

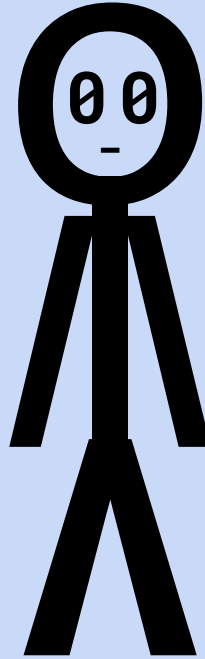
James' Life

A test-based science story.

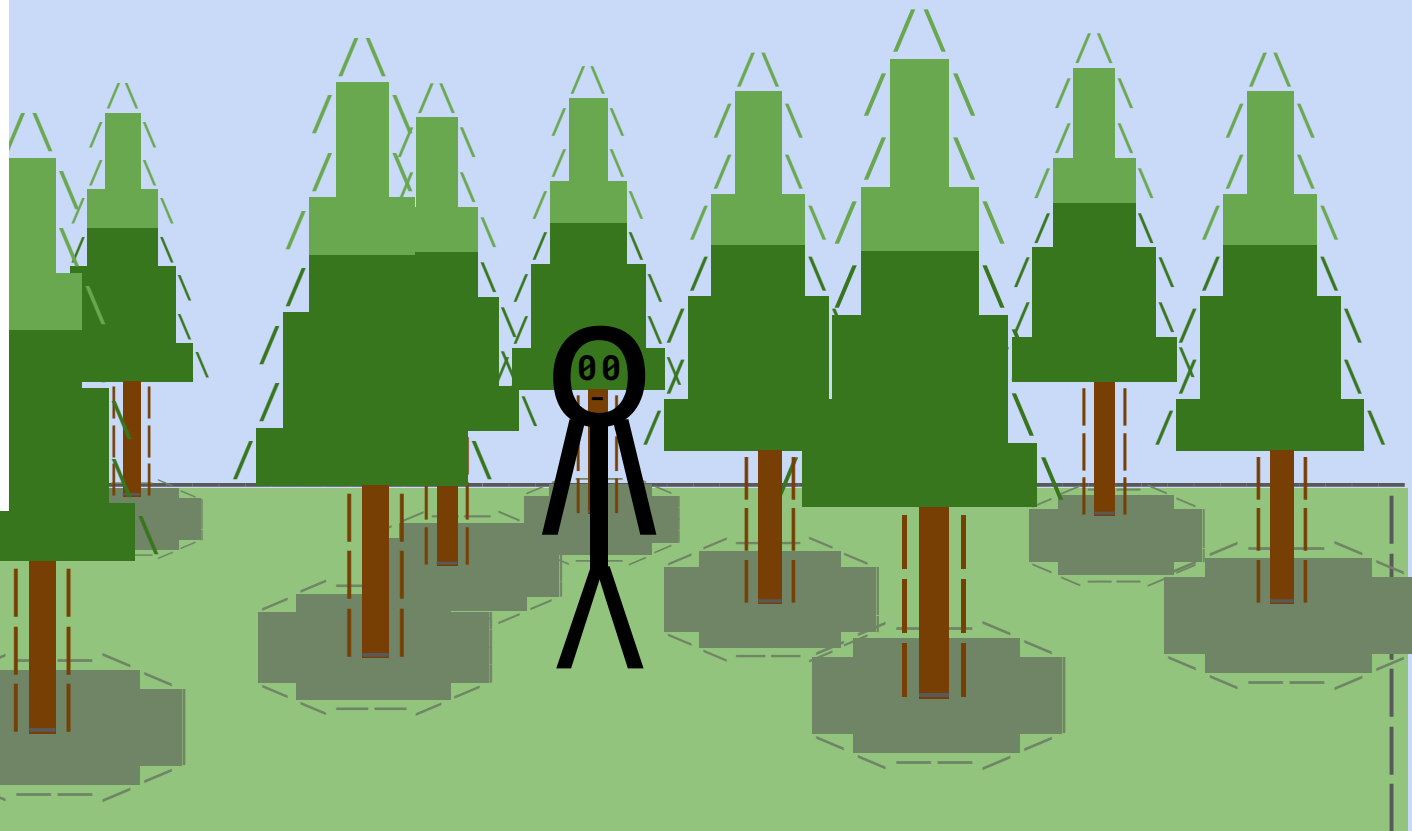
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This is James. James is a stickman. He has extreme senses and really quick reflexes (The alleles that James has for reflexes are [RR]). He is fast and clever, so no predator could ever catch him.

