

# The Dog Thinks and Thinks



This is Ted. That big thick  
hair is fun!





The sun is hot  
but the thick  
hair is up.

Ted sips a drink  
and the Dog  
has specs on.

Ted runs on the  
path. The hair  
swings back,  
long and thick.

The Dog dashes  
to keep up.





The wind is cool,  
but Ted is snug.  
The thick hair is  
a soft coat! The  
Dog wishes for  
a coat too.

Then Ted cuts the hair  
short. Snip, snip!



The Dog peeks in. He  
thinks that is odd.



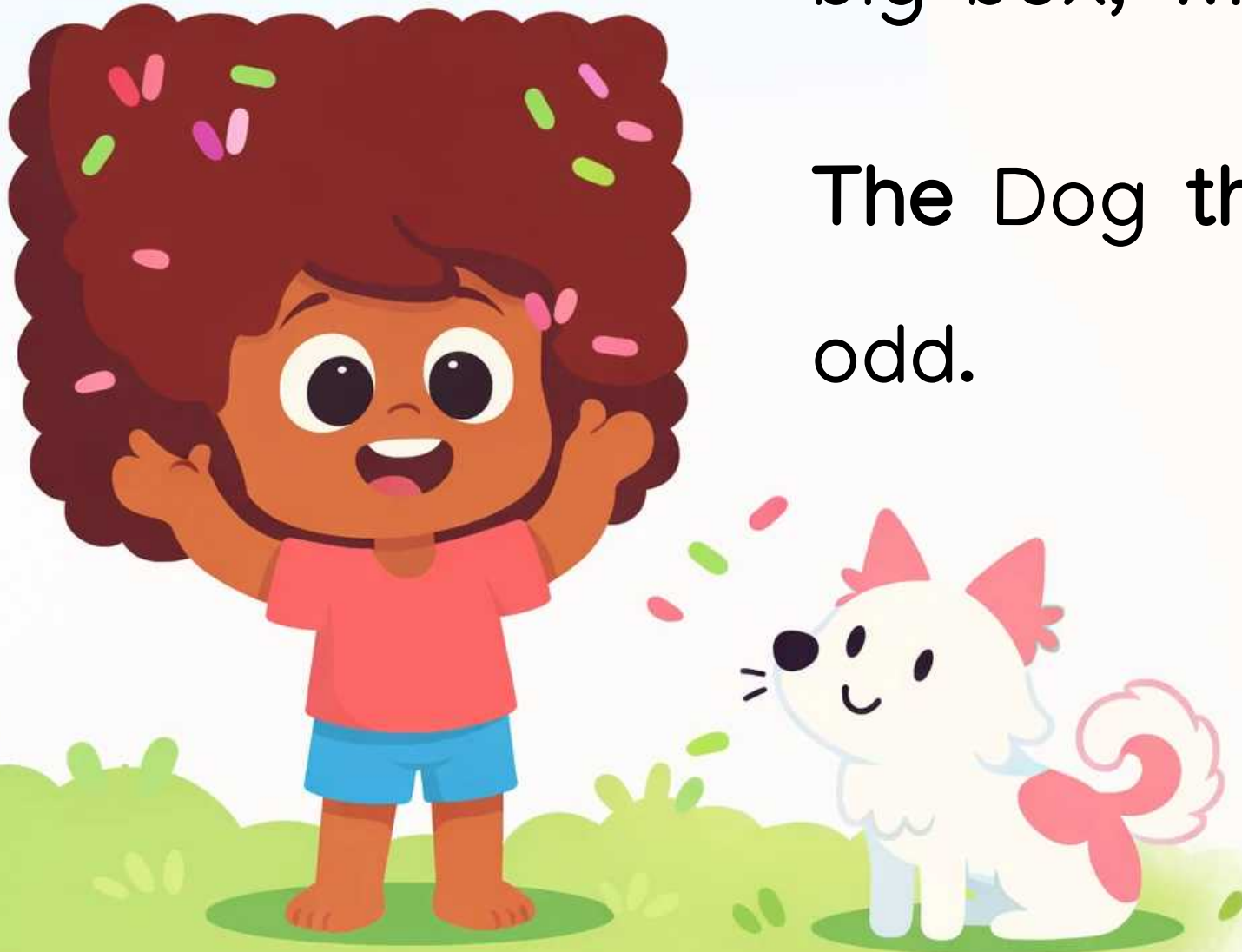
Ted waits and  
waits. Then it is  
long! She lies flat  
in the grass.

Three bugs hop  
on and the Dog  
rests with them.



Ted forms the hair as a  
big box, with clips in it!

The Dog thinks this is  
odd.



Ted has pens  
and wax sticks in  
the thick hair.

She grabs a pen,  
and the Dog  
peeks from within!





Ted thinks that  
this can be a nest.

Three sweet  
things nest in it,  
and the Dog is on  
top.

The wind lifts  
the hair up as a  
flag.

Ted and the  
Dog grin in the  
wind. This is fun!



Mum brushes it smooth and adds  
bands and pins. The Dog peeks  
in and wishes for a pin too.



Will Ted cut it  
short? Not a bit!  
Blooms sit in it,  
and she grins.  
That is the  
truth!





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Meet a girl with hair that has a mind of its own, always ready with a plan for whatever the day brings. Her loyal dog sticks close through every adventure, from sunny days to windy ones. But when she decides to try something new with her hair, will her dog even recognise her? Written for Jolly Phonics classrooms (Group 6: th as in this & th as in thin), this book practises words like 'thick', 'path', 'thinks', 'smooth', 'truth'.

## Phonics Focus: <th>

path, smooth, that, the, them, then, thick, things, thinks, this, three, truth, with, within

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