



Gappu Can't Dance

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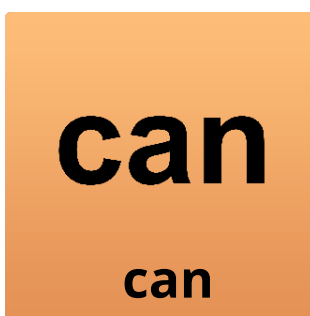
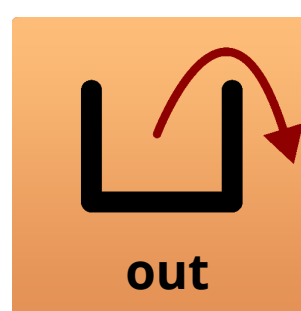
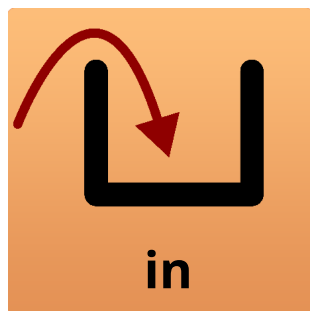
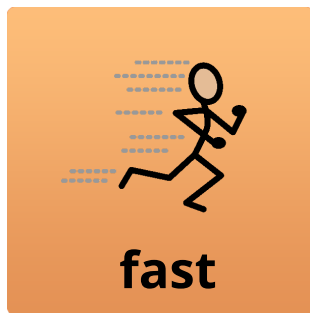
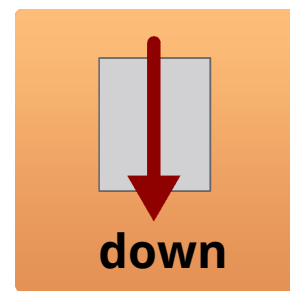
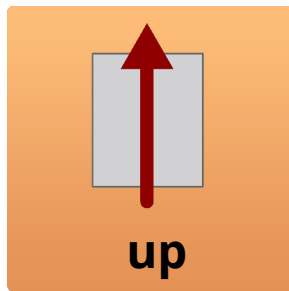
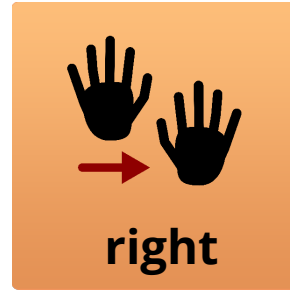
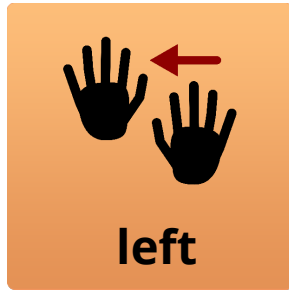


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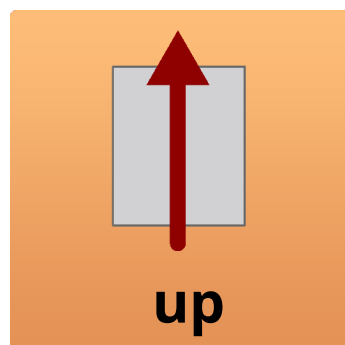
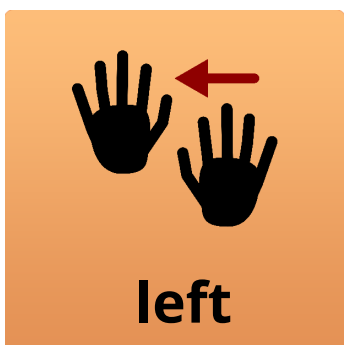
Our **dance** teacher Komal is teaching the steps for Wednesday's class play.





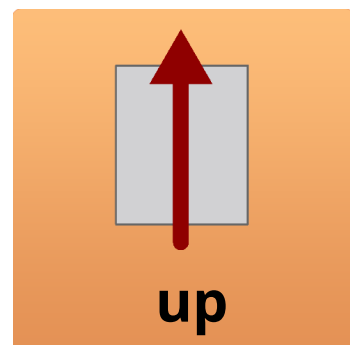
Thaka dhimi thai!

“Lift your **left** hand **up** high.”