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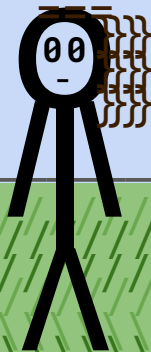
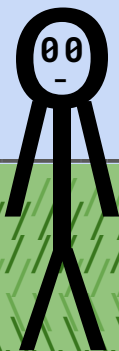


James lives in
a pine forest.
He is very
lonely. He is
bored of just
running away
from
predators. He
needs
something new.

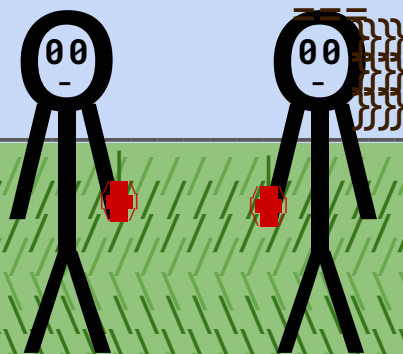


James walks
and reaches a
meadow. There
James sees
someone he has
never seen
before. Her
name seems to
be Natalie.

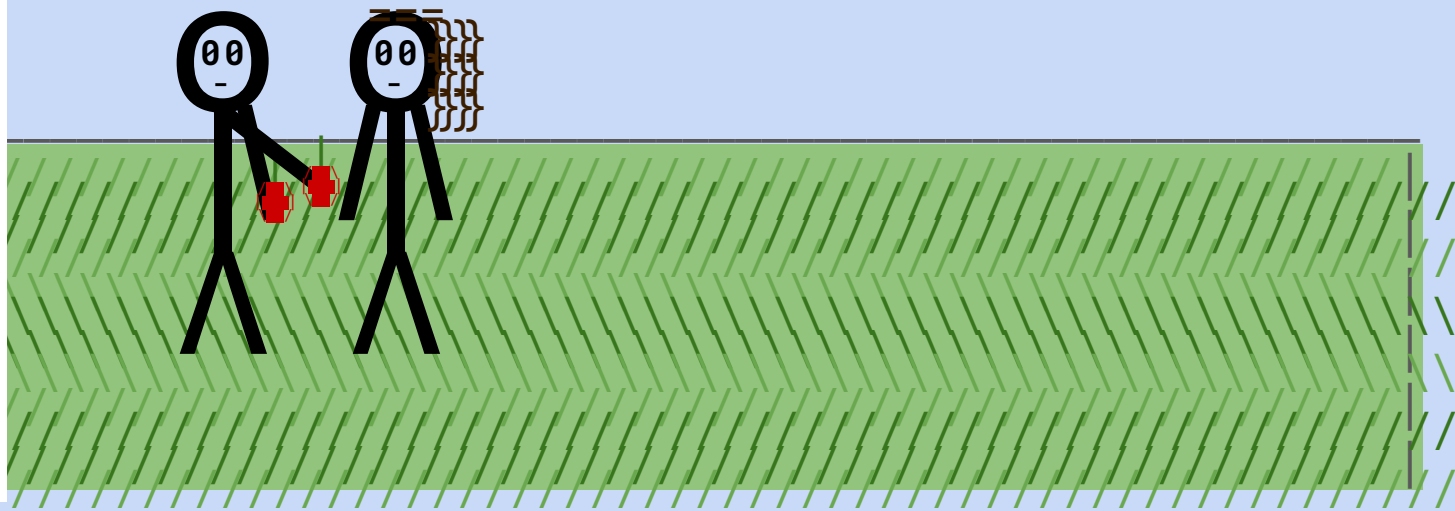
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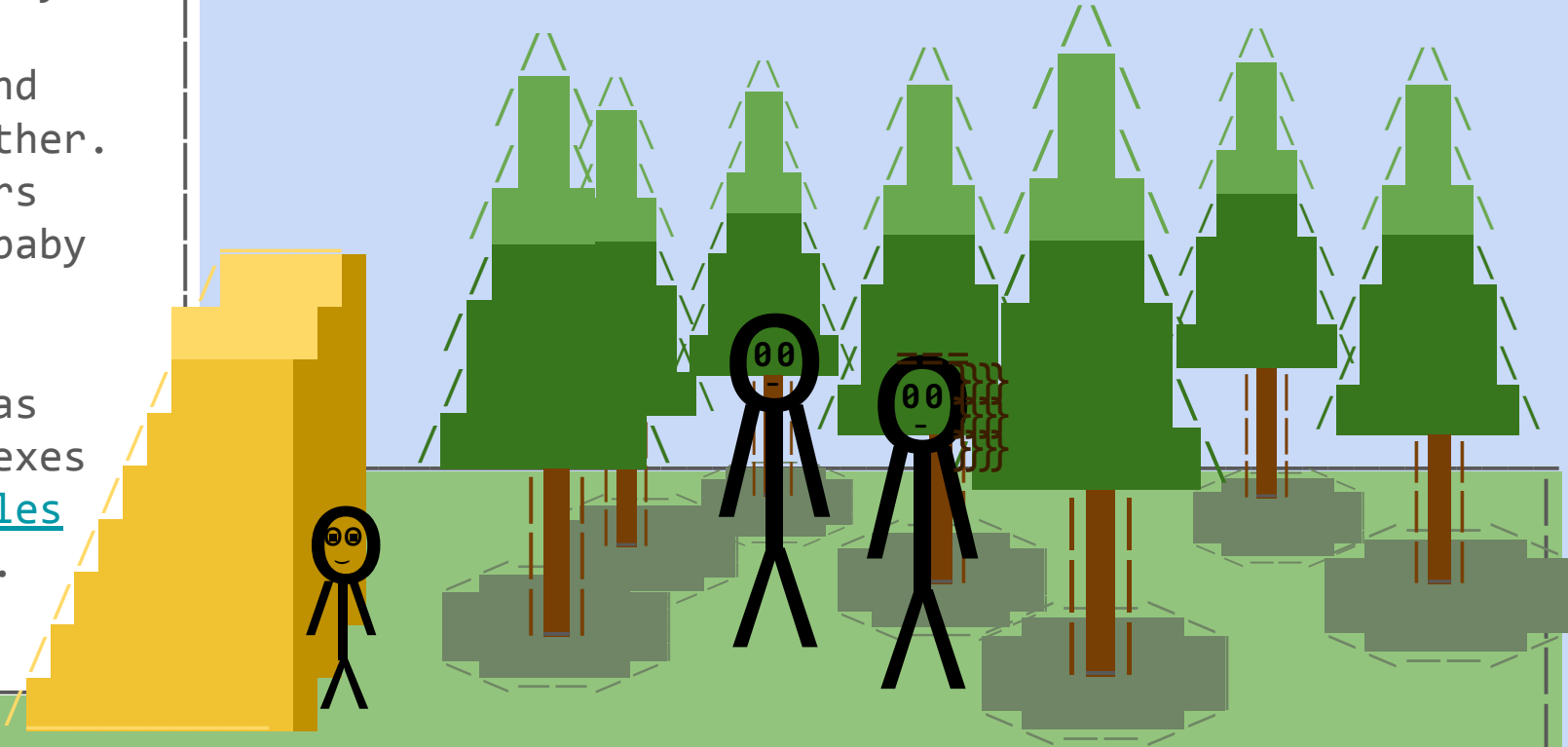
James wants to have kids with Natalie. But Natalie wants a competition. Each of them has to try to snatch an apple from the other's hand.



