

I want to win all the time!

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Alper (pronounced Alpair) is very curious, asks lots of questions, and according to him he has biiiiig problems. He'll show you how to solve your problems and have fun and go on adventures along the way.

What readers will learn from "I Want to Win All the Time!"

- To know the difference between different emotions.
- To check and control their emotions.
- To exert effort to achieve results.
- To feel like part of a group.
- To manage their relationships with others.
- To show tolerance.
- To grasp information about themselves and their families.
- To establish a relationship between cause and effect.
- To give effort.
- To have empathy.
- To express themselves verbally.
- To motivate themselves.
- To be compatible with their environments.
- To find solutions to problems.
- To observe the properties of an event.
- That everyone makes mistakes, and how to fix their mistakes.
- How to use English correctly.



Our hero Alper lives in a small town. It is a very green place by the sea. His closest friend is that Kitty on his back, Cartoony. And his twin sister Burcu, of course, but she is not in this story. She stayed with her aunt that weekend. If you only knew what happened... Come on, let's turn the page, and you can learn Alper's story too!



Alper woke to a loud, **"COCK-A-DOODLE-DOO!"**

"Red rooster, you're early today." He put his pillow over his head and tried to go back to sleep. But the rooster continued to crow.



"I guess that's it. There's no escaping you."

He said, taking the pillow off of his head.



Delicious smells were coming from the kitchen.

"Mmm, I guess my mom made omelettes for breakfast." He thought.

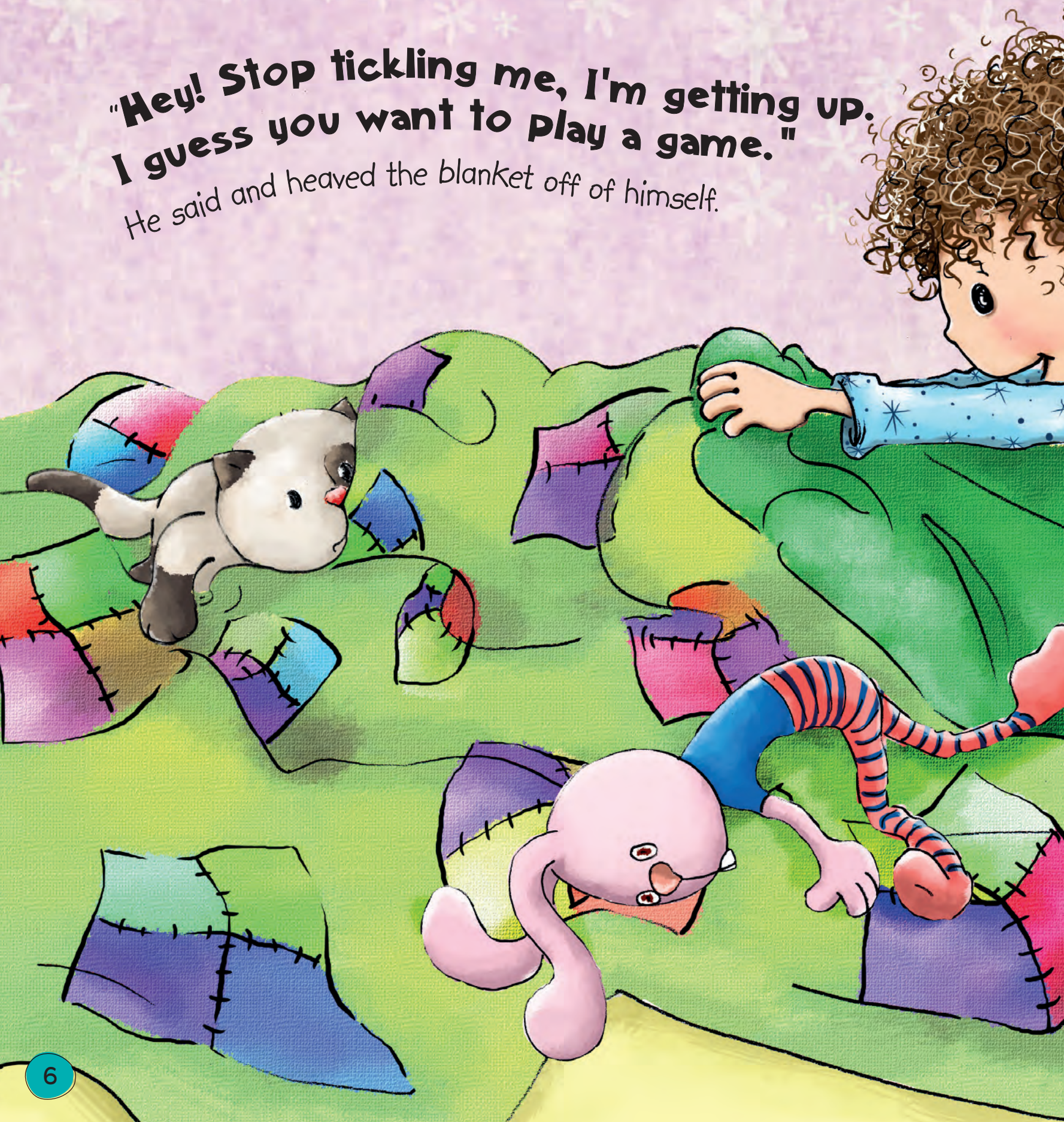
At that moment the door opened very slowly, and in come Alper's cat, Cartoony.



Alper pretended to sleep and pulled the blanket over himself. Cartoony silently approached the blanket. He lifted the blanket with his head. He started to tickle Alper's nose with his tail.