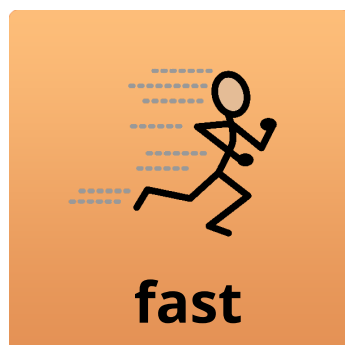


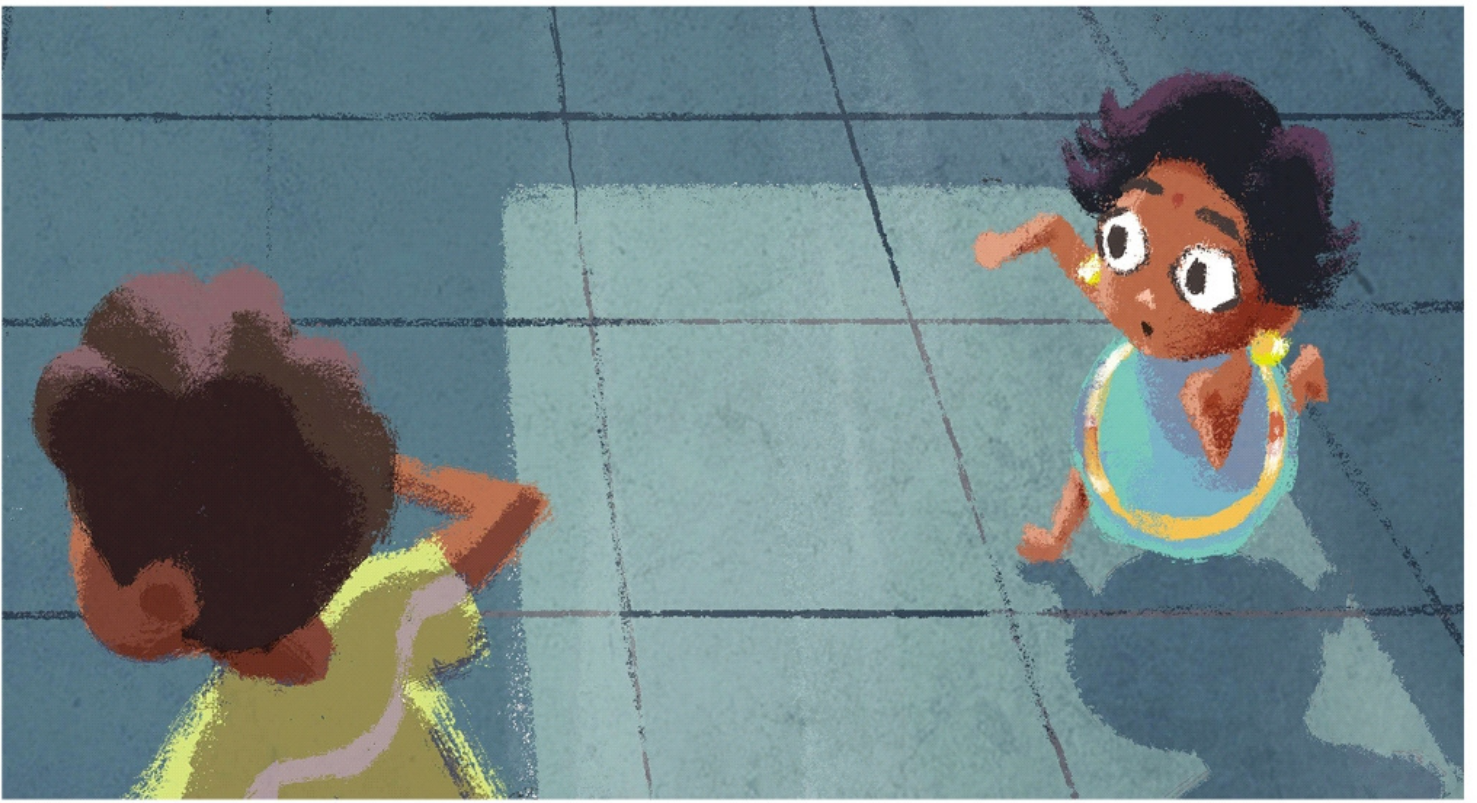
Uh-oh! Gappu lifts her **right** hand **up**.





Bippity bop bop boom!
"Run **fast** around the room."





Uh-oh! Gappu is too **slow**.



