

## THE STORY

Five people named Al, Ann, Art, Alice and Angela were involved in a five-car accident on the interstate. One of the five stopped suddenly to avoid running over a gigantic Norway rat crossing the road that the driver had mistaken for a stray cocker spaniel. Nobody was injured in the slightest, but all of the cars were damaged; they were damaged in the rear only, the front only, or both the front and the rear. The cars involved were a station wagon, a sedan, a convertible, a sports car and a minivan. The cars were all different colors; they were green, yellow, pink, purple and gold. The accident could have been avoided if all the drivers had been alert, but they all were distracted as they were eating something at the time of the accident. They were eating cookies, French fries, tacos, a sandwich, and potato chips. Based on the clues, match the place of the car in the accident with the drivers, the types of cars, the colors of their cars and the food being consumed.

## THE CLUES

1. The sports car was only damaged in the rear, and the sedan was damaged only in the front.
2. Angela ran into Ann, Ann ran into Art, and Al ran into Angela.
3. The yellow car ran into the pink car, the purple car ran into the gold station wagon, the gold car ran into the yellow car, and the person eating French fries in the pink car ran into the green car.
4. Alice did not drive a sedan.
5. Ann did not drive a convertible or eat cookies, tacos or potato chips.
6. The person eating potato chips ran into the person eating a sandwich, and was struck in the rear by the person eating tacos.

1st Car	2nd Car	3rd Car	4th Car	5th Car
Al	Al	Al	Al	Al
Ann	Ann	Ann	Ann	Ann
Art	Art	Art	Art	Art
Alice	Alice	Alice	Alice	Alice
Angela	Angela	Angela	Angela	Angela
station wagon	station wagon	station wagon	station wagon	station wagon
sedan	sedan	sedan	sedan	sedan
convertible	convertible	convertible	convertible	convertible
sports car	sports car	sports car	sports car	sports car
minivan	minivan	minivan	minivan	minivan
green	green	green	green	green
yellow	yellow	yellow	yellow	yellow
pink	pink	pink	pink	pink
purple	purple	purple	purple	purple
gold	gold	gold	gold	gold
cookies	cookies	cookies	cookies	cookies
French fries	French fries	French fries	French fries	French fries
tacos	tacos	tacos	tacos	tacos
sandwich	sandwich	sandwich	sandwich	sandwich
potato chips	potato chips	potato chips	potato chips	potato chips

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Pam, Pete, Paula, Parker and Patrice were standing in line waiting to board a bus. Their last names were Pot, Pott, Potts, Potter and Potsman. They all were carrying something different. They were carrying books, an umbrella, a sandwich, a toy boat and a hat box. They each said something different to the bus driver. They said "hi," "hello," "greetings," "nice bus" and "you're late." Based on the clues, match the order of entry with first and last names, what they were carrying and what they said to the bus driver.

**THE CLUES**

1. Each person had exactly the same number of letters in his or her first and last names.
2. Parker, who was not 2nd or 4th, poked Pam in the back and Pott in the chest with his umbrella as he boarded the bus.
3. Paula was not last on the bus.
4. The person carrying the hat box said "hello," and Pete said "hi."
5. The sandwich-carrying person said "you're late" to the driver and was not the first or last on the bus.
6. The person carrying the toy boat poked another person in the back and said "greetings" to the driver.

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Pam	Pam	Pam	Pam	Pam
Pete	Pete	Pete	Pete	Pete
Paula	Paula	Paula	Paula	Paula
Parker	Parker	Parker	Parker	Parker
Patrice	Patrice	Patrice	Patrice	Patrice
Pot	Pot	Pot	Pot	Pot
Pott	Pott	Pott	Pott	Pott
Potts	Potts	Potts	Potts	Potts
Potter	Potter	Potter	Potter	Potter
Potsman	Potsman	Potsman	Potsman	Potsman
books	books	books	books	books
umbrella	umbrella	umbrella	umbrella	umbrella
sandwich	sandwich	sandwich	sandwich	sandwich
toy boat	toy boat	toy boat	toy boat	toy boat
hat box	hat box	hat box	hat box	hat box
"hi"	"hi"	"hi"	"hi"	"hi"
"hello"	"hello"	"hello"	"hello"	"hello"
"greetings"	"greetings"	"greetings"	"greetings"	"greetings"
"nice bus"	"nice bus"	"nice bus"	"nice bus"	"nice bus"
"you're late"	"you're late"	"you're late"	"you're late"	"you're late"