## **Anansi and Five**



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Based on a traditional African story

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## Act I.



#### Scene 1. (In Five's village.)

Five: My name is Five. I have magical power. But when I was a child, some children made fun of my name. So I felt very angry, so whoever says my name "Five". And they will disappear.

People: "Give me 5!"

Five: Many people disappeared. In the country, no one could say five without disappearing .If someone spelled "five", they immediately disappeared. In my village, the unlucky number was no longer 13.



Scene 2. (In the T-shirt shop.)

Customer: "How much is that blue T-shirt?"

Merchant: "That T-shirt is 5 doh......"

(Before the shopkeeper could finish his sentence, he disappeared.)



#### Scene 3.(In Five's village.)

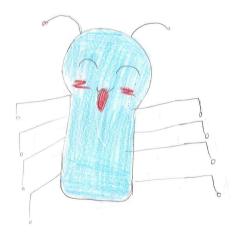
Narrator: In Five's village, there was one spider whose name is Anansi. Anansi was not a farmer and he didn't have food. But he has a wife and children.)

Children: I feel very hungry. I want to eat food. Who can give me food to eat?

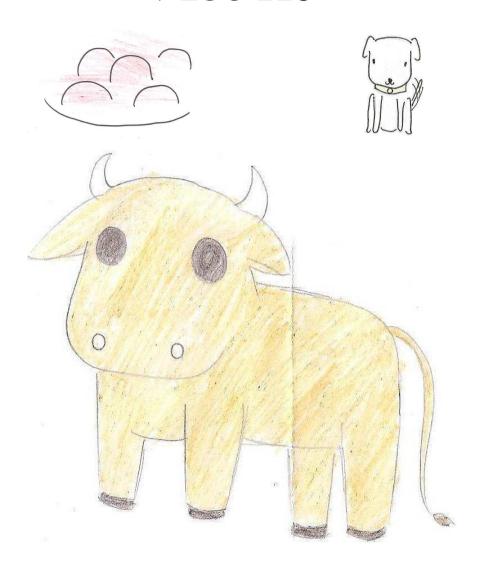
Narrator: Anansi and his family needed to survive. So Anansi wanted to use "five" to get the work.

Anansi: I can use the "five" spell to help me find work.

And I want to have a lot of food.



# Act II.



Scene 1. It is afternoon under the Guangu tree.

[One day ~ Anansi has a bad idea.]

#### [Bad]Anansi:

We can make five yam hills, and we will go to ask everyone...

#### [Angel]Anansi:

Don't do it! You can't do that here. You should do some good things.

#### [Bad]Anansi:

Oh~[Angel)Anansi, can you shut up!

You are so noisy!



#### [Angel]Anansi:

But we can't do bad things! ([Angel]Anansi was very angry and left.)

#### [Bad]Anansi:

I am right, you should listen to me ([Bad] Anansi is happy and makes an evil plan.)

Anansi: OK! I want to make five yam hills.

(Anansi goes back to the Guangu tree.)



Scene 2. It is near the yam hills.

Anansi: Ha! Ha! My five yam hills are done!

Anansi: Hello!

Can you count the yam hills?

Anansi: OK.....You have 1.2.3.4.....and I have a lot of

food! Ha~Ha~Ha~

Anansi: Hey! Man! What are you doing? Hello! Hello!

Brother Dog:

You never say: "hello" to me. What are you thinking?

Anansi: I don't think anything!

Brother Dog:

Oh, OK! Bye, I want to go home now.

Anansi: Wait! OK, can you help me to do an easy thing?

#### Brother Dog:

What can I do?

Anansi: Can you teach me how to count? I am so stu-

pid.

Anansi: See the yams. How many yams are there under

the tree?

Brother Dog:

Oh! You! You can't count? Wow, go back to

school and study math!

Anansi: No, I don't want to.

(He goes back to the tree.)

Anansi: I want food! Who can

give me food?



Scene 3. Under the Guangu tree.

Anansi: I see someone going to the market! It is Bro' Bull!!

Anansi: Hi~ Bro' Bull~ What are you doing?

Bro' Bull: I want to go home to cook the food. What's wrong?

Anansi: Can you help me to count the yam hills?

Bro' Bull: Why?

Anansi: Because I never went to school, so I can't count the yam hills.

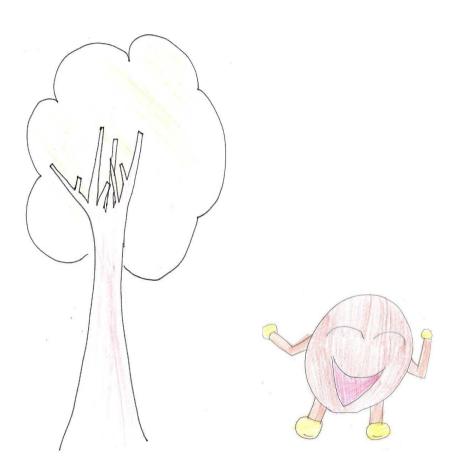
Bro' Bull: OK! You look at this. It is 1,2,3,4,5.....

