

Is this your notebook ? *In search of Earnest*



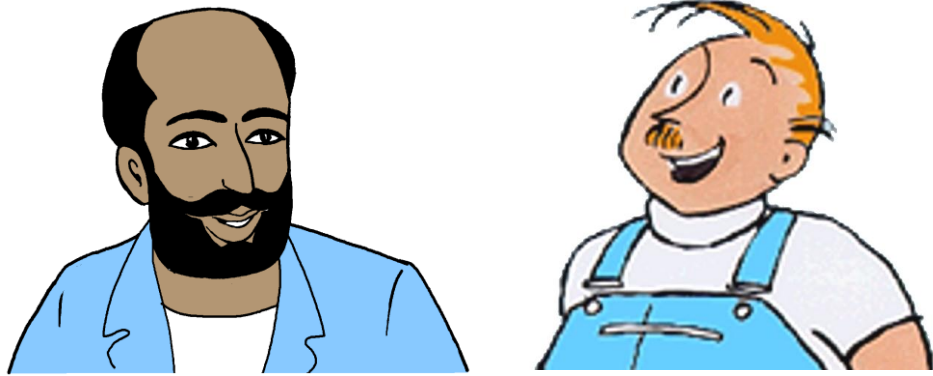
Receptionist: Hello. You are Mr. Patel? What is this about? You are **a** grocer in the old town? **An** ordinary grocer? Is that it? Ah yes. It is **a** shop beside Kelly's boutique. What is it you want, Mr. Patel? Earnest? Earnest who? Does he have **a** surname? That is **a** problem. Ah, there is **a** man in room 215, **a** small man with a moustache. I'm certain that I have found **an** answer to your problem. That's it. He is the cinema technician. I'll send him **a** message. Oh, you will bring him **a** message yourself? You can leave it at reception.... Good. Goodbye, Mr. Patel.



Mr. Patel: Yes, you are right, Miss. He has **a** moustache and is small. This is **an** emergency. I found some box in my shop. I think it is **an** important one. It has **a** diary in it. I am sure that Earnest has missed it. I found **a** card also which was of this hotel. It is **a** natural thing to do when you find something. I want to return this to the owner, **a** man who must be worried.



Is this your notebook ? *That's it!*



Earnest: Room 215? Yes! You have **a** message for me here at reception? Thank you Miss.

I lost **a** notebook. It was **an** orange one. It is **a** lucky break to find it. I had **a** real need for chewing gum and I lost **a** box with the notebook in it. It was **a** Mr. Patel who found it? Oh, very good. I know.

He is **an** Indian man who owns the shop. Very friendly. **A** gentleman. I had left the box for **a** moment and then I forgot it. But it's quite some time since I lost it. He must have found it **an** hour later.

I had great need of it. You have done me **a** great service. I owe **a** thousand thanks to you and Mr. Patel.

