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The Washerman's Donkey

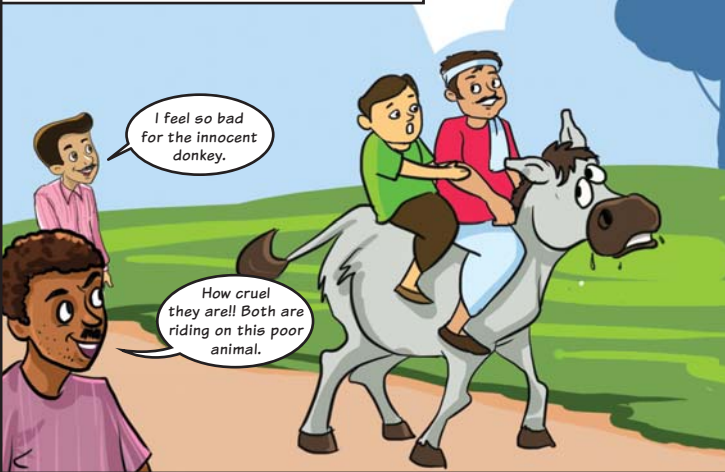
Once a washerman and his son were travelling from their village to the market place along with their donkey. The son was riding the donkey and his father was walking beside. Meanwhile, people whom they came across their journey made various comments.



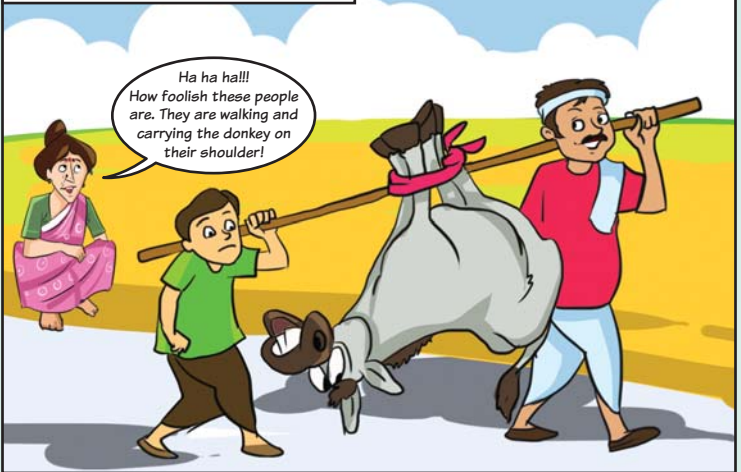
Hearing this, the old man rides the donkey and the son walks beside.



Now, both the washerman and the son decide to ride the donkey. But the people continue to pass comments.



Now they decide to walk and carry the donkey instead.



Meanwhile, the donkey started moving suddenly in the middle of the river. The washerman and the son could not control it and the donkey fell into the deep water.



One need not act as per everyone's wishes

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