

Look **STARTER**

A reading anthology for young learners

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STORY 1

Drive along, animal song



Drive, drive, drive along.
Come on now,
Let's sing a song!

Off we go,
You and me.
Sing along,
Lots to see!

What's your name?
Say hello.
Come on, horse,
Time to go!



Sing, sing, sing along.
Come on, rabbit,
Here's a song!



How are you?
I'm fine, thank you.
Come on, cow,
Lots to do!



Sing, sing, sing along.
Come on, cat,
Here's a song!



Sit down
And say hello.
Stand up, dog,
And off we go!

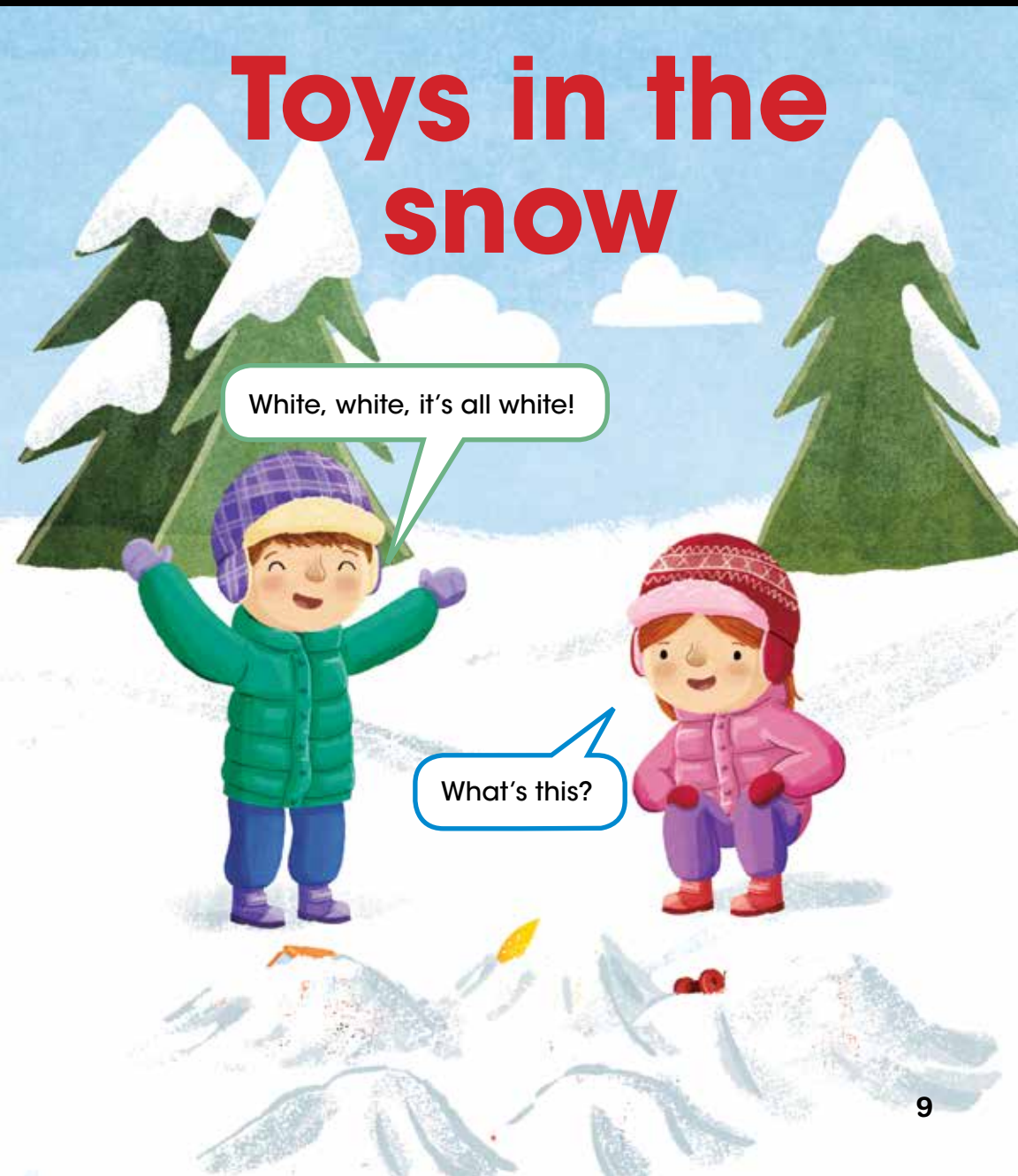


STORY 2

Toys in the snow

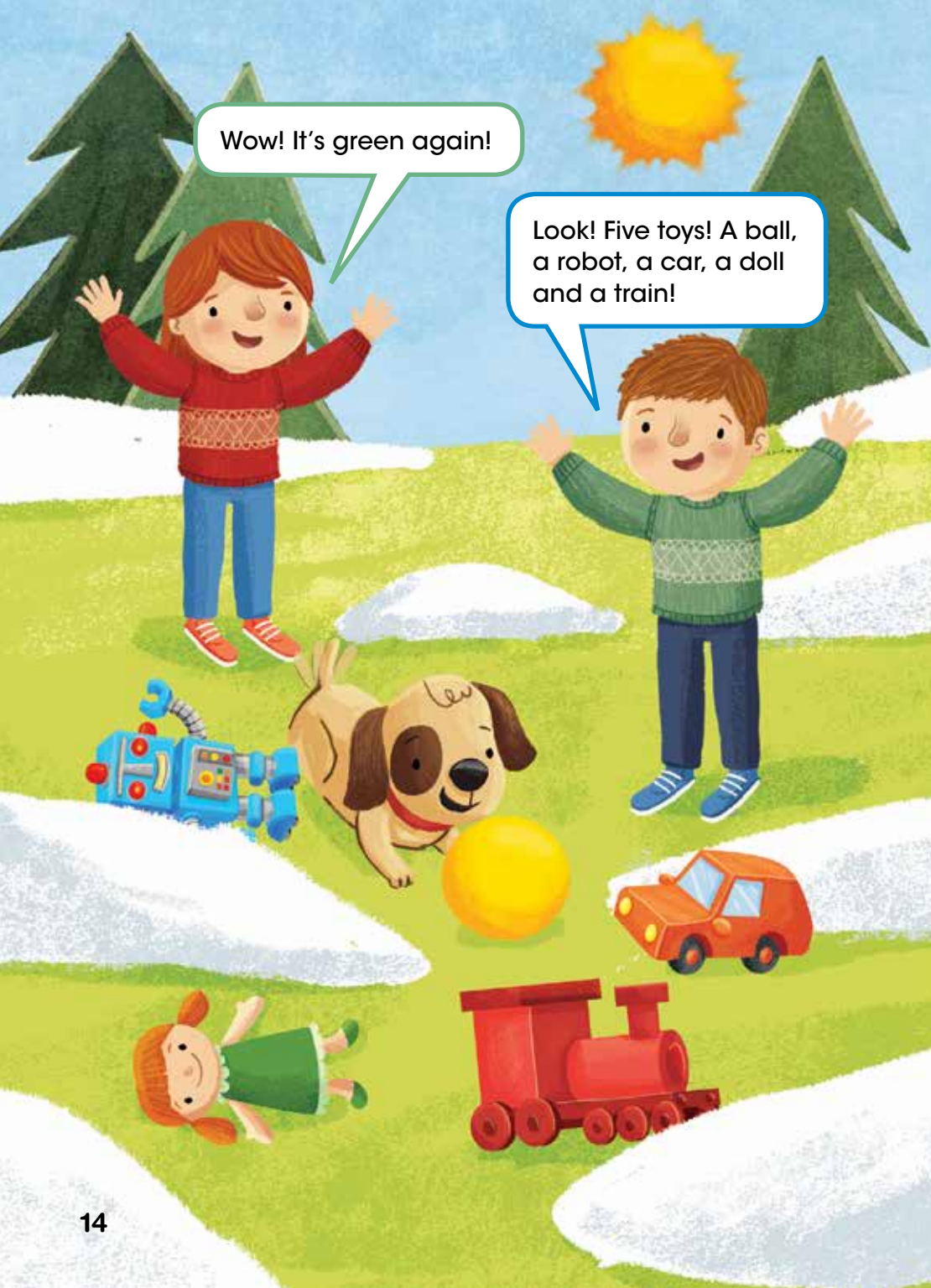
White, white, it's all white!

