

# Be Aware of Bad Bugs at Birthday Parties!

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It's Melrose Mare's birthday. Her friends from Happy Town are planning a birthday party.



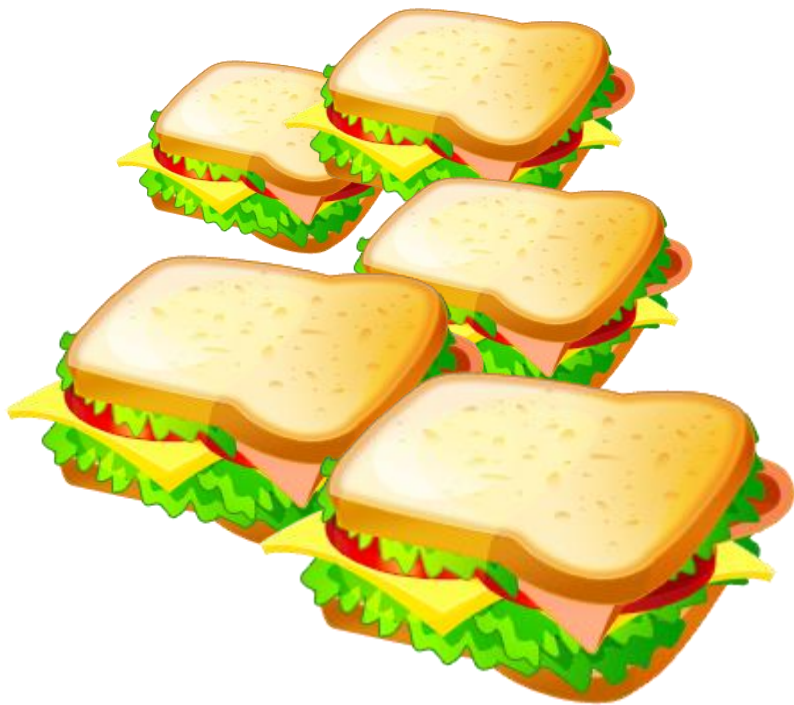
“I’ll bake a birthday cake”, said Baby Duck.  
“Mum and dad can help me.”



**HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY!**

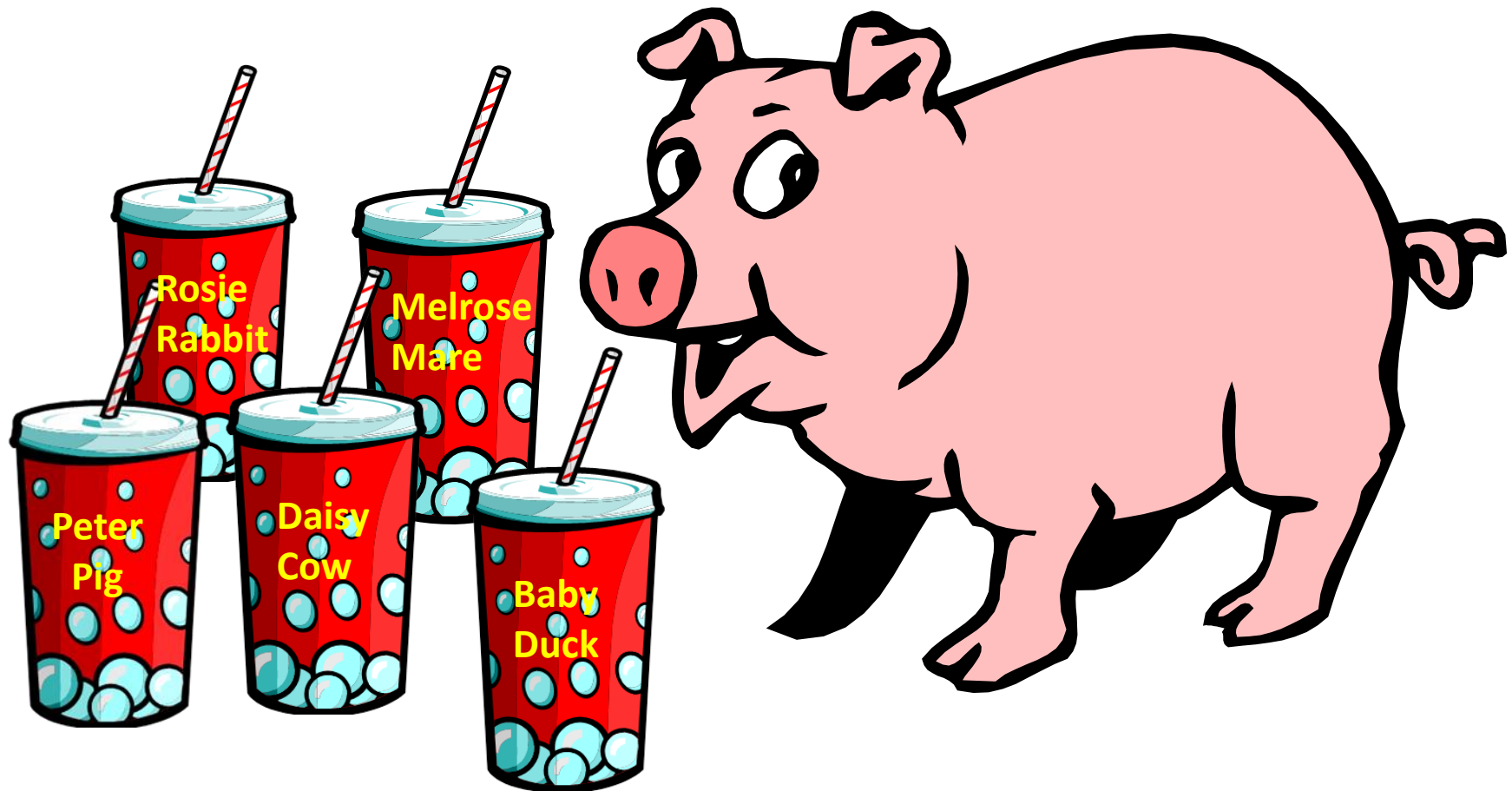


“I will make yummy sandwiches for everyone,” said Daisy Cow.





“I will get the drinks,” said Peter Pig.  
“I am sure everyone will be thirsty.”



“I will get the present,” said Rosie Rabbit.



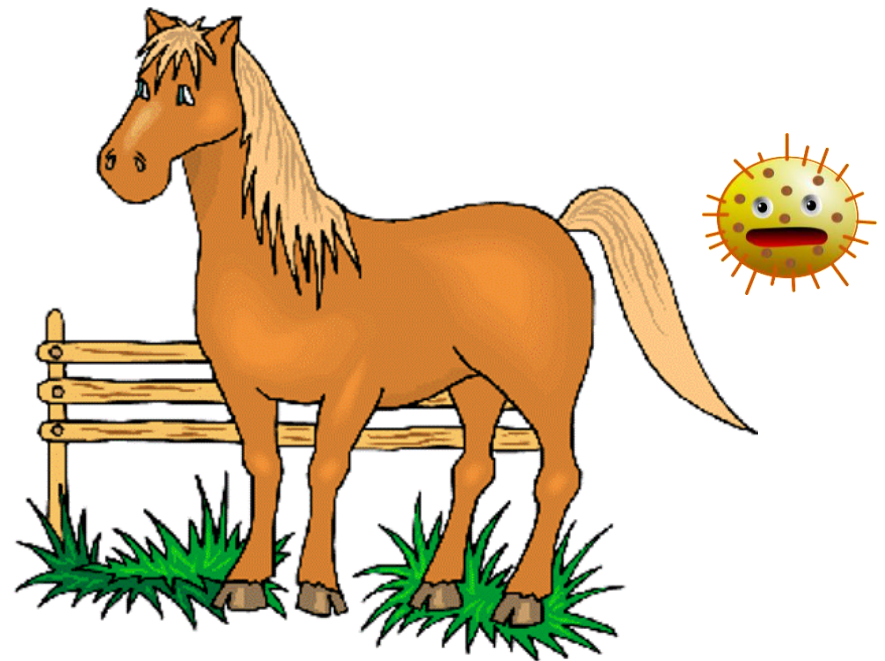


The party table was ready. But Melrose Mare had something to say to her friends first.

