

## SECTION 1

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There was once a very bad-mannered tiger who was king of the forest. The tiger demanded that everyone follow his rules, no matter how silly. The other animals in the forest were fed up so they held a meeting.

"He's out of control!" the snake hissed.  
"We can't carry on like

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this!" the rabbits hopped up and down angrily. "He told me I had to be his footrest!" complained the tortoise. "He said I had to fan him



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with my feathers!" quivered the peacock. "But what can we do? He's much bigger and stronger than all of us!" hooted the owl. A very clever young hare raised his paw and said. "I've got an idea." "You? What can you do against the powerful tiger?" the animals asked.

"It's not all about

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strength." The hare said simply. And so, off he went to find tiger.

"Where's my lunch? It

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should have been here ages ago!" the tiger snapped as hare approached him. The hare was afraid, but he didn't show it. Instead he said. "I was bringing your lunch my king but another tiger stopped me on my way and took it! He's hiding in a well just over there!"

"What!" the tiger raged. "Take me to him now, I will

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teach him a lesson he won't forget!" So, the hare led the tiger to the well. The tiger peered into the deep dark hole and sure enough the face of



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HELLO!



SECTION 2

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another fierce tiger stared back at him. "Grrr, how dare you!" the tiger roared. "Grrr, how dare you!" the tiger in the well roared back. "How rude you are!" the tiger said. "How rude you are!" the tiger in the well said. "Stop that!" the tiger growled.

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"Stop that!" the tiger in the well growled. The hare smiled to himself. "He's a very rude tiger indeed. Why don't you go in there and teach him some manners!" he said. The tiger jumped into the well and landed with a huge splash in his own reflection! He had been roaring at himself! "There's no tiger down

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here!" he growled. "You tricked me! Get me out of here!" "I will help you, but you must stop being so mean to the other animals." The



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hare answered. "I'm the king of the forest, I order you!" The tiger demanded. "No, you must promise." The hare said. "Just because you are king doesn't mean you are the smartest or that you can be rude to anyone you like." The tiger felt pretty silly splashing around in the well, so he agreed to be a

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better king. The hare helped him out and the forest was a much kinder, nicer place to live after that.



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This story is based on an Indian fable taken from an ancient collection of stories called Panchatantra tales. They are thought to be the oldest surviving stories of mankind, surviving for centuries, from mouth to mouth, before they were documented.

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