**"Hey! Stop tickling me, I'm getting up.
I guess you want to play a game."**

He said and heaved the blanket off of himself.

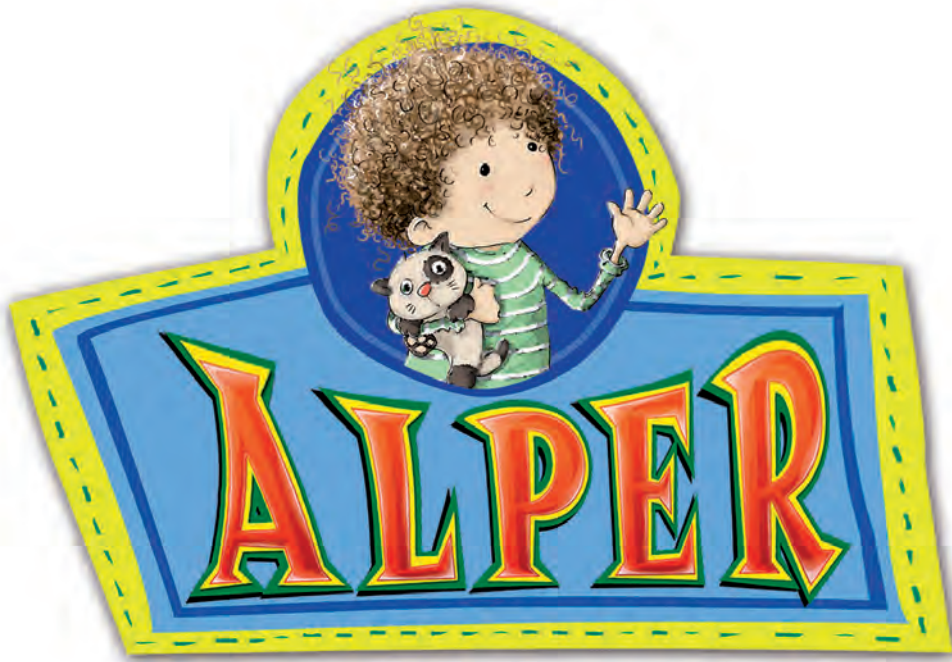


"Now I've got you!"

He shouted joyfully.

At that moment Cartoony was looking at him from the other end of the blanket. Alper had caught his own foot!





Do I have to go to School?

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**What readers will learn to do from
"Do I have to go to school?"**

- To know the difference between different emotions.
- To check and control their emotions.
- To manage their relationships with others.
- To show tolerance.
- To grasp information about themselves and their families.
- To establish a relationship between cause and effect.
- To give effort.
- To have empathy.
- To express themselves verbally.
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- To observe the properties of an event.
- That everyone makes mistakes, and learning how to fix their mistakes.
- How to use english correctly.





Come and let's meet Alper's grandpa. His name is Hasan. Grandpa Hasan has snow-white hair and a snow-white beard. Alper loves to call him **"My cotton grandpa."**

Grandpa Hasan always wears a sailor's hat because he used to be a captain. For years he traveled to many countries. Alper loves to spend time with his grandpa.



The summer season had finished. Autumn had left rain where there used to be hot weather. The time for school to begin had come again.

"Hooray! School is coming! I really miss my friends."

Alper said to his cat, Cartoony.

Cartoony was sad because the beginning of school meant he would see Alper less. He hung his head and meowed unhappily.

"Meooow!"



Alper's mom brought him new things for school.

Alper said,

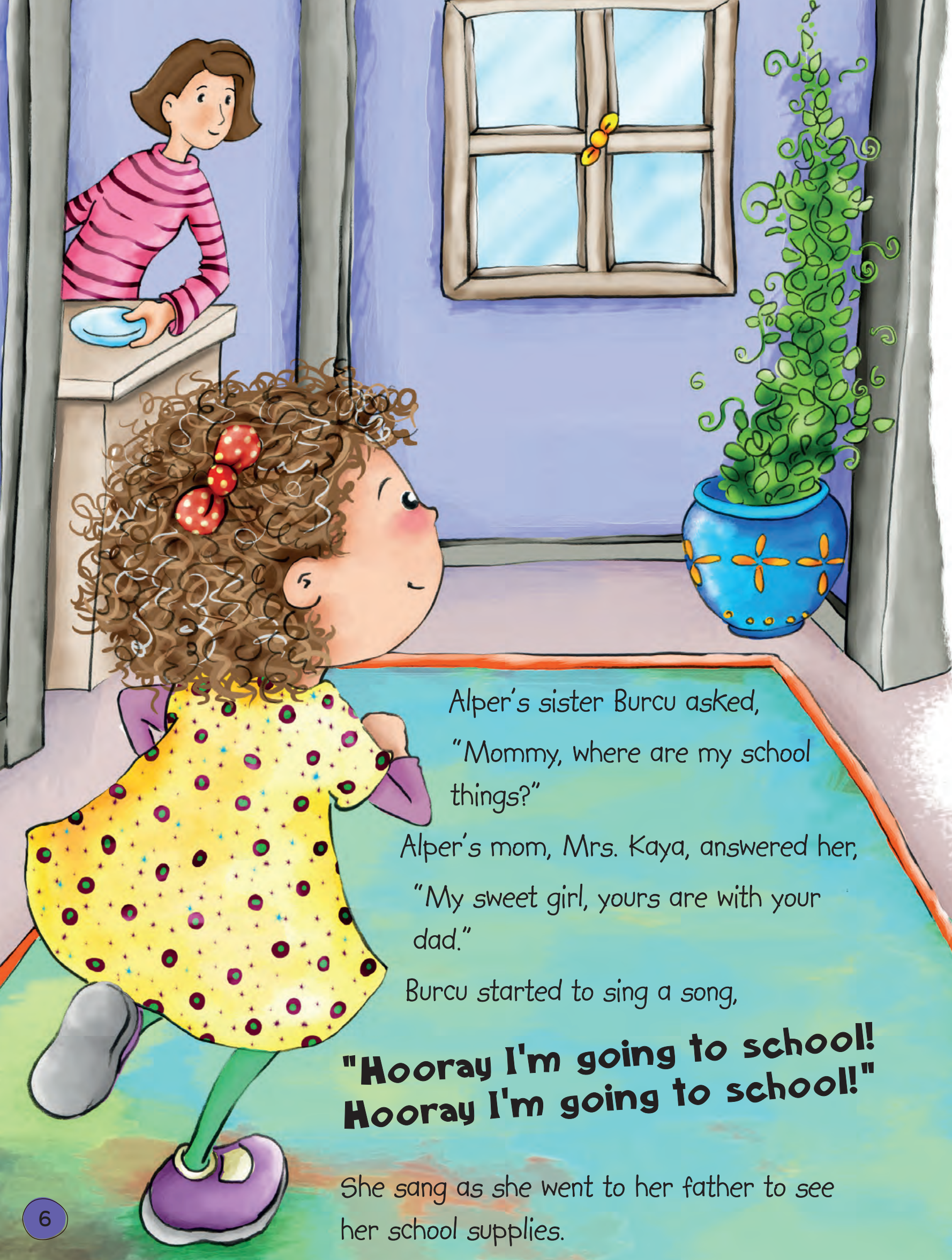
"New books and pens, hooray, hooray!"