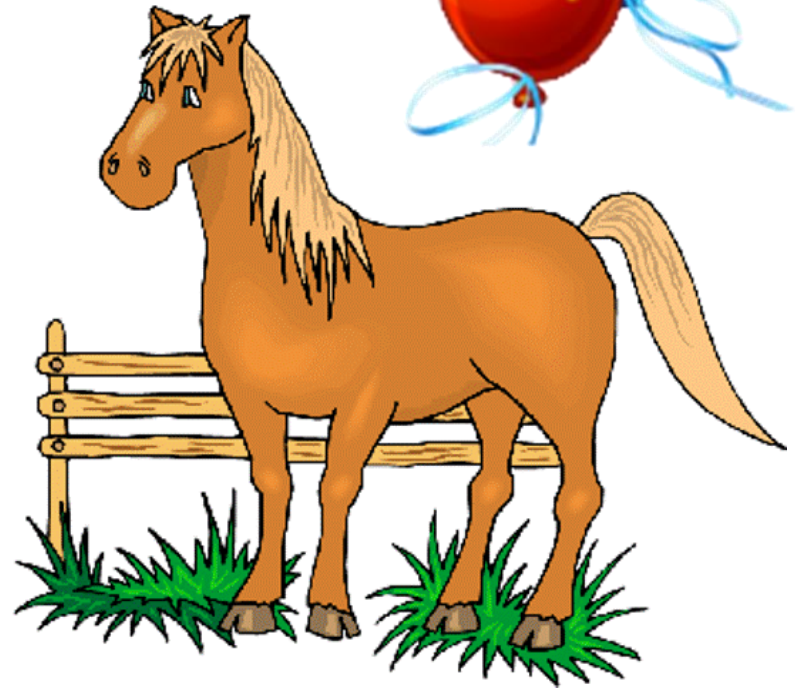




“I want to keep bad bugs away  
On my birthday party day.  
Listen carefully, we must take care,  
If it’s touched your mouth then please  
**don’t share!”**

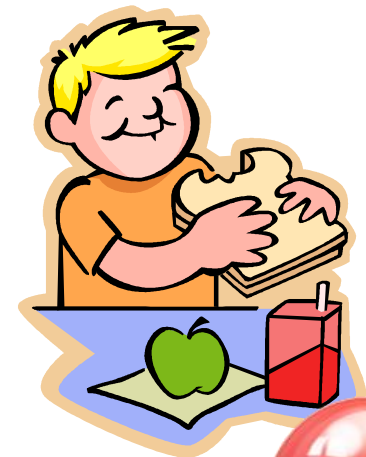


“Thank you for my birthday treats.  
And remember three things  
before we eat.”