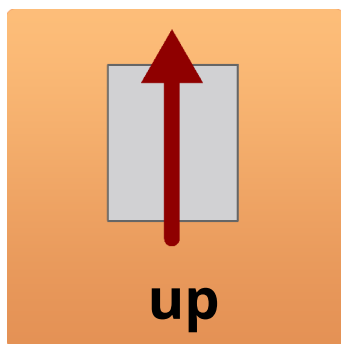


Gappu **can't** dance!



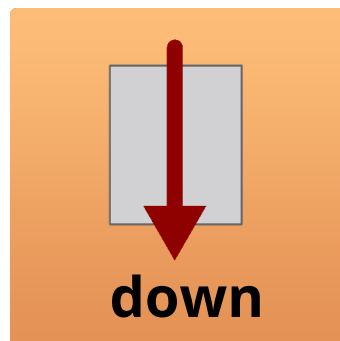


Thaka-dina-din tak!
“Everybody jump **up**.”





Uh-oh! Gappu sits **down**.



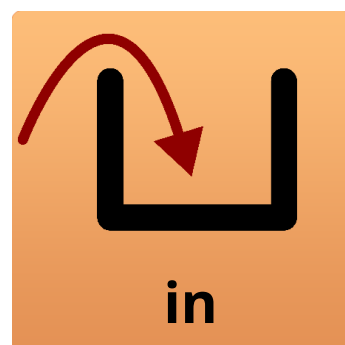


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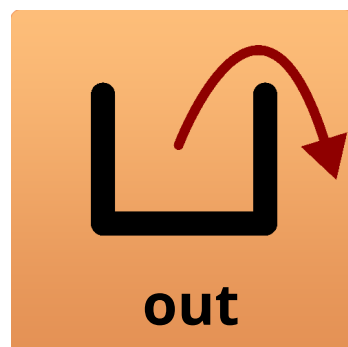


Dooby doop diddly din din!
“Put your **right** leg **in**.”





Uh-oh! Gappu puts her **right**
leg **out**.





Gappu **can't** dance!



