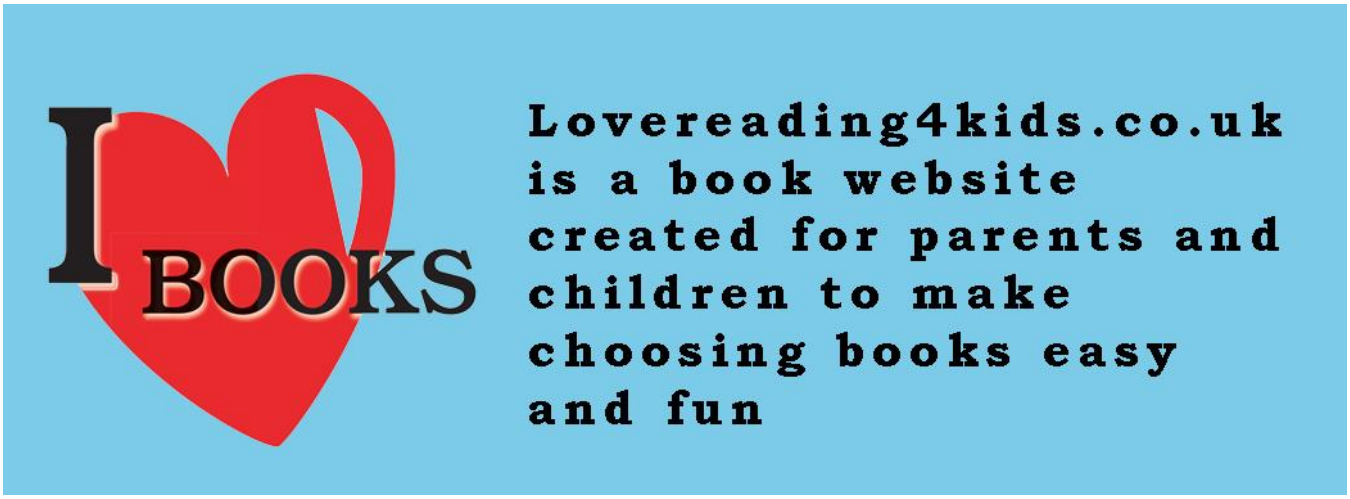


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I received an invitation to a party.





Immediately I panicked.
I DIDN'T OWN A HAT!



And the invitation specifically
stated that I MUST bring a hat.

The party depended on it.





I searched everywhere for a hat.

But the only hat I could find belonged
to a monkey.
“That’s a lovely hat. Can I borrow it please?”

“No.”

“I really, really
need a hat for
a party. I’ll
give it back.”



As he wouldn’t negotiate,
I was left with no choice . . .

At least I had a hat. Even if it
was still attached to a monkey.