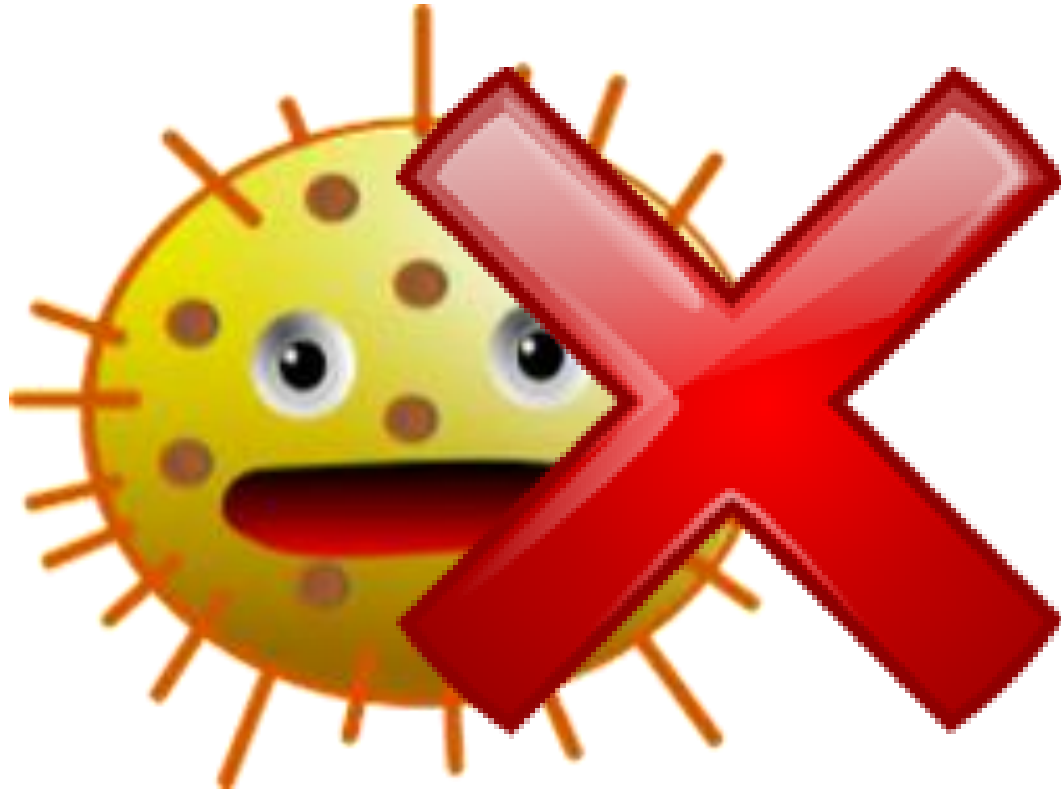




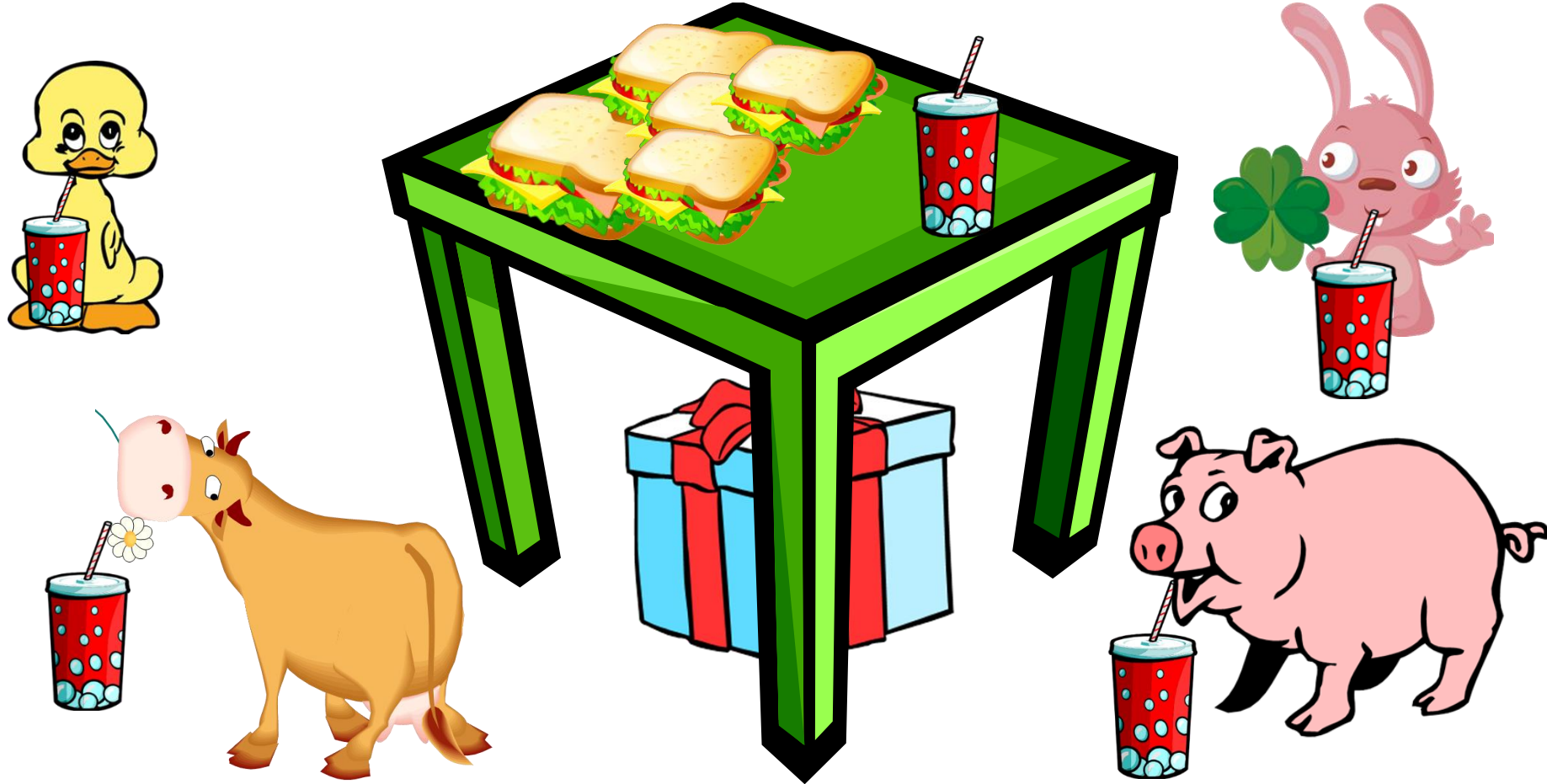
“**One**, wash our hands before we eat and after going to the toilet. **Two**, cover our coughs and sneezes and **three**, don’t share anything that has been in our mouth.”



“No bad bugs are allowed at my birthday party,” said Melrose Mare.  
“I don’t want my friends to get sick.”

