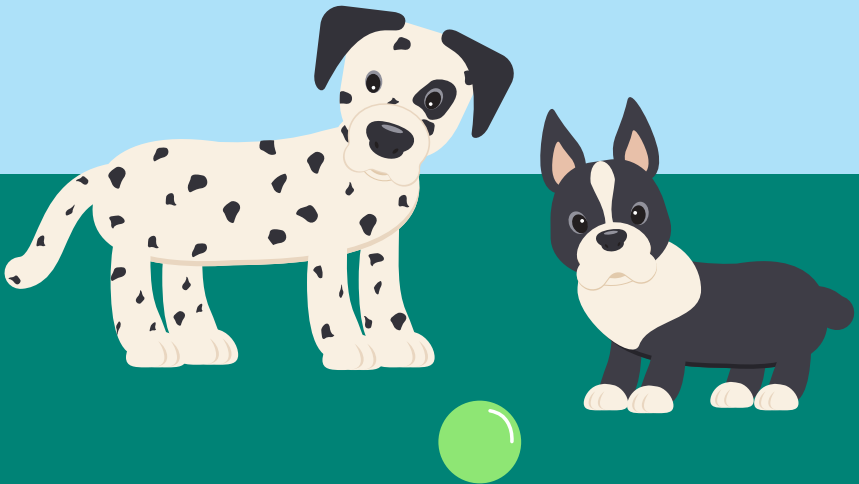




# Patch's Healthy Eyes.





“Patch’s Healthy Eyes” was developed with funding from the Advancing a Healthier Wisconsin Endowment at the Medical College of Wisconsin.

His story is meant to help children understand the vision screening process, how eye doctors can help them see clearly, and how glasses can help children learn and play.

From all of us at Prevent Blindness Wisconsin, we hope you love Patch as much as we do!

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This is Patch.

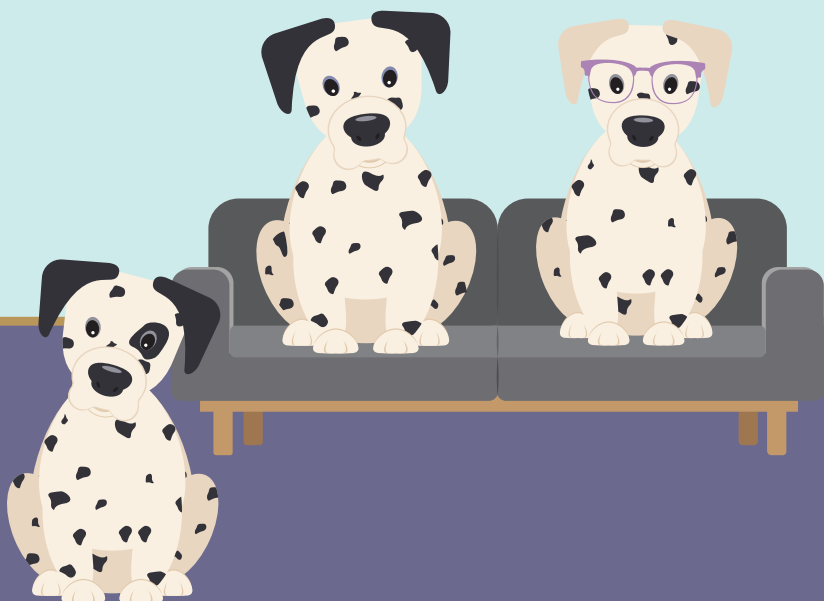


Patch loves to  
play ball with his  
friends at school.



But sometimes Patch's  
eyes have trouble  
seeing the ball.

Patch told his family.

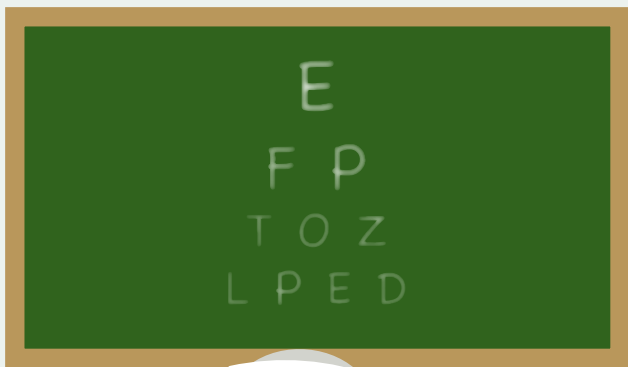


“Don’t worry,” they  
said. “You’re going to  
be vision screened at  
school tomorrow.”



The next day, Nurse Bark  
vision screened everyone  
in Patch's class.

