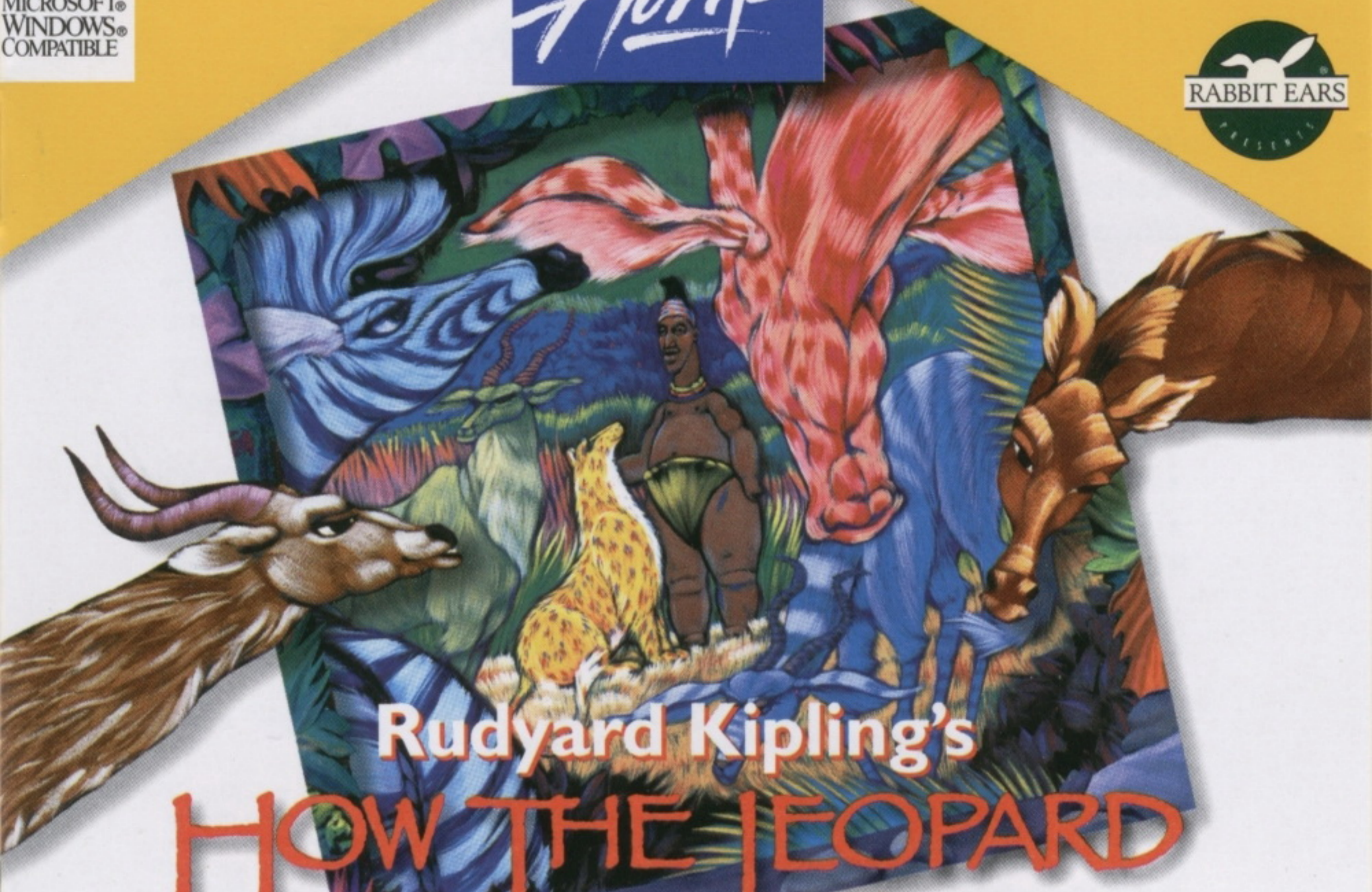




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Rudyard Kipling's  
**HOW THE LEOPARD  
GOT HIS SPOTS**

Told by  
**Danny Glover**

**Interactive Storytelling Adventures with Games**

# SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

You must accept the enclosed License Agreement before you can use this product. If you do not accept the terms of the License Agreement, you should promptly return the product for a refund.

To use How the Leopard Got His Spots, you need:

- Multimedia PC with a 486SX/33 MHz or higher microprocessor
- Either MS-DOS® operating system version 5.0 or later with Microsoft Windows® operating system version 3.1 or later, or Windows 95
- 4 MB of memory (RAM)
- 6 MB of available hard-disk space
- Double-speed CD-ROM drive
- Windows-compatible sound card
- Headphones or speakers
- Super VGA display with 256 colors
- Microsoft Mouse or compatible pointing device

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# WELCOME!