(Bro' Bull disappears as soon as he says 'five')

Anansi: Yes! You disappeared. I can take your food to my home.

Bro' Bull, thank you. Goodbye, my honey.

## Act III.



Scene 1. It is morning in the marketplace.

Anansi: Good morning, Mrs. Guinea Fowl! You look great today.

Mrs. Guinea Fowl:

Good morning, Anansi you look great too.

Anansi: Do you have time?

Mrs. Guinea Fowl:

Sure! I have a lot of time.

Anansi: Would you help me to count something?

Mrs. Guinea Fowl:

OK, what do you want to count?

Anansi: Would you count how many yam hills I have?

Mrs. Guinea Fowl:

Ha! You have 1, 2, 3, 4, and the one I am standing on!

Anansi: What! What did you say?

Mrs. Guinea Fowl:

I said 1, 2, 3, 4, and the one I am standing on!

Anansi: NO! NO! What number is "the one I am standing on"?

Mrs. Guinea Fowl:

OK! I will say it again! You have 1, 2, 3, 4, and the one I am standing on!

Anansi: Oh! Are you crazy? What number is the last one?

Mrs. Guinea Fowl:

If you know, can you tell me - What's the number?

Anansi: It's "five!" Oops~(Anansi disappears)

#### Mrs. Guinea Fowl:

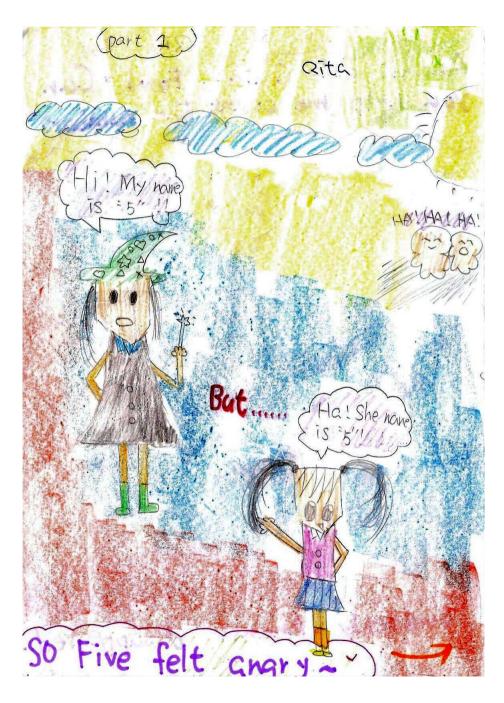
Ha! Ha! You are so "crazy"!

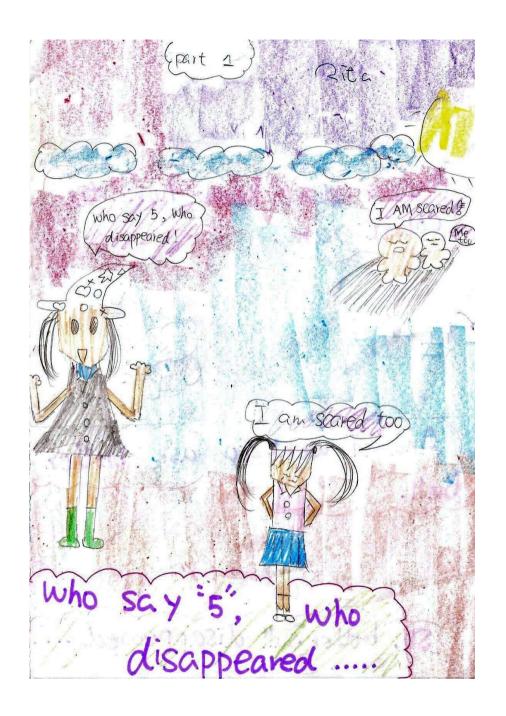
(Mrs. Guinea Fowl took away all the loot!)