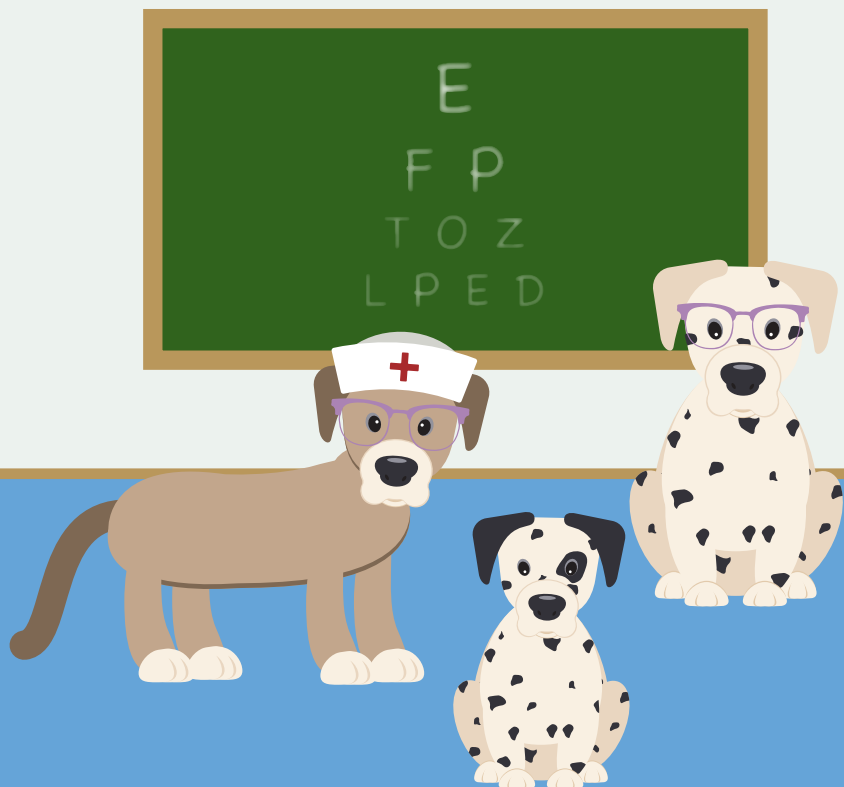
Nurse Bark found out  
one of Patch's eyes  
may not see clearly.



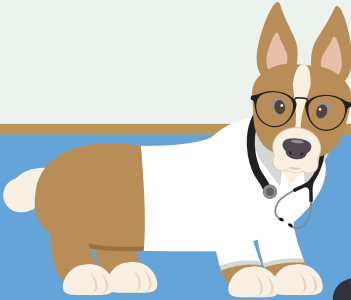
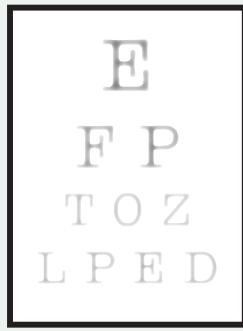
She called Patch's  
mom right away.



“I’m a little worried  
about Patch’s eye,”  
explained Nurse Bark.



“It is very important  
that Patch goes to  
an eye doctor.”

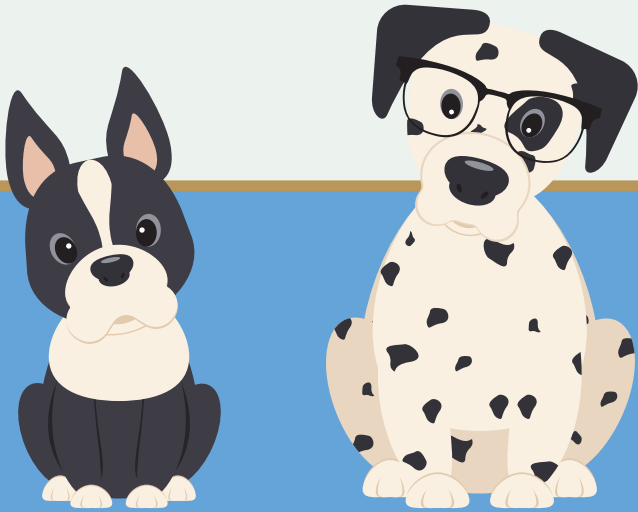


Patch and his parents  
went to see Dr. Paws.



Dr. Paws gave Patch  
glasses to help him  
see better.

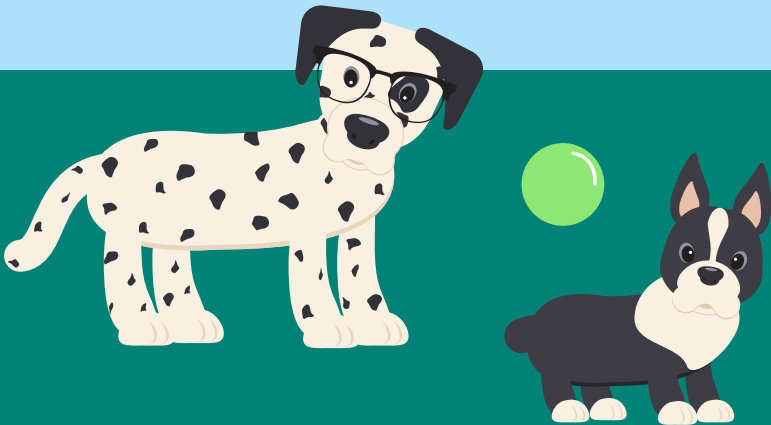
Patch went back to school. His friend asked about his glasses.



Patch said, “I can see, read, and play better when I wear my glasses!”



“Great! Can we go play?” said his friend.



Then they went outside to play, and this time Patch's eyes didn't have any trouble at all seeing the ball!



The End



Founded in 1958, Prevent Blindness Wisconsin improves the lives of children, adults, and families through early detection of eye conditions to prevent blindness and preserve sight. On-going vision screening activities and state-wide public health education lead to a lifetime of healthy vision. Our vision is for each Wisconsin resident to have healthy vision at every stage of life.

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Resources are available for parents, teachers, and everyone involved in the vision screening process.

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