as he opened the bags right away.

Cartoony moped and moped as he curled up on his mat.

To cheer up Cartoony, Alper said,
"Don't be sad buddy, we'll still
play our games."





Alper's sister Burcu asked,
"Mommy, where are my school
things?"

Alper's mom, Mrs. Kaya, answered her,
"My sweet girl, yours are with your
dad."

Burcu started to sing a song,

**"Hooray I'm going to school!
Hooray I'm going to school!"**

She sang as she went to her father to see
her school supplies.

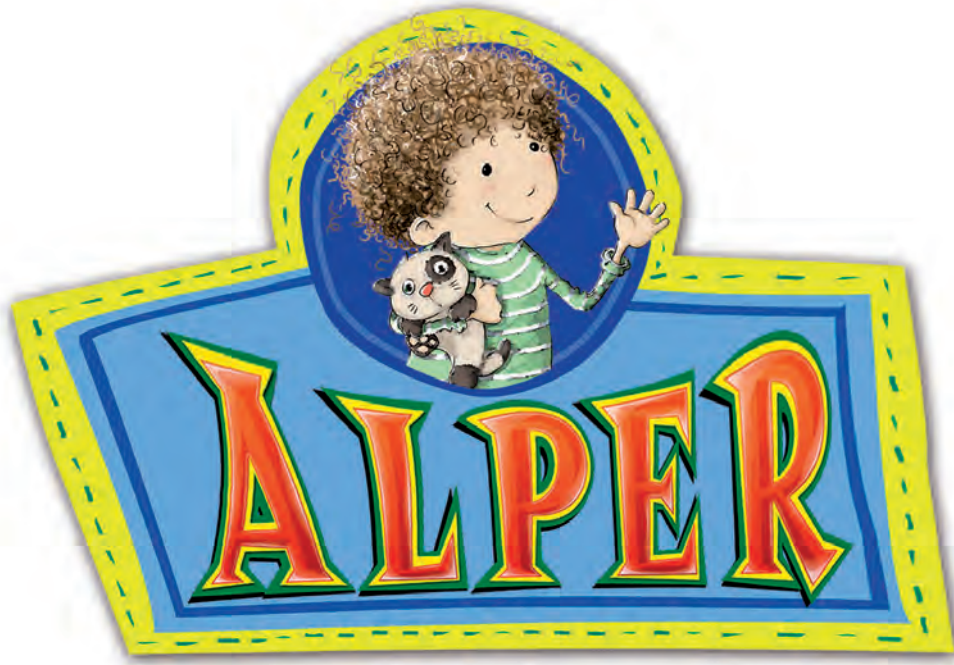


Cartoony started to play with a fluffy ball.



Cartoony loved the ball a lot and started to roll here and there playing with it.





Can't all the Toys be Mine?