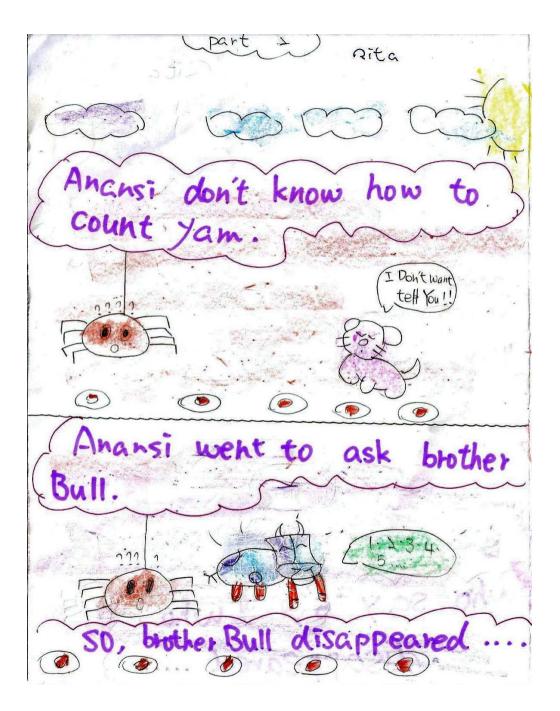
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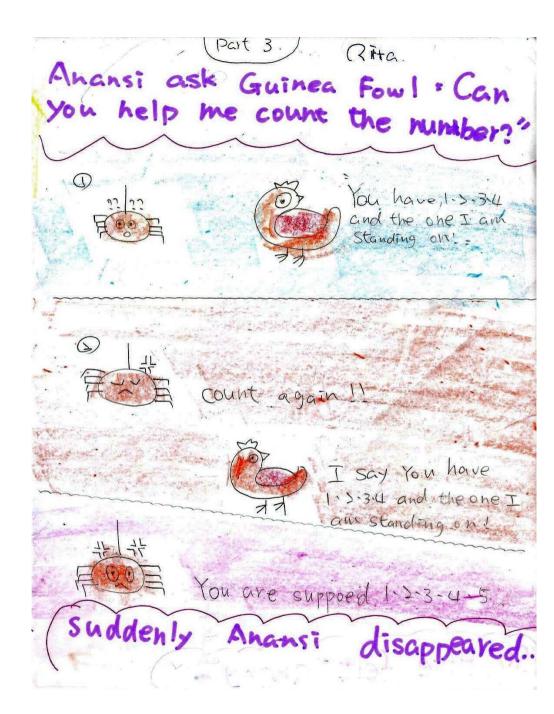
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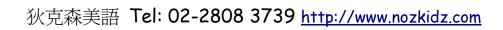






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#### 狄克森美語:學英文先從聽英文開始

(精鍵在於英文老師的 堅持,眼光和經驗) **優秀的師資**:課堂以英文授課,讓孩子大量的使用英文和老師做互動. 課程著重主題內容的補充和討論,孩子可以用英文學得知識,或用英文表達知識的內容,有別於傳統的用中文解釋英文的教學方式. 我們很努力地激發孩子的表達能力,創造力和思考能力!

#### 我們的老師: Our Teacherst

- Terry老師 畢業於輔仁大學英文學系.有 超過十五年豐富的幼兒至國中學生的英語教學 經驗.她始終相信,讓小朋友自然學習英語。
- Christine老師 畢業於輔仁大學英文學系,有超過十五年豐富的幼兒至國中學生的英語教學經驗.她的教學理念:學習英語一定有更有趣而且有效的方式。
- Kenneth老師-民國82年來自英國蘇格蘭,曾任台北市中國文化大學英語講師,有超過十五年 豐富的幼兒至成人的英語教學經驗。
- Cindy老師 從事英語教育及師資訓練十幾

年的時間;從幼兒到成人、學 生到老師,都是我教學的對 象。我始終相信,即使是學 習,也一定有更有趣而且有效 的方式;也只有當我們享受學

習的過程,我們才更有學習的 動機,學習才會更有效果。

#### 我們的課程

**劫劫賽** 3-4歲. 一堂課60分鐘. 一週兩堂課. 將簡單數學, 美勞, 音樂等放入教學中. 讓小朋友用另一種語言學認知.

**幼兒班**: 5歲-大班. 一堂課90分鐘. 一週 兩堂課.

- a. 認識字母及基礎發音.
- b.建立聽, 説的基礎. 讓小朋友的語言 回歸最自然的學習模式.

**<u><b>兒童班**</u>: 小一-小六. 一堂課120分鐘. 一週雨堂課.

- a. 自然發音: 培養閱讀能力, 減輕指單字的負擔.
- b.完整的語文教材: 幫助孩子藉由聽, 說, 讀, 寫, 有系統的學習英文.

#### 国中全民英桧班:

(初級/中級班): 一堂課三小時. 一週一 堂課

當學生有穩固的基礎後,可加入英檢課程. 本課程提供學生寫作,文法,聽力等訓練. 希望能幫助學在最有信心的狀態下. 通過考試.

