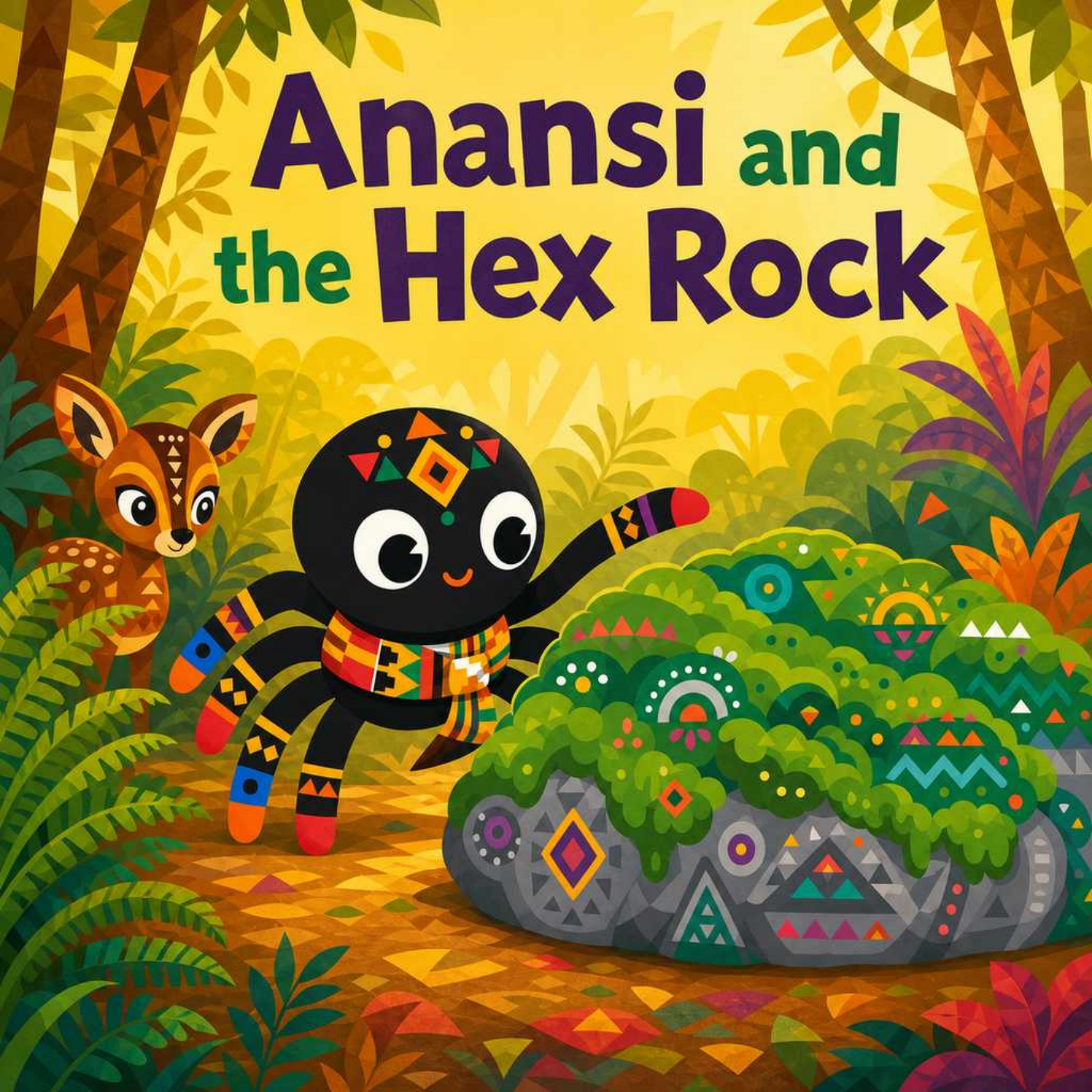


Anansi and the Hex Rock



Deep in the
trees sits a big
green moss
rock.

Anansi steps
up next to it
and peeks.





The rock has a hex
on it, and it sends
Anansi to sleep!

Soon he gets up in
the plants and
grins. He has a
plan.

Anansi plots a trick. He can
set the hex and grab the food!



The hex sends
Elephant to
sleep at the
rock.

Anansi grabs a
big sweet snack
and grins. Bad
Anansi!





The gang gets
up in the
plants, but the
food is lost. A
bad trick! It
vexes them.

Bush Deer peeks from the fig
tree and sees the trick. She
spots Anansi nab the next snack.



Bush Deer meets
the sad gang
and explains the
trick.

Elephant sits
and plots. The
gang must fix it!





Bush Deer has a
plan to fix the
trick. She will jinx
Anansi back!

Elephant is at a
thin tree, but her
big legs stick
out.

Bush Deer sets the hex on
Anansi, and flop, he sleeps in
the moss.



The gang
grabs the food
back and sits
to snack. Yum!
Anansi naps
on the rock as
the gang has
a big feed.



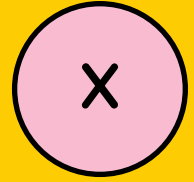


Anansi gets up,
and the lost food
vexes him.

But Elephant
hands him a
sweet snack, and
he grins a bit.

The glad gang treks the track in a
big pack. No trick can vex them next!





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Deep in the forest, Anansi finds a strange mossy rock that puts anyone nearby fast asleep with just a few words. He starts using it to snatch snacks from Elephant, Lion, and Hornbill while they snooze, but sharp-eyed Bush Deer spots the trick. Can she help the gang catch clever Anansi before he steals another meal? Written for Jolly Phonics classrooms (Group 6: x /ks/), this book practices words like 'hex', 'next', 'fix', 'vexes', 'jinx'.

Phonics Focus: <x>

explains, fix, hex, jinx, next, vex, vexes

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