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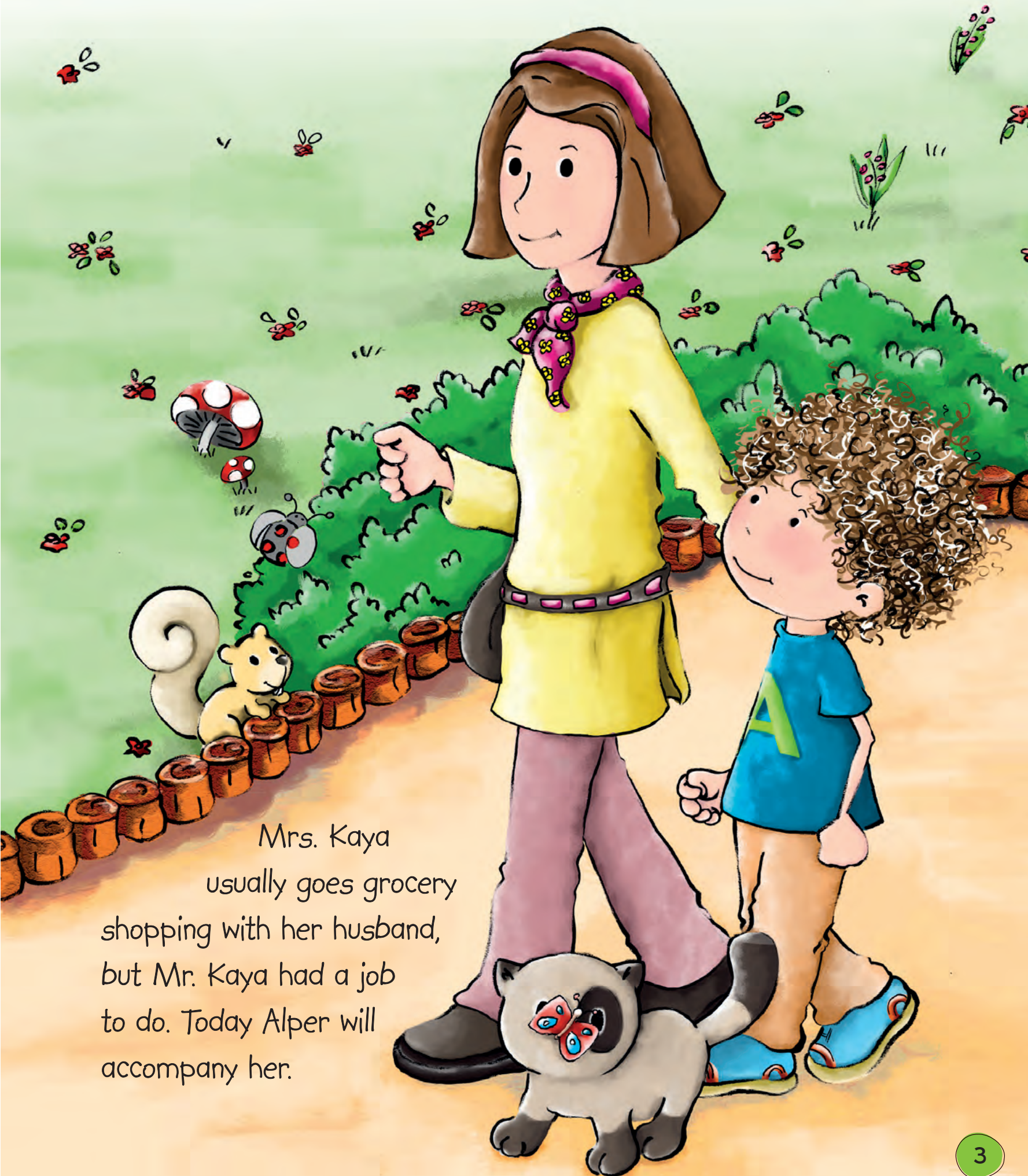
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**What readers will learn from
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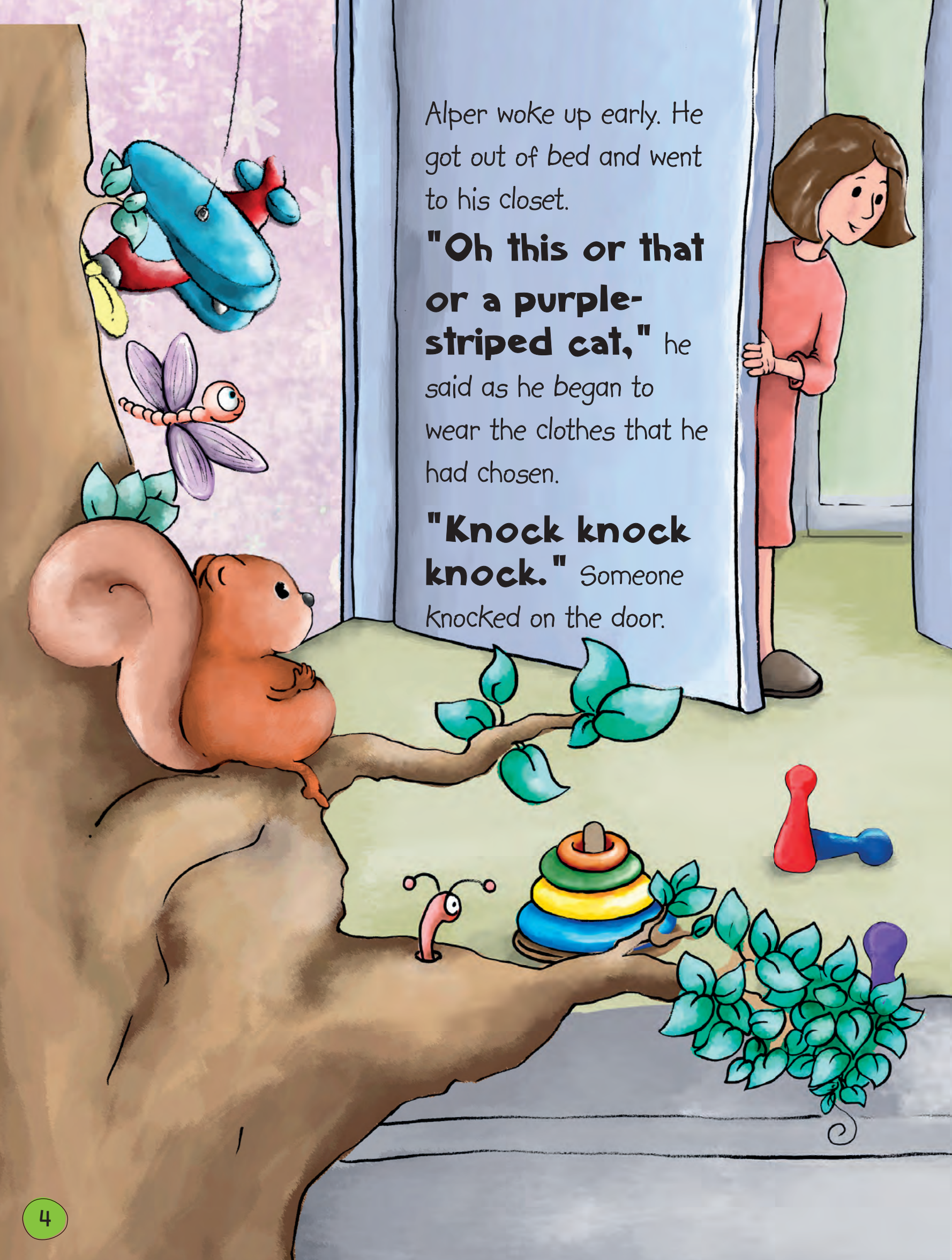
- To understand the value of being the owner of something.
- To know the difference between different emotions.
- To check and control their emotions.
- To manage their relationships with others.
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Now it is time to meet Alper's mom, Mrs. Kaya.