Welcome to *How the Leopard Got His Spots*, one of Rudyard Kipling's beloved *Just So Stories*. There is so much to do! Have a great time as you listen to the narrated story, find surprises hidden on the Play Pages and test your skills with four fun games! Read along with the story and uncover hidden pictures, video, and animations in the Story Book! And don't forget the picture books in P.J.'s home!

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# SETTING UP

If this is the first time you've used *How the Leopard Got His Spots*, you need to install the program on your computer. Here's how:

1. Turn on your computer and start Microsoft Windows.
2. Place the *How the Leopard Got His Spots* disc in the CD caddy (if needed) and put it into the CD-ROM drive.
3. From the Program Manager menu bar, click File and then click Run.
4. In the Command Line box, type the drive letter for the CD-ROM drive (often this is the D drive), followed by a colon, backslash, and the word setup. (For example, type: **d:\setup**)
5. Click OK and follow the directions.

If you have problems during setup, double-click the Rabbit Help-Leopard icon in the MS Kids program group. If this icon is not visible, open the help files from the CD-ROM by typing **d:\readme.hlp** or **d:\readme.txt** in the Command Line box, as described above in step 4.

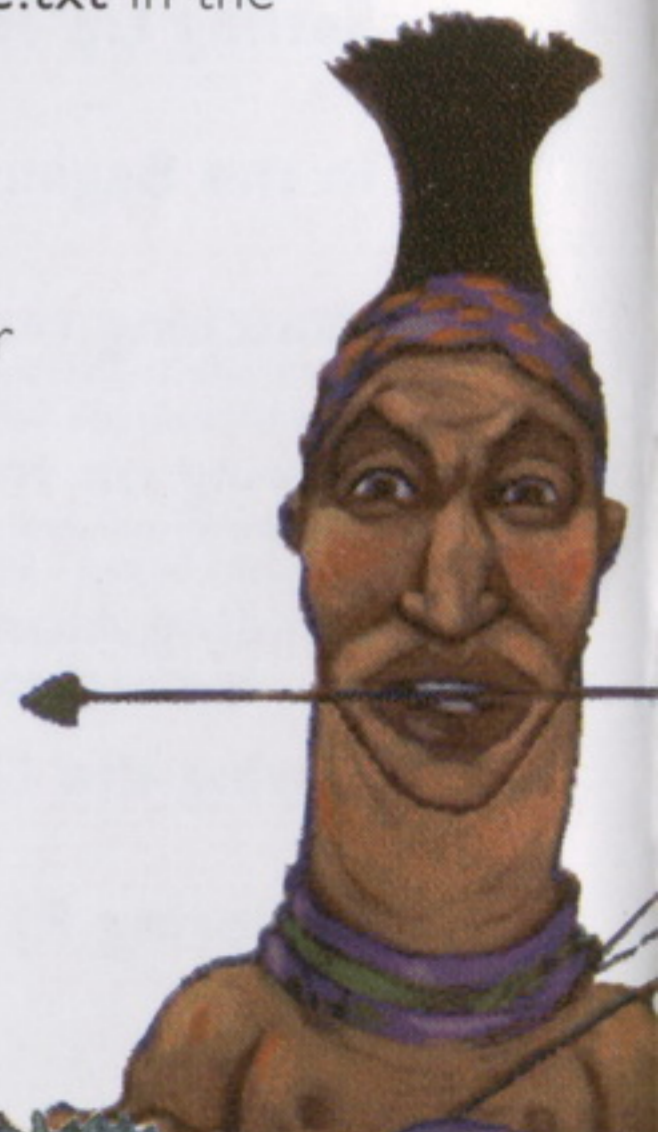


## STARTING

To start, double-click on the Rabbit Ears-Leopard icon in your Microsoft Kids program group. That's it!