What's this?









STORY 3

It's lunch time









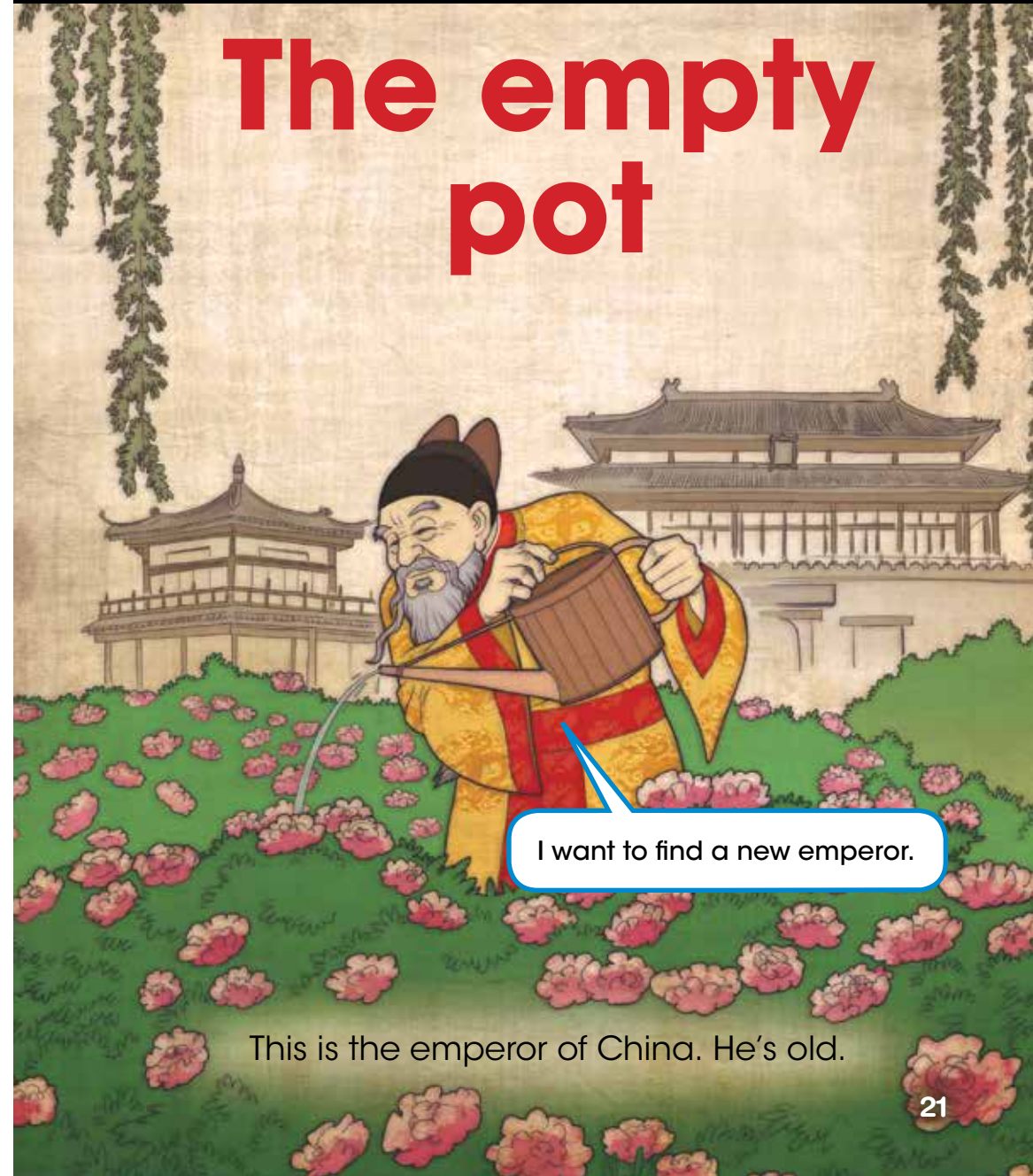
But this is water from
Dinosaur Mountain!