Mrs. Kaya usually goes grocery shopping with her husband, but Mr. Kaya had a job to do. Today Alper will accompany her.



Alper woke up early. He got out of bed and went to his closet.

"Oh this or that or a purple-striped cat," he said as he began to wear the clothes that he had chosen.

"Knock knock knock." Someone knocked on the door.

Mrs. Kaya had a notebook in her hand.
"Alper my sweet, we are going to go shopping. If you need anything, write it down in this notebook."



Alper took his notebook and said,

**"I'll draw the things I need!
That will be a fun thing to do."**



He counted on his hand as he drew his pictures.

"Colored pencils, a pencil sharpener, clay, ice cream, chocolate, balloons, toy cars, a plane..."

His mother ended the list.

"Alright that's enough..."

She smiled as she said,

"Alper, we can only get things that are necessary. Lets take a look: colored pencils, a pencil sharpener, clay, chocolate and a balloon."



She said with a wink. Alper protested,

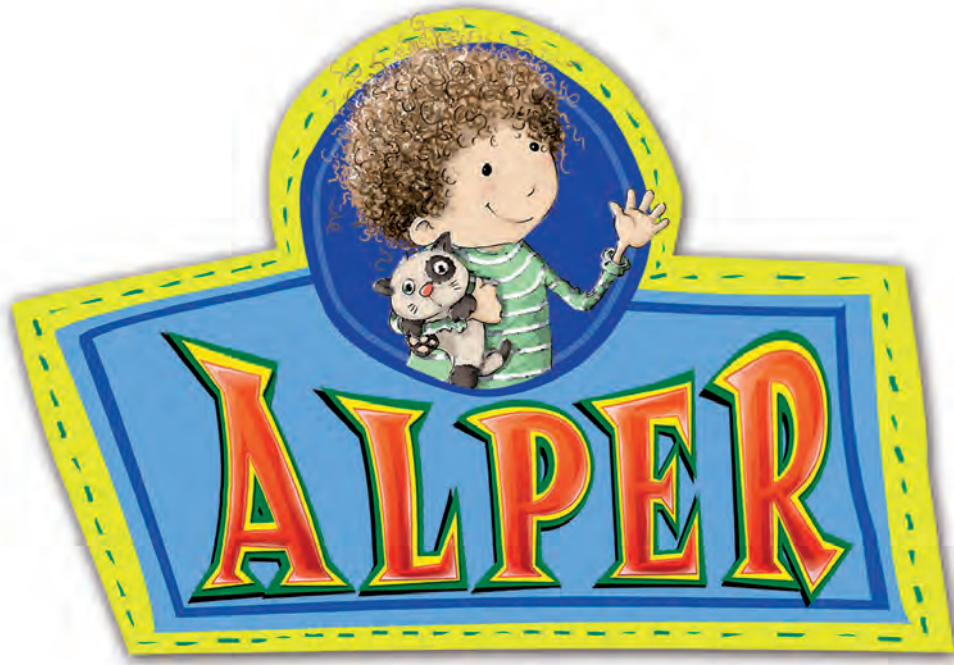
"but for me they are all necessary."

His mother shook her head,

"No they are not, Alper. There are many things on this list that we don't need."

Alper insisted while knowing he wouldn't be able to change his mother's mind. He didn't want to but he began revising his list.





Do I have to eat all my food?

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What readers will learn from "Do I have to Eat All my Food?"

- To know the differences between different emotions.
- To check and control their emotions.
- To know which types of food to eat.
- To manage their relationships with others.
- To show tolerance.
- To grasp information about themselves and their families.
- To establish a relationship between cause and effect.
- To give effort.
- To have empathy.
- To express themselves verbally.
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- To find solutions to problems.
- To observe the properties of an event.
- That trying new things can be a great experience.
- How to use english correctly.





Alper's aunt, Mrs. Nergis says

"Helloooo" to you from her cottage.

She lives in a cottage that is a little bit far from Alper, because she really loves animals and growing fruits and vegetables.

It was a very exciting day because Alper and his family were going to visit Aunt Nergis. Alper and Burcu started to get ready. They wanted to wear their best clothes to visit their aunt. Alper chose some overalls for himself. Burcu wore a plaid dress.

The newest member of the family, a parrot named Giggles, was flying around their heads saying, "**come on, come on, come on.**"



Their father had gotten Giggles for Burcu last week.