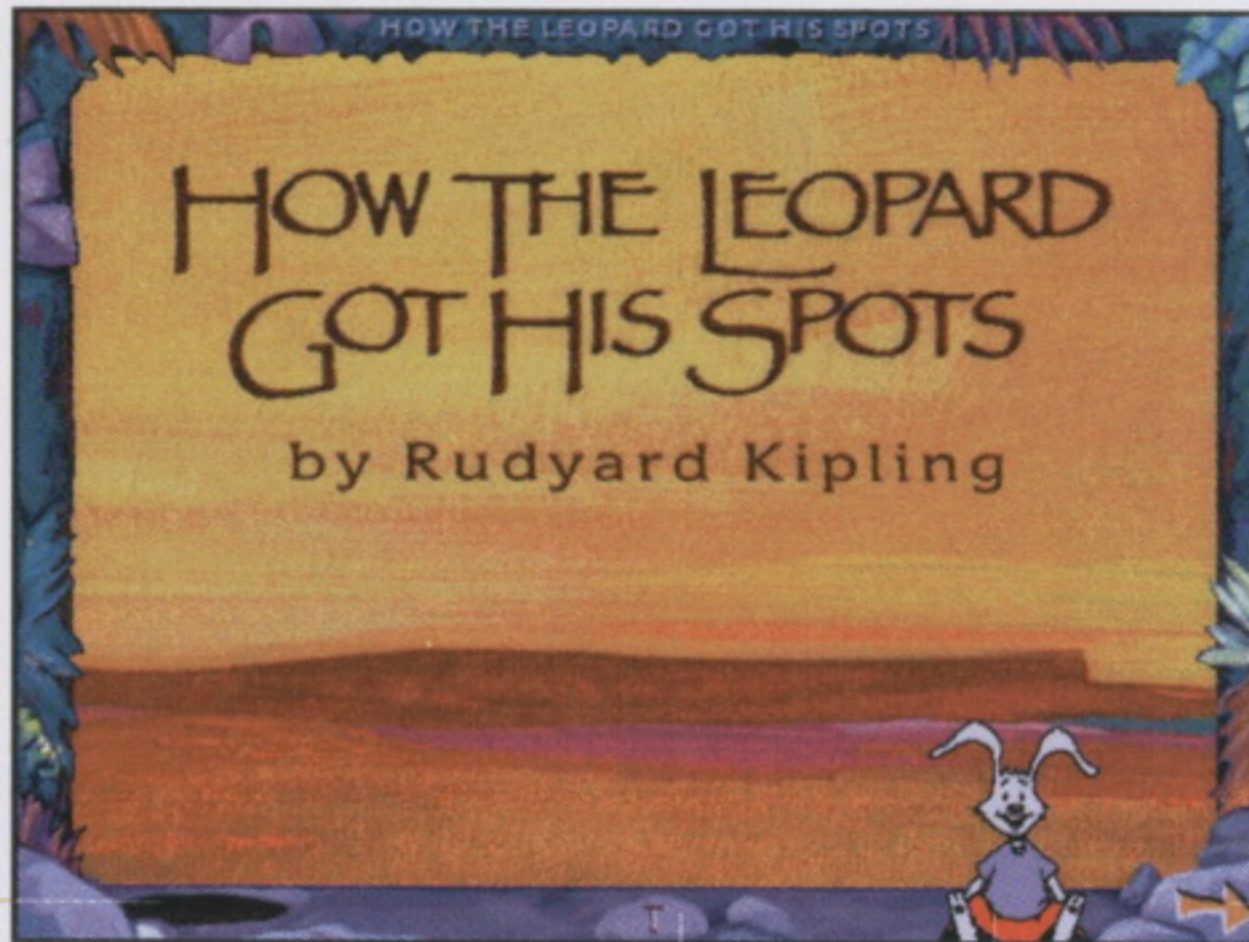
## QUITTING

To stop anytime, press ALT+F4



# IN THE BEGINNING

After P.J. Rabbit introduces himself, he'll take you to the Title Page, where you can get to all the fun.



Click on the Rabbit Hole to explore P.J.'s home.

Click on the arrow to start the Story from the beginning.

Click on the Rock to get the Hop-To screen, and go anywhere in the story.

Click on P.J. Rabbit to get Help anytime you want.

## SHORTCUT

To skip the introduction or interrupt something, press the spacebar or ESCAPE key on your keyboard.

# WATCHING THE STORY

Watch the narrated story unfold as Danny Glover reads to you, Ladysmith Black Mambazo makes music, and Lori Lohstoeter's beautiful pictures come to life. The story is told in 15 chapters.



*Click here to skip ahead to the Play Page before the narrated chapter is over.*

After each chapter is read to you, the last picture will turn into a Play Page. From the Play Page, click on the right arrow to go to the next chapter and continue the story.

# PLAYING ON THE PLAY PAGES

After each chapter is read to you, the story will pause on the last picture. This is called a Play Page.



Click around the picture for fun surprises! Can you find the Chameleon?

Click this arrow to go back to the previous Play Page.