I want a glass of
water, please.

Me too! Delicious!
Thanks, Mum!

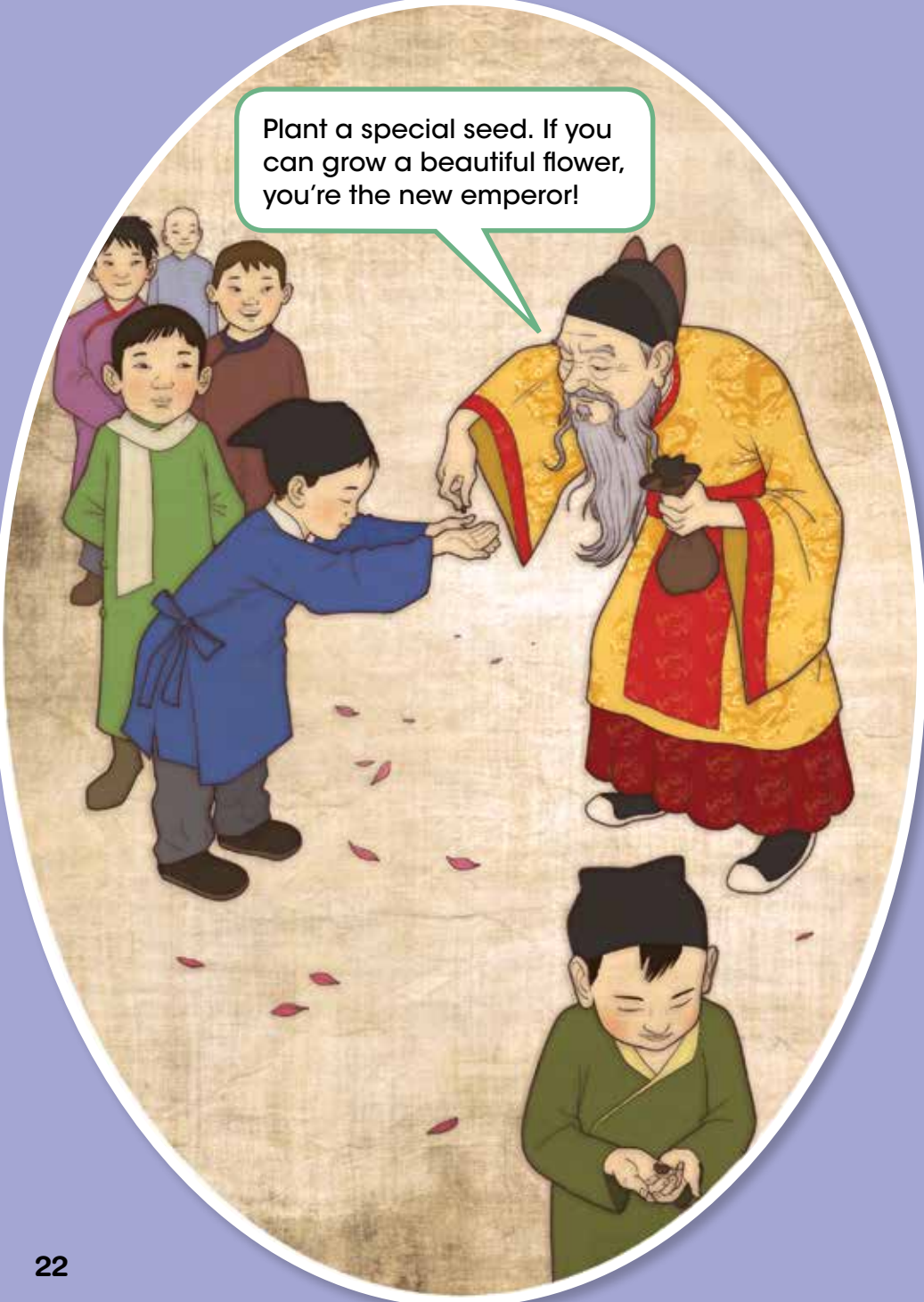
STORY 4

The empty pot



I want to find a new emperor.

This is the emperor of China. He's old.



Plant a special seed. If you
can grow a beautiful flower,
you're the new emperor!

Ping's mum, dad and brother help him.



I've got soil.

I've got water.

I've got a pot.



I'm sad. I want
a flower.



I've got a flower! It's blue.

I've got a flower! It's red.

My pot is empty.