While the two siblings were getting ready, Cartoony was trying to carry his blanket into the car, because he didn't like to sleep on the grass.

Alper said,

"Don't worry Cartoony, Aunt Nergis has lots of colorful blankets. You don't need that." But Cartoony kept trying to pull the blanket.



Alper and Burcu
shouted,

"We're ready!"

And went running to
their father.



When their father saw Cartoony with the blanket he joked.

"Cartoony, there is no room for your blanket!"

Cartoony meowed sadly. Then he turned and walked right
for the house and sulked.



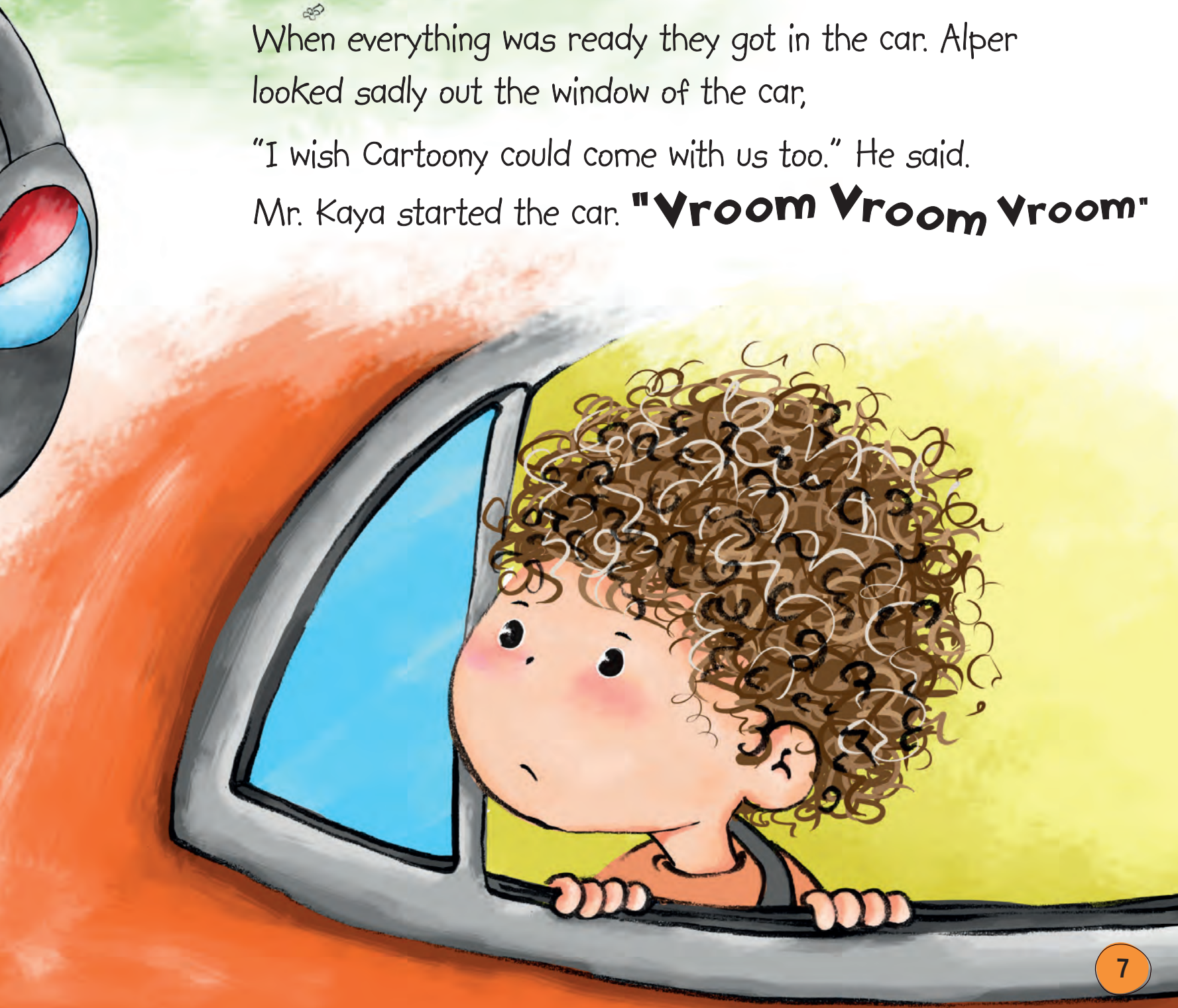
Burcu's parrot Giggles flapped his wings and said,
**"No room for your blanket,
no room for your blanket."**