Click the Rabbit Hole to go to P.J.'s home.

Click the Story Book to read along and see fun pictures, videos, and animations!

Click on the rock to go to the Play Page or game you want.

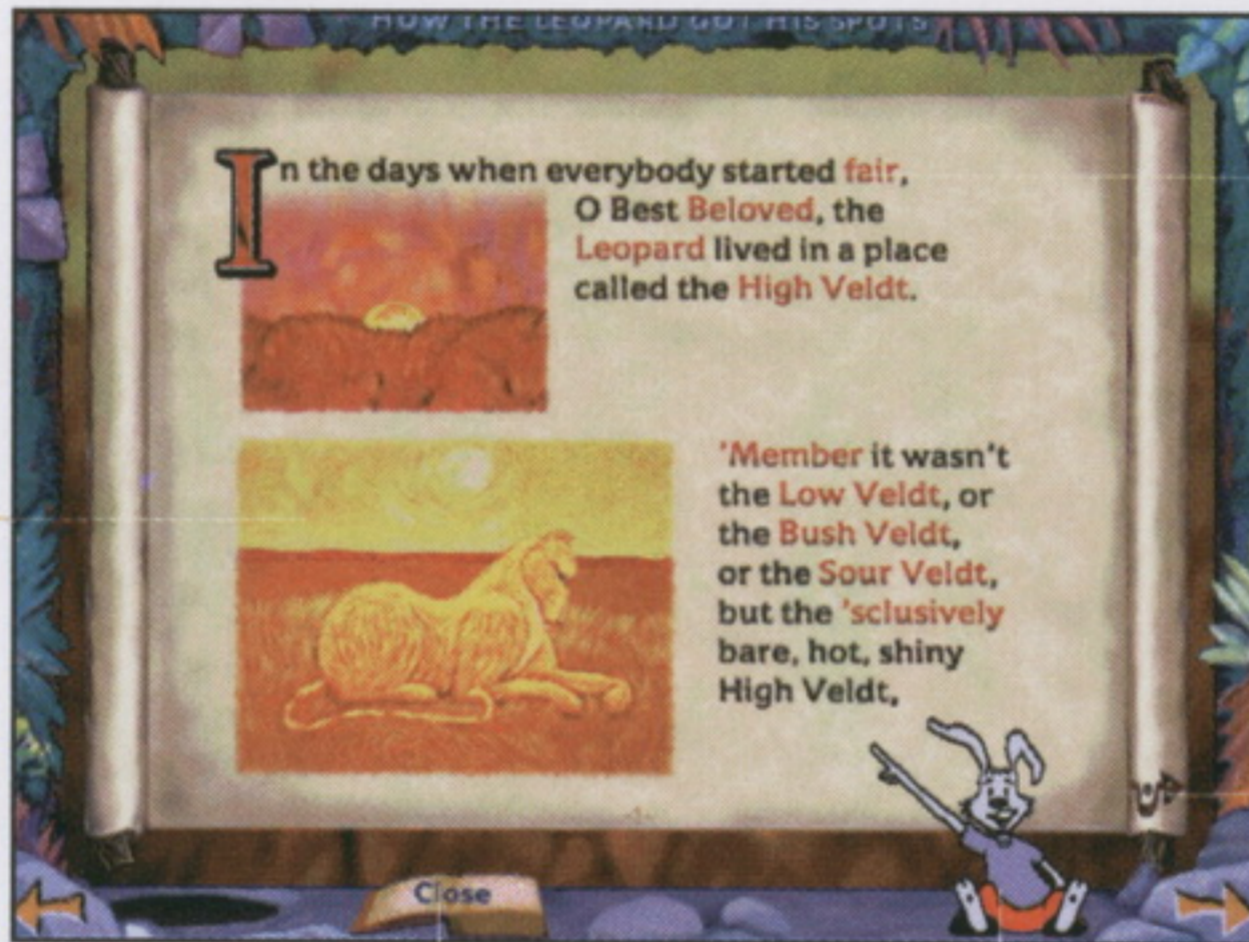
Click on P.J. Rabbit to get Help.

Click this arrow to have the next chapter of the story read to you.

# READING ALONG WITH THE STORY

Read along in the Story Book, and discover hidden pictures, videos, and animations!

Click on a picture to read along as the story is told.



Click on any word once to hear how it sounds.

Click again on a colored word to find out what it means, and uncover the hidden pictures, video, and animations.

