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The narrator and the mouse split the strawberry in half because _____



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The narrator warned the little mouse about the big hungry bear because the bear loves strawberries.

The big hungry bear gets strawberries when he smells them from the miles away.

The little mouse tried to hide the strawberry after he heard that the big hungry bear was coming.

The narrator and the mouse split the strawberry in half because it's the best way for the big hungry bear to miss it.



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