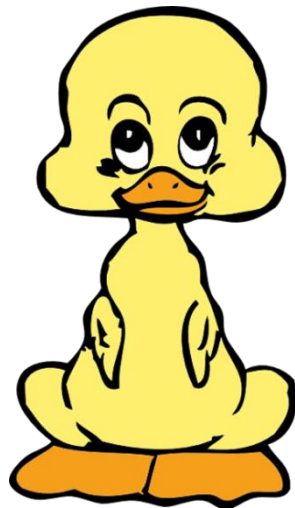






Everyone washed their hands before they ate.  
No-one shared their drinks and there were no bad  
bugs to be seen.

“Thank you Melrose Mare for reminding us how to stay healthy. Happy Town is very lucky. Let’s sing happy birthday,” said Baby Duck.



“Happy birthday to you  
We would like to thank you  
For helping us stay healthy  
Happy birthday to you.”



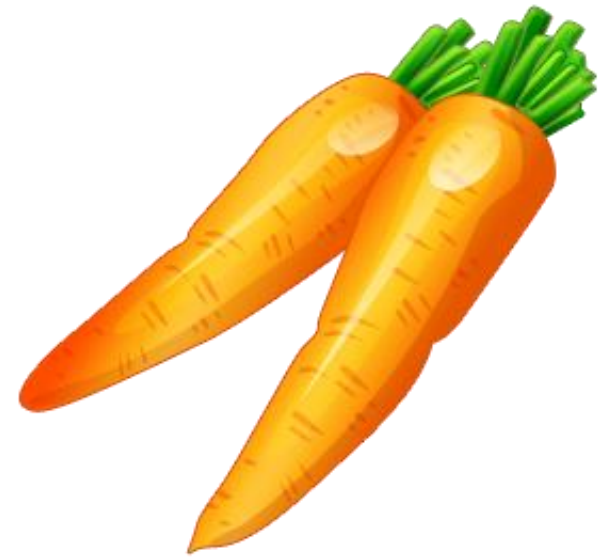
“Open your present,” said Rosie Rabbit.

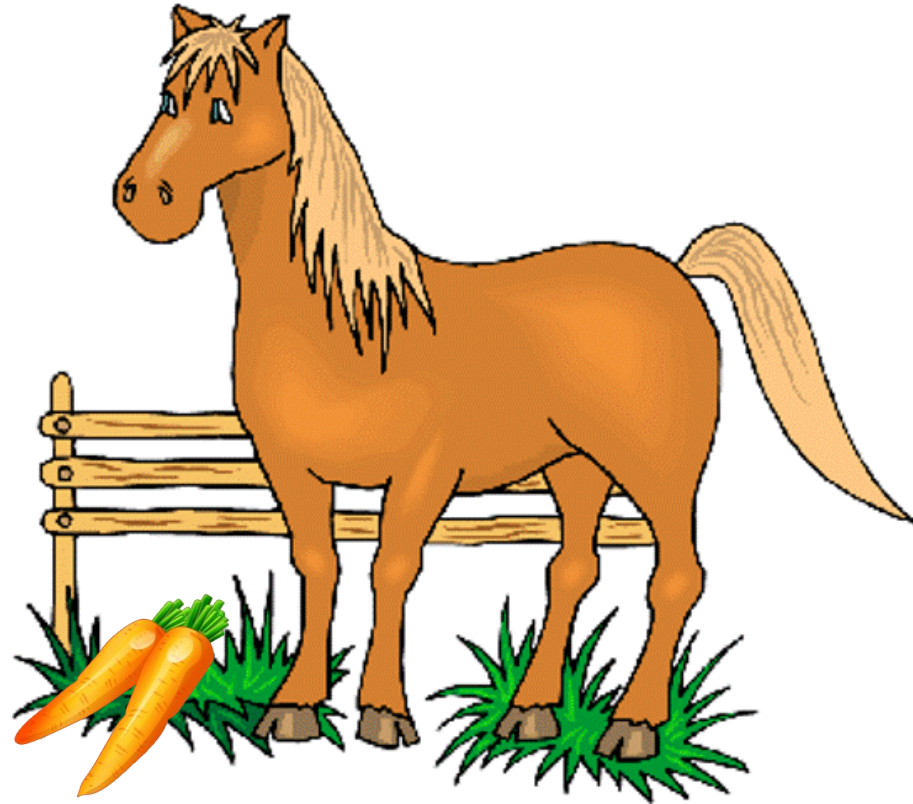






“A water bottle, with my  
name on it, and some  
crunchy carrots!  
Thank you very much,”  
said Melrose Mare.





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