The children have got flowers for the emperor,
but the emperor isn't happy.

Ping is sad.

The seeds are cooked! They can't grow. You're honest, Ping. You're the new emperor!



Muddy puddles!



It's Forest School today. Come on! Let's play!

I can run!



Look! Rain!
Pitter, patter, pitter, patter.



How many puddles?
Lots of puddles!



I can splash! Splash, splash, splash!



I can kick the water!



I can jump!



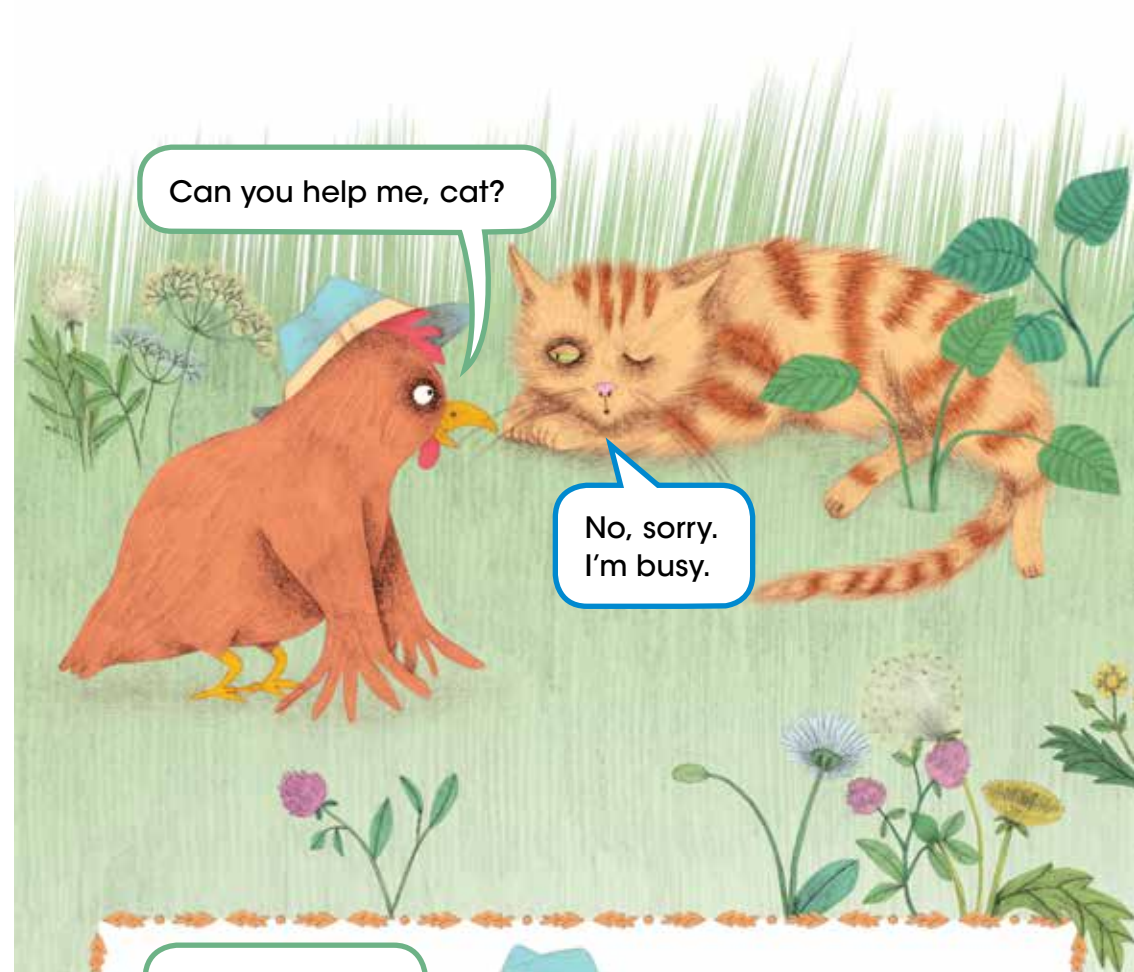
What a great day!