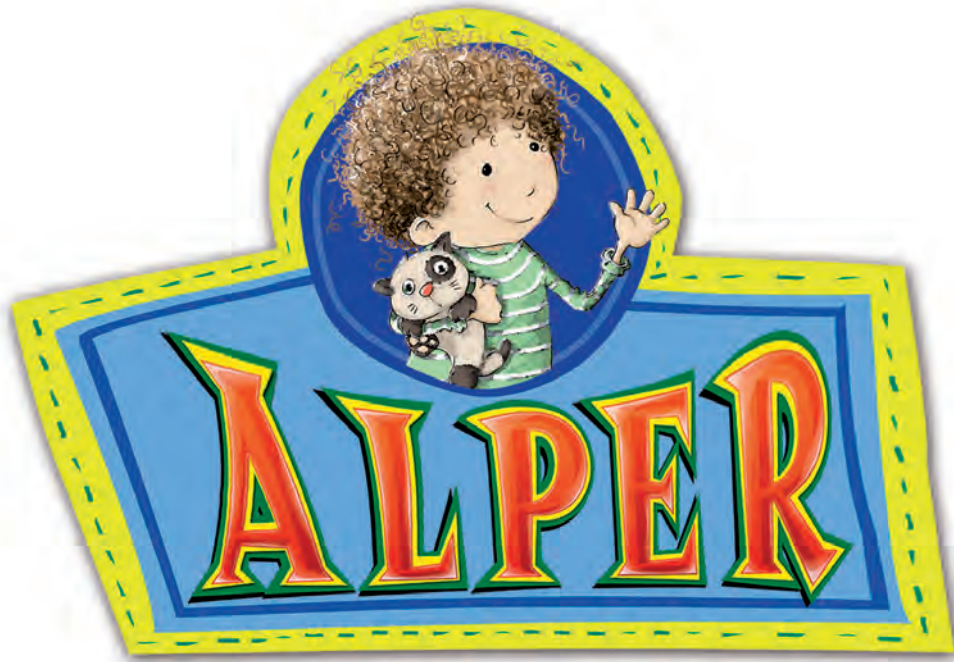
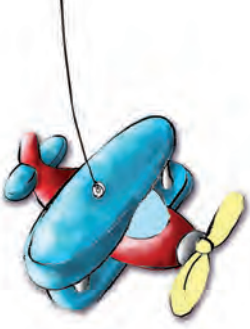
Sometimes Giggles and Cartoony don't get along.

When everything was ready they got in the car. Alper looked sadly out the window of the car,

"I wish Cartoony could come with us too." He said.

Mr. Kaya started the car. **"Vroom Vroom Vroom"**





Am I as Strong as my Dad?

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What readers will learn from "Am I As Strong As My Dad?"

- How to be aware of their emotions.
- How to control their emotions.
- How to motivate themselves.
- How to understand themselves and their family.
- How to solve their problems.
- How to get along in their environment.
- How to manage their relationships with others.
- How to understand others emotions and develop their empathy.
- How to be tolerant and patient with others.
- That everyone makes mistakes, and that fixing them is easy.
- How to express themselves with their words.
- How to see events and animals more clearly.
- How to understand cause and effect.
- The importance of integrity and honesty.
- How to do their part to keep the people they care about safe.
- How to think about themselves and their family.
- How to use English properly





The man in the picture is
Alper's dad, Mr. Kaya.

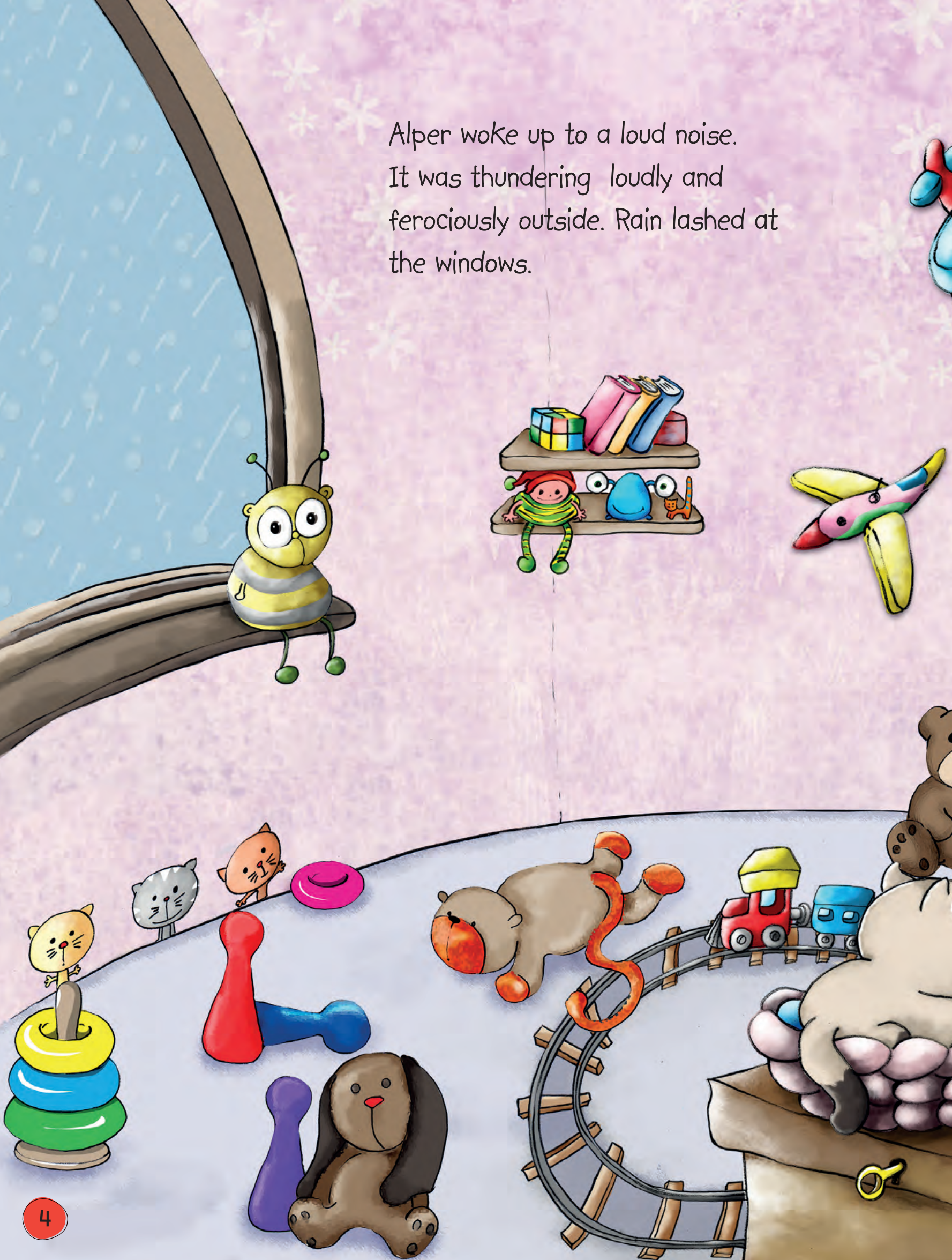
Alper knows his dad
is very strong. He
can carry big heavy
shopping bags.