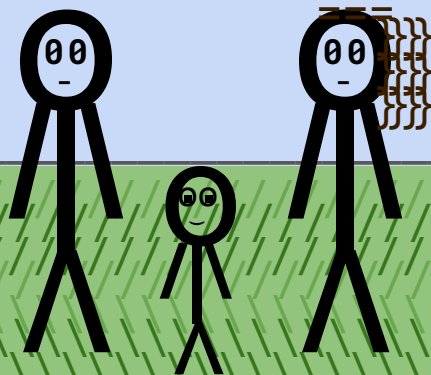
James is able to snatch the apple from Natalie, but Natalie could not snatch the apple from James. She is very impressed because she doesn't have fast reflexes (The alleles she has for reflexes are [rr]), so she decides to marry James.



They head on back to the forest. They set up a shelter and live together. A few years later, a baby is born. The baby, Robert, has good reflexes (His alleles are [Rr]).



James and
Natalie teach
Robert how to
avoid
predators.
Robert lives
happily ever
after with his
mom, Natalie,
and his dad,
James.



Info on Alleles

Alleles determine if an organism will have a trait or not. There are dominant and recessive alleles. Dominant alleles are written as an uppercase letter representing the dominant version of the trait. Recessive alleles are written as a lowercase letter representing the recessive version of the trait. There are three possible genotypes (combinations of dominant and recessive alleles): Dominant+Dominant (Homozygous dominant), Recessive+Recessive (Homozygous recessive), and Dominant+Recessive (Heterozygous dominant). Dominant genotypes give the dominant phenotype (having the trait), and the recessive genotypes give the recessive phenotype (not having the trait). Alleles can be inherited from your parents. A random allele from your mom and a random allele from your dad are combined to make your two alleles (a genotype).

Notes and Comments:

1. James and Natalie have weird eyes because I couldn't make them easily.
2. Their heads are transparent, I don't know how to fix that by only using text.
3. The resolution is low, I didn't want to type out a high resolution image by hand.

The Slash Alphabet

(Ignore this)

A

B

C

D

E