

# 50. The Tick

Lyme disease



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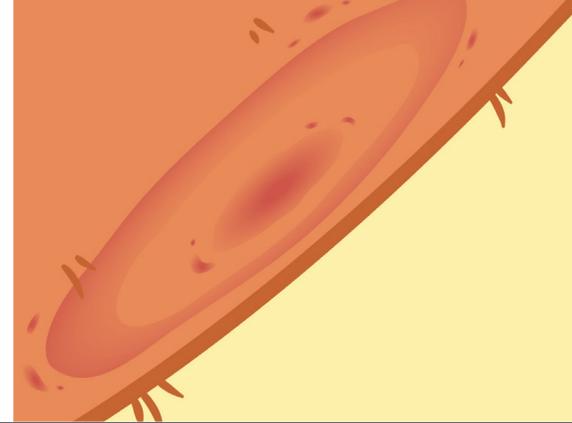
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What fun the past few days have been!

The students from the Zoolandia school have just returned from a mountain excursion, and they are super excited!



Upon arriving home, however, Bea's dad notices something on her back...

A tick, how disgusting!



Luckily, Mr. Dog is an expert in these matters.

With a little olive oil, he removes it without any problem!

At the hospital, Croco Doc sees something strange...  
On Bea's skin, where the tick had been, red circles have appeared.  
Like a target!

However, a few days later, Bea feels terrible.  
Her whole body hurts, as if she has a very strong flu!

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When they go on excursions, Hippo Grat follows Croco Doc's advice to avoid getting bitten by a tick. Insect repellent, long sleeves... Maybe he's gone a bit overboard!



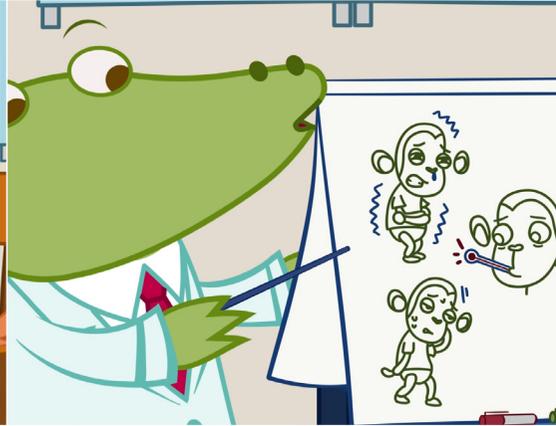
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Moreover, Croco Doc explains how to remove a tick. The important thing is to extract it with tweezers as close to the skin as possible and wash with water and soap.



Bea has Lyme disease, which is transmitted by ticks. They latch onto our bodies when we pass near them, through bushes or by touching animals that have them.

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The symptoms of this disease match what Bea was feeling: chills, fever, fatigue, body pain...

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To recover, Bea will have to receive an antibiotic.

Fortunately, she went to see Croco Doc in time...

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Lyme disease can become serious!

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