

George was astounded. Sitting right in front of him was a most unusual creature. It was about the size of a large dog, yet it didn't have any hair. Instead it was covered in greeny-blue coloured skin, which was dotted with yellow spots. There was nothing threatening about the beast, and for some unexplained reason, George did not feel the slightest bit scared. The creature's face was friendly, furthermore George could see its scaly pink tongue lolling sideways out of its mouth, as it panted. Tentatively, George put out his hand and the creature licked it gently. As it was scaly, the tongue tickled and George couldn't help but giggle.