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Shaju, Mitu, Emon, and Jami are ready to play. Jami says, “Hold on! I’ll go get my ball.”



Jami rushes into his room.



Uh-oh! His room is a BIG mess!

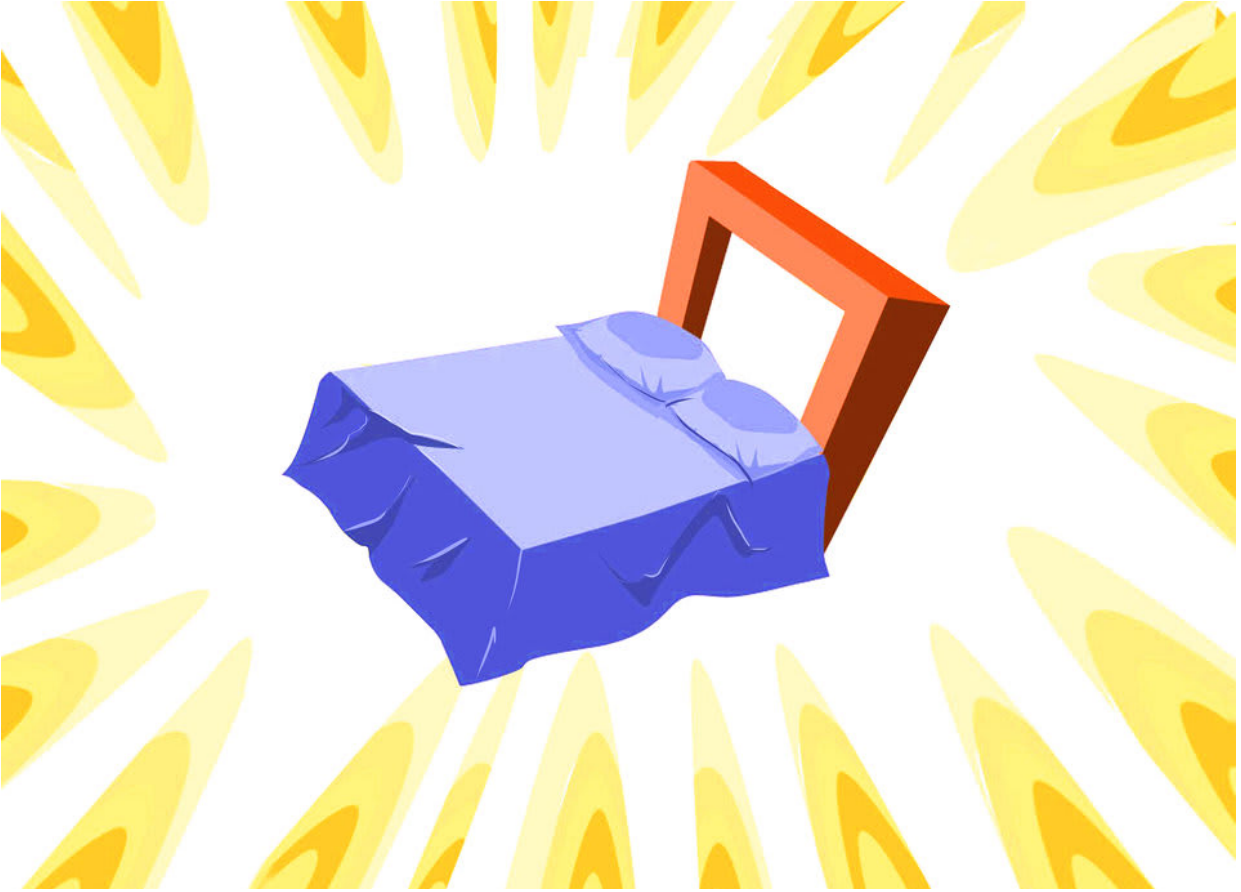


Where should Jami start looking for the ball?



Is the ball on his bed?





No, it's not!



Is the ball on his desk?



No, it's not!



Shaju calls, “Jami, hurry up!”



Jami yells back from his room, “ Hold on! I can't find my ball!”



Is the ball near the clothes rack? Is it under the clothes?



No! The ball is not here, either!



Shaju, Mitu, and Emon shout, “We're bored. We don't want to wait anymore! Jami, we're leaving!”







Jami is angry with himself. He can't find his ball anywhere! But his room is certainly looking cleaner...



..except for that box, up high on the shelf...



Look! Here's the ball!



The next day, Jami finds his friends.  
This time, the ball is ready for a  
game!



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The Lost Ball (English) Jami wants to play with his friends. But he can't find the ball in his messy room! How long are his friends willing to wait? This is a Level 2 book for children who recognize familiar words and can read new words with help.



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