

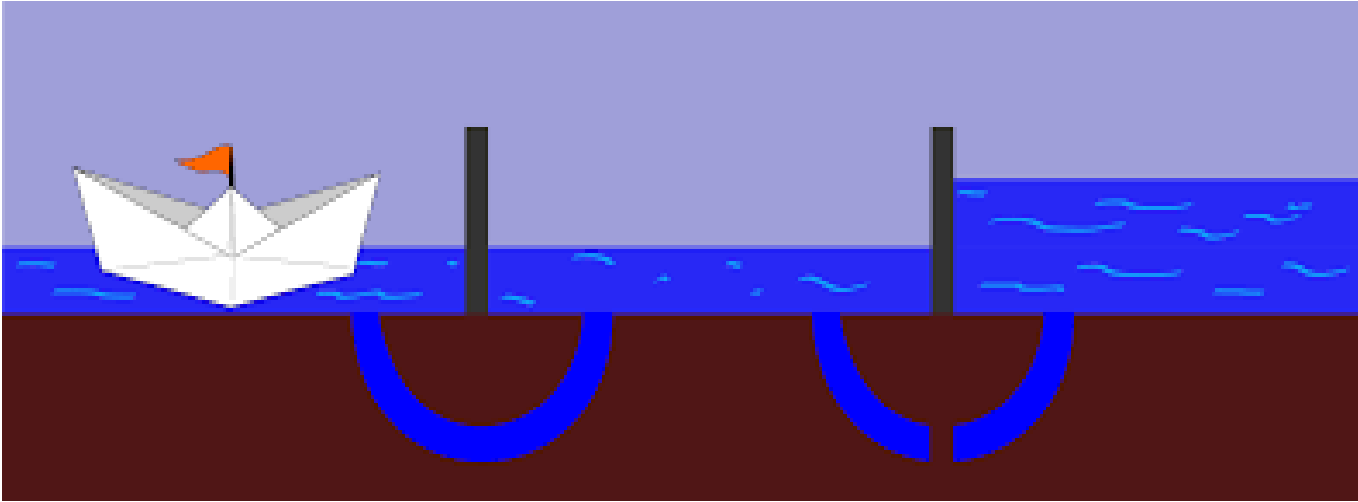
The background features abstract, overlapping green geometric shapes in various shades of green, creating a modern, layered effect. The shapes are primarily triangular and polygonal, with some areas appearing more translucent than others.

Rikki Tikki Tavi

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VOCABULARY PRACTICE

sluice



a drain, or to be rinsed with water



consolation



something that makes you
feel better

Brahm

the main god of the Hindu
religion
(Short for Brahma)



bungalow

a small, low house
with a large porch



mourning



feeling sorrow, grief, or
pain over a loved one's
death

gait

a particular way of walking;
an animal's stride



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Cunning (cunningly)



clever, intelligent, and wily
good at using manipulation to get
your way

fledglings

baby birds; immature and underdeveloped



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draggled



wet and dirty

revived

to come back to
consciousness (after
fainting or being
knocked out)

