

Bet’s Log Ship



Chip had his camp stuff by the pond: two bags, a dish, and a box of fish. "I wish I could get all this to the far bank," said Chip. "I can help," said Bet.



She got six logs and lashed them together to make a ship. Bet set all the stuff at one end of the ship. She and Chip pushed off. But the ship tipped!



The bags and the box of fish got wet. "Oh no!" said Chip. "My stuff is all wet!" Bet pulled the ship back. "All the stuff is at one end," she said.



She put a bag and the dish at this end, and a bag and the fish at that end. Now the ship sat flat. They pushed off again and got to the far bank. "You did it!" said Chip.