When things in the
house break, Mr.
Kaya knows how to fix
them.



Alper woke up to a loud noise.
It was thundering loudly and
ferociously outside. Rain lashed at
the windows.

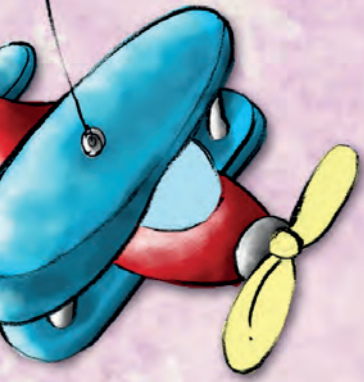


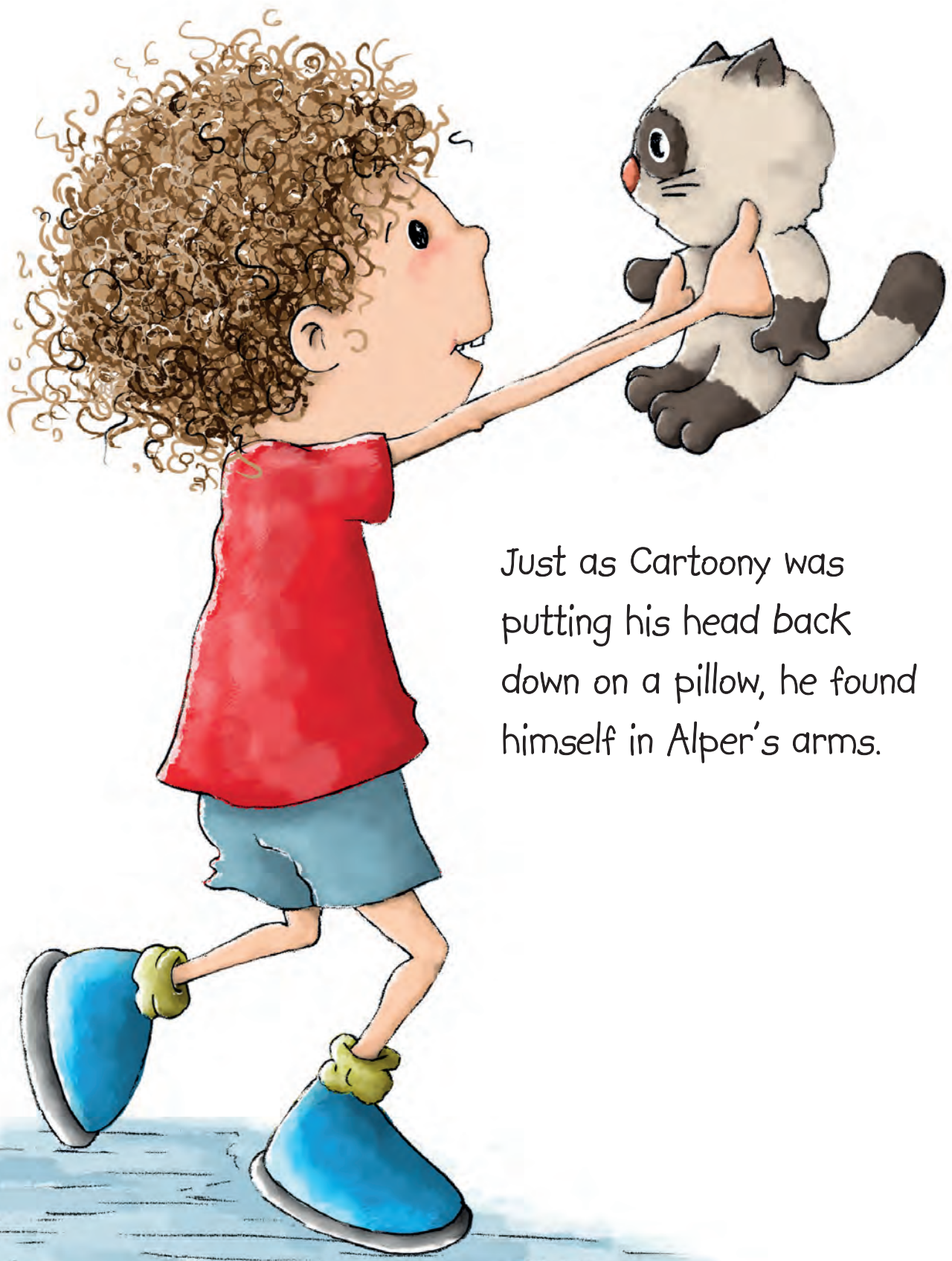
Alper called out,

"Cartoony, Cartoony!"

Cartoony raised his head and yawned **"Mmmm!"**

"Hey! Cartoony! Wake up! I don't think we can go outside today. It's raining."





Just as Cartoony was putting his head back down on a pillow, he found himself in Alper's arms.

**"Come on sleepyhead, don't be lazy!
Today we have to find something fun
to do inside."**



While Alper was getting dressed,
Cartoony ran and sat by the window. He
watched the rain come down. Cartoony
wouldn't like going out in the rain.

