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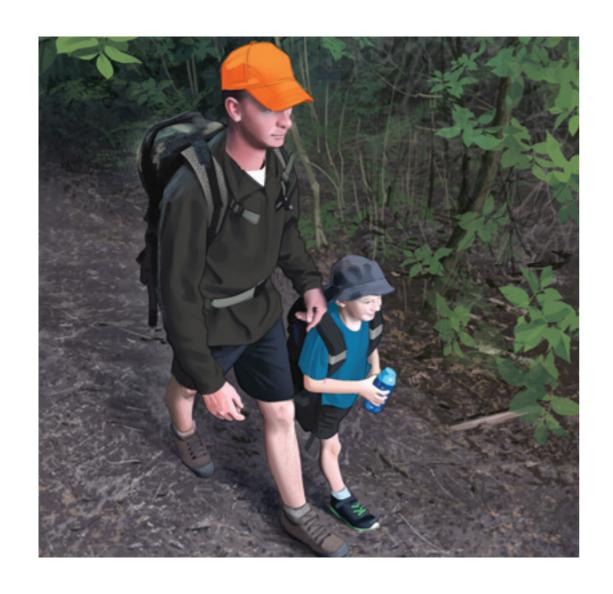
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Dad and Harry went for a walk in the bush.



Dad said, "Look!

I have a stick on my arm."

"No! That's not a stick," said Harry.

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Dad looked at his arm.

"See, Dad! That's not a stick. That's an insect," said Harry. Harry looked at the stick insect. "Look. It has six legs," he said. "And it has feelers and eyes."

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The stick insect walked up Dad's arm.

Harry said, "Don't worry, Dad! I will get it." Harry got a stick.

He picked up the stick insect and put it on a tree.

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"See, Dad," said Harry.

"The stick insect
likes to be on the tree."



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