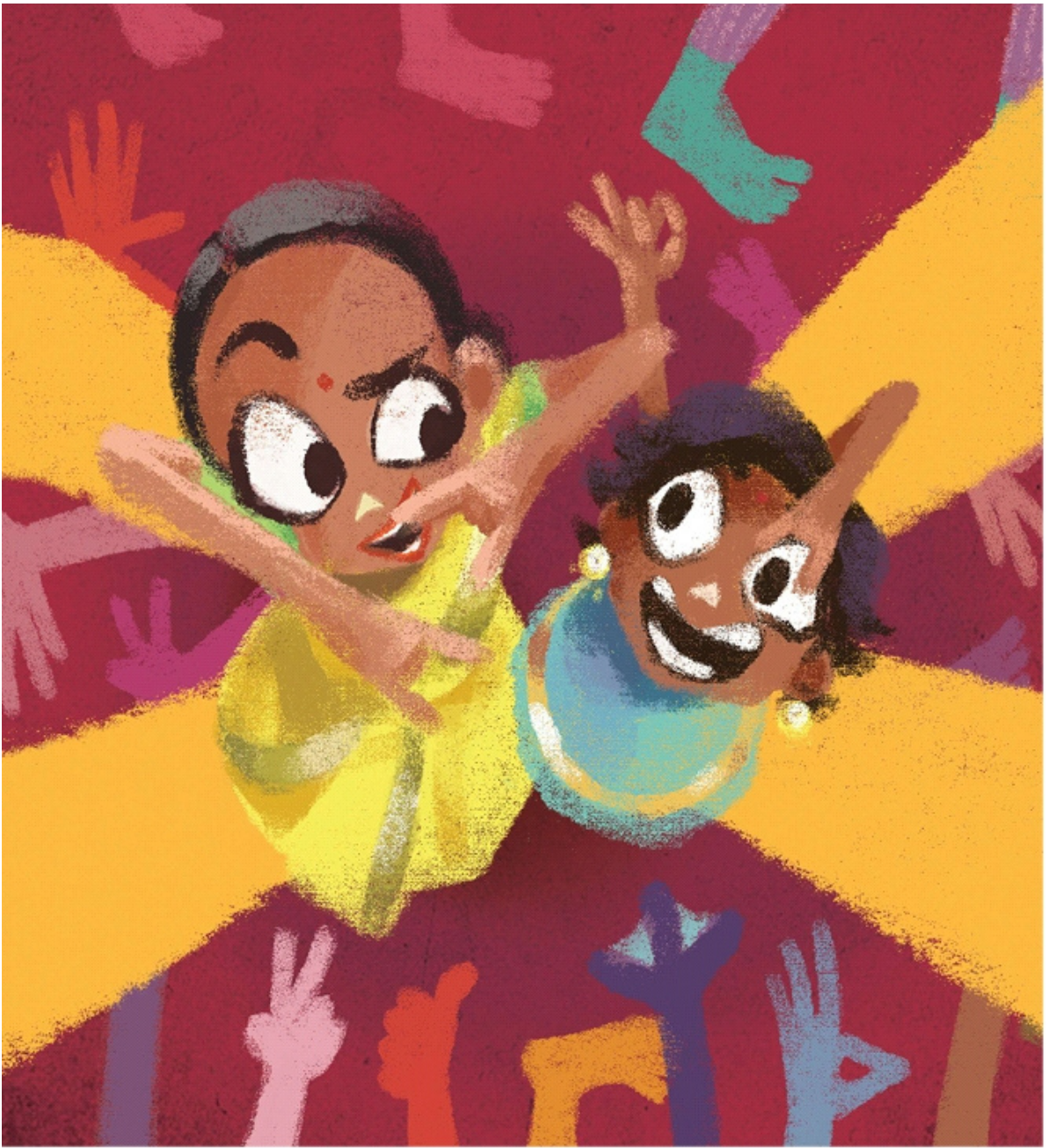


Everybody laughs and points,
As Gappu gets it wrong.

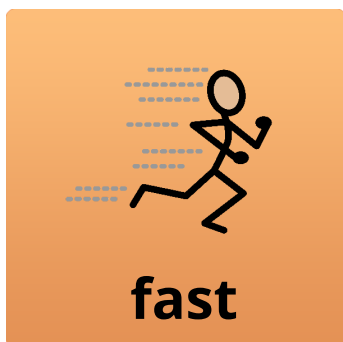
But Komal Teacher knows
what to do.

She tells the class, "Follow
Gappu!"



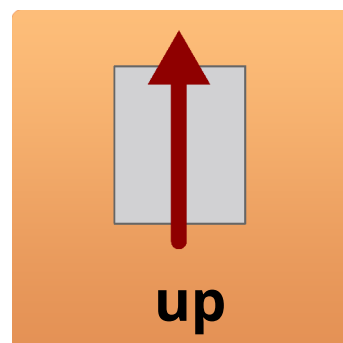
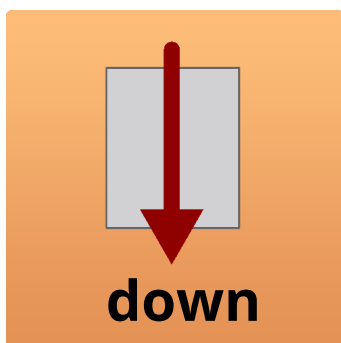


Bippity bop bop boom!
Fast and **slow** around
the room.



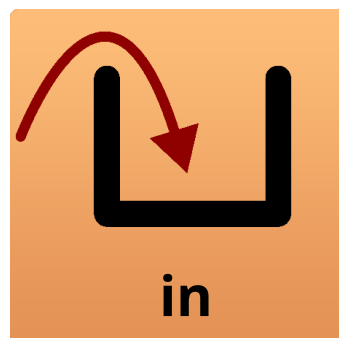


Thaka-dina-din tak!
It doesn't matter if
you're **down** or **up**.





Dooby doop diddly din din!
Just make sure you join in.





Gappu **CAN** dance.
And so can you!

can

can



dance

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Gappu Can't Dance (English)

Everyone in Class 1A knows Gappu can't dance. When the students raise their left hand, she raises her right! Can Komal Ma'am get Gappu to dance? A story about the joy of dancing, using the concept of opposites.

This is a Level 1 book for children who are eager to begin reading.

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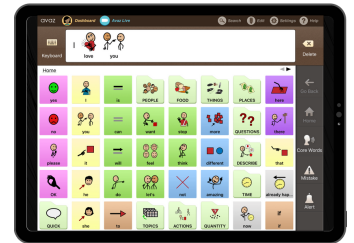
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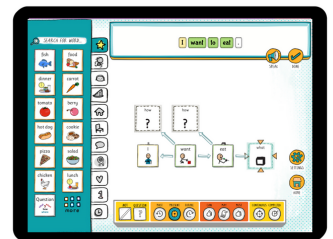
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