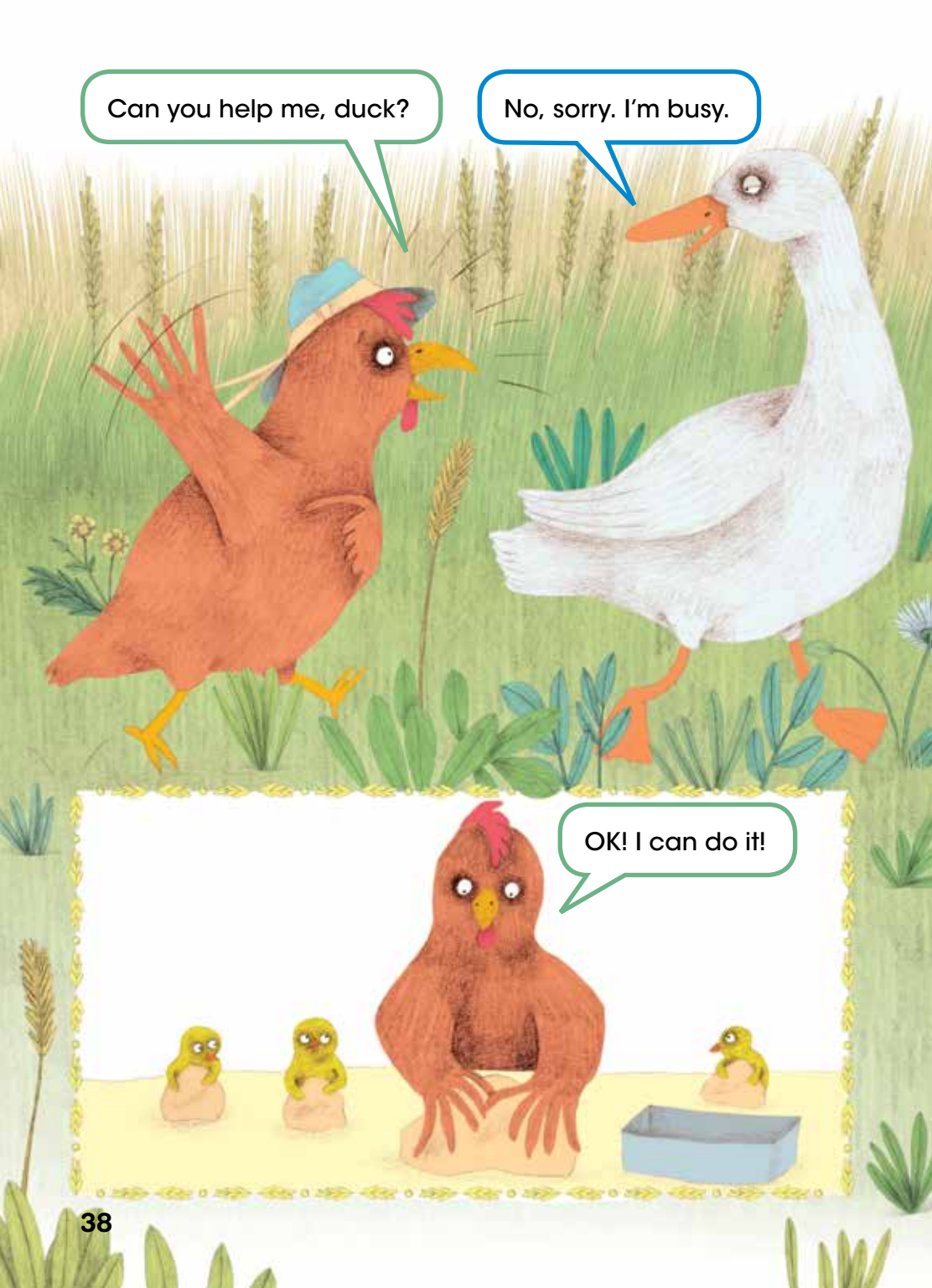
STORY 6

Little Red Hen

I can make bread!

Little Red Hen is busy.







I've got fresh bread. Who can help me eat it?



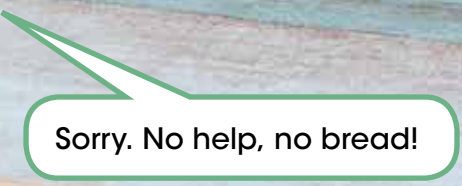
I can!



I can!



Me too!



Sorry. No help, no bread!

STORY 1 Drive along, animal song

Look and match.

1



Sit down.

2



Hello!

3



Goodbye!

4



I'm fine, thank you.

5



Stand up.

STORY 2 Toys in the snow

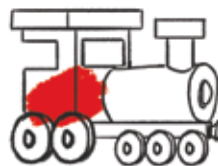
Look and colour. Circle.

1



It's a ball. It's **brown** / **yellow**.

2



It's a train. It's **white** / **red**.

3



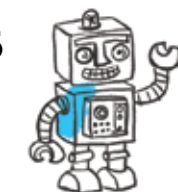
It's a car. It's **orange** / **black**.

4



It's a doll. It's **blue** / **green**.

5



It's a robot. It's **yellow** / **blue**.

STORY
3

It's lunch time

Read and draw 😊 or ☹️. Match.

1



I don't like milk.



2



I don't like rice.



3



I like chicken dinosaurs.



4



I like juice.



5



I don't like water.



6



I like bread.



A



B



C



D



E



F



STORY
4

The empty pot

Find and circle. Match.

This is my family.



1



mum

2



dad

3



brother

d	x	c	m	m	l	p	b	l	k
d	a	d	p	u	m	q	r	j	w
v	w	e	y	m	n	t	o	u	t
d	r	s	t	u	o	s	t	y	p
s	i	s	t	e	r	b	h	o	s
e	f	d	h	o	p	q	e	d	n
g	r	a	n	d	m	a	r	u	k
d	h	e	g	r	a	n	d	p	a

4



sister

5



grandma

6



grandpa

STORY 5 Muddy puddles!

Count and circle.

1



six / seven



2



ten / eleven

3



thirteen / fourteen

4



nine / nineteen

5



seven / eight

6



twelve / twenty

STORY 6 Little Red Hen

Look and circle.

1



I can / can't help.

2



I can / can't help.

3



I can / can't help.

4



I can / can't help.

5



I can / can't help.

6



I can / can't help.

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