

First Stories: Level 2



# Silly Races! 2



Series created by  
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## Tips for Reading Together

Children learn best when reading is fun.

- Talk about the title and the picture on the front cover.
- Look through the pictures together so your child can see what the story is about.
- Read the story to your child, placing your finger under each word as you read.
- Read the story again and encourage your child to join in.
- Give lots of praise as your child reads with you.

Children enjoy re-reading stories and this helps to build their confidence.

Have fun!



After you have read the story,  
find the bird hidden in every picture.



This book includes these useful common words:

an got ran Dad



For more hints and tips on helping your child become a successful and enthusiastic reader look at our website [www.oxfordowl.co.uk](http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk).

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Kipper ran.





Kipper got a banana.



Mum ran.





She got an apple.



Biff and Chip ran.





They got an orange.





Dad ran.



Floppy ran.



Oh no! Dad fell.





Dad got a duck!

### Talk about the story



Why are they  
silly races?

Which race  
do you think is  
the funniest?



Which of  
the races would you  
like to be in?



What other  
sorts of races  
do people do?

