







BAD JACK FOX

VOCABULARY

1. She took a **quick** shower.
2. Dan has to fix the **engine** of his car in the middle of the road.
3. The box was completely **empty**.
4. I saw a red **fox** on my way.
5. My friend runs very **fast**.



- a.  high speed
- b.  doing something in short time
- c.  Containing nothing
- d.  a machine

READING

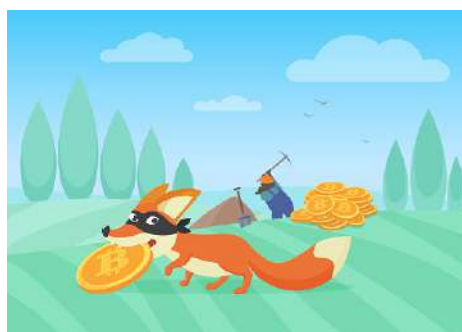
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Dan opens up his diamond store.
He's watched by Bad Jack Fox.

"I wonder what Dan's carrying?
I will rob him of his box."

Jack grabs the box and runs
away. "Hey, wait. Stop, thief!" cries Dan.

But Dan is not as quick as Jack. Zip! He is off in his van.





Dan spots a friend in his taxi cab. "Mick's sure to help, I know."
Dan has a plan. "Just follow the van! Quick, Mick! Go, go, go!"
The cab goes fast, but then it stops. "Tank's empty – just my luck!
But I will go and get a can. I will fill it up."
While Mick is filling up the tank, Dan's thinking of Bad Jack.
"My box is miles away by now." I will not get it back.
"Don't worry," says Mick, as they zoom away, "I'll soon return your box.
A cab can go as quick as a van. Yes, I will fix Jack Fox."
Now who's that in the road ahead? Looks like he needs a tow.
"It is Jack Fox and his red van." "Bad luck! It will not go!"
The van lets out a cloud of smoke. Meek peers inside. "What's this
You need to let your engine cool. It is red hot." Fizz! Hizz!
Don't quickly grab his precious box. He's glad to get it back.
"A bath toy for my son, you see." "A duck?" "Yes, Jack!" Quack quack!

WORK PRACTICE

Choose the best answer.

1. _____ is usually a cunning animal.
a. box b. fox c. food d. book
2. I have when my wallet is _____.
a. happy b. gloomy c. empty d. lively
3. My dad fixed the _____ of our family car.
a. staircase b. game c. empty d. sink

READING COMPREHENSION

Choose the best answer.

1. The dentist has to pull some of her _____.
a. nails b. fox c. teeth d. books
2. There are various types of _____ in the ocean, including tuna.
a. bird b. fish c. cat d. empty
3. My mom bought some medicine after she knew I was _____.
a. engine b. sad c. sleepy d. ill