



Max went to the library to pick up a book the librarian found for him. When he got there, the librarian wasn't at her desk. Max looked everywhere, but the librarian had disappeared. She had vanished into thin air!

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Vanished and *disappeared* mean the same thing. The librarian *disappeared*. She *vanished* into thin air. That means she is gone.

Say the word *vanish/disappear* with me.

Clap the syllables in *vanish/disappear*.

What sound is at the beginning of the word *vanish/disappear*? /v/, /d/

What is another word that begins with /v/, /d/?

Let's learn about how things can disappear or vanish. Point to the picture I'm talking about. Tell how each thing disappeared or vanished.

My cat disappeared. (went away)

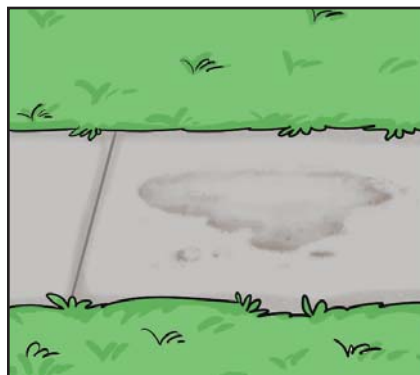
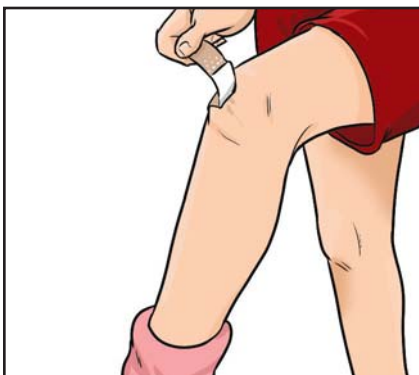
The scrape on my knee vanished. (faded)

The moon disappeared. (is hidden)

The water in the puddle disappeared. (dried up)

Dad's watch vanished. (is lost/hidden)

The airplane vanished from sight. (was far away)





Max left the library and rode to the fire station. Max didn't see any firefighters. They had disappeared!

"They can't be at a fire," thought Max.
"Their fire trucks are here. What's going on?"