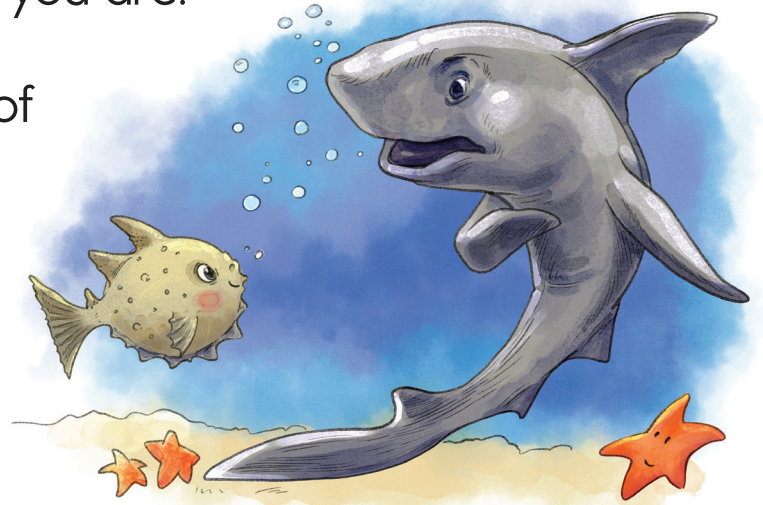
“I am too!” said the starfish. “I have an idea. We will have a party. At the party, we will test him to see just how smart he is!”

“Yes!” said the carp. “We can ask him many hard things! We can have the party in the park at the underwater garden!”

The starfish brought a cart to the party. In the cart were some cards with hard questions for the shark. Everyone gathered around as the starfish read them to the shark. The other fish thought it was a great lark to test the shark. “I will mark each card right or wrong on the chart,” said the starfish.

“We want to know just how smart you are!”

The shark marched to the front of the garden. “I am too smart for this game,” said the shark harshly. And he darted off.



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