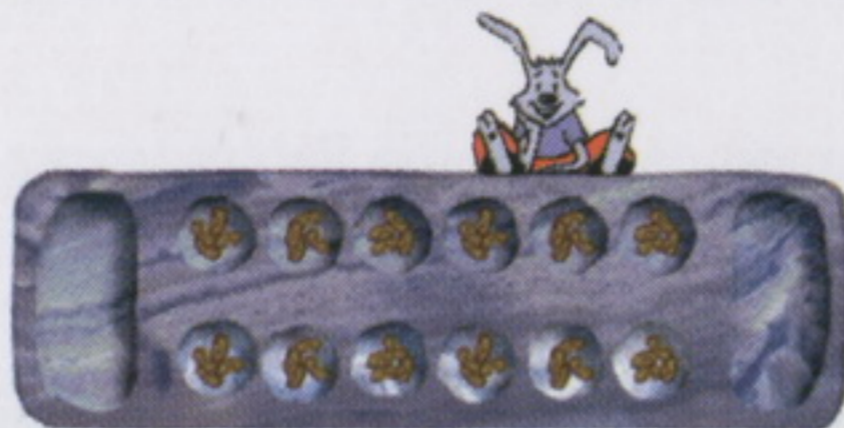
Click on the curly arrow to turn the page.

Click on P.J. for Help.

Click on the book to close the Story Book.



# PLAYING THE GAMES



There are four fun games in *How the Leopard Got His Spots*:

## **MANCALA**

Enjoy an ancient African game of skill that you can play with P.J. or a friend! Look on Play Page 3.

## **MUSIC MATCHING**

Match the pieces of music from Ladysmith Black Mambazo and uncover hidden surprises! It's on Play Page 6.

## **P.J.'S PUZZLE**

Play an old favorite. P.J. offers a variety of puzzles and four different levels of difficulty! Go to Play Page 9.

## **PAINT THE FOREST**

Learn about camouflage the fun way by painting the animals in the story. Find it on Play Page 15.



Ready to play a game? Just click on a Game Bag to open a game. The game bags are found on some of the Play Pages, in P.J.'s home, or on the Hop-To screen.

To close a game, click on the Game Bag again.

# EXPLORING P.J.'S RABBIT HOLE

Anytime you want, go on down the Rabbit Hole to P.J.'s home. Click around and see what fun things happen!

Click the ladder to go back to the last place you visited.

Click here to "hop-to" any Play Page or game.



Click on one of the Game Bags on P.J.'s bookshelf to go straight to that game.

Click on P.J.'s computer screen to quit.

Click on each of P.J.'s Big Books for more fun and learning. Once inside, try clicking on different pictures. To close, click anywhere outside the book.

Click on P.J. for Help.

## SHORTCUT

You can also quit at anytime by pressing ALT+F4.

# CONTACTING MICROSOFT PRODUCT SUPPORT

If you have a question about How the Leopard Got His Spots, first look in this booklet, click on P.J. Rabbit in the program, or click on the Rabbit Help-Leopard icon in your Microsoft Kids program group. If you cannot find the answer, contact Microsoft Product Support Services. Outside the United States and Canada, contact Microsoft Product Support Services at the Microsoft subsidiary office that serves your area.

In the United States and Canada, you can get product support in several ways:

**Information & Electronic Services:** No-cost and low-cost electronic information services are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, including holidays.

- **Microsoft FastTips**—(800) 936-4100 on a touch-tone telephone. Receive automated answers to common technical questions, and access a library of technical notes, all delivered by recording or fax.
- **Microsoft Download Services**—Access, via modem, sample programs, device drivers, patches, and software updates (1200, 2400, or 9600 baud; no parity; 8 data bits; 1 stop bit). In the United States, call (206) 936-6735. In Canada, call (905) 507-3022.
- **CompuServe**—At any ! prompt, type **go microsoft** to access Microsoft forums, or type **go mskb** to access the Microsoft Knowledge Base.
- **Internet**—The Microsoft World Wide Web site is located at <http://www.microsoft.com>.

**Standard Support:** No-charge support from Microsoft support engineers is available via a toll call Monday through Friday, excluding Microsoft holidays. In the United States, call (206) 635-7140, 6 A.M. – 6 P.M. Pacific time. In Canada, call (905) 568-3503, 8 A.M. – 8 P.M. Eastern time. For people who are deaf or hard of hearing using a TT/TDD modem, call (206) 635-4948 in the United States. In Canada, call (905) 568-9641.

When you call, be at your computer and be prepared to give the following information:

- The title of the product and the type of hardware you are using.
- The exact wording of any error messages that appeared on your screen.
- What happened when the problem occurred, and how you tried to solve it.

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