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Age 7



Crimey & blimey

The pie thief

Crimey & blimey are two outback thieves.

One day, Crimey & Blimey were walking down a peaceful, long country road blossoming with gum trees. Suddenly, Blimey started sniffing. Then Crimey started sniffing. Crimey realized what Blimey had smelt. A pie. A nice juicy, Aussie meat pie. "Let's follow the pie," said Blimey. "You mean the pie scent," said Crimey. So they followed the pie scent, which led them to a pretty little house with red bricks and little white and purple flowers creeping up the walls. Best of all, there were white windows, and seated on one of the white windowsills was, THE PIE!



"There's the pie!" said Blimey. "You can have the first taste, mate," he added. "I will. But not now," said Crimey. "Why not? It smells simply delicious," said Blimey, his mouth starting to water. "No. I'm not going to eat it now. It will be safer to take it home and eat it. Then they won't see us," said Crimey. "All right," said Blimey. Then, just as they lifted the pie up, they heard a shrill scream. "MUMMY! DADDY! Someone's stealing the pie!" cried a girl. Suddenly out came a policeman (who was her daddy), handcuffs and all. Sitting in the old country jail, they may still be there now.

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