

THE TAILOR AND THE ELEPHANT

There lived a tailor in a village. He was a kind fellow. But he was a man of quick temper also. In this village there lived a fellow who had a pet elephant. The elephant daily went to the river to drink water. He passed by the shop of the tailor. The tailor gave the elephant a loaf of bread daily. In this way, they had developed a fast friendship. One day, the elephant came there and put his trunk into the shop to get a loaf of bread. The tailor was in bad mood that day. He pricked his trunk with a needle instead of giving him a loaf of bread. The elephant got angry. He went to the river, filled his trunk with muddy water and returned. When he reached the shop of the tailor, he put his trunk into the shop and sprinkled muddy water into it. All the clothes in the shop were smeared with mud. Then the tailor realized his mistake but it was too late to mend.

Possible Morals:

Self-done, well done