



Collection Of Children Books Developed by “We Love Reading”



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“About We Love Reading”

The We Love Reading program, under the patronage of the Taghyeer Organization, is an independent non-profit organization that fosters the love of reading for pleasure among children. This program constitutes training men, women, and youth to hold read aloud sessions for children in public spaces in their neighborhoods.

We Love Reading was founded in 2006 by Prof. Rana Dajani in Jordan and has spread to 71 countries around the world.

Children’s Books Development

With that purpose, we worked with talented Arab writers, painters, designers, linguists, and educational advisors to develop a high-quality series of children’s stories. To date, the We Love Reading program has developed (38) stories, including (3) English books, for children between the ages of 4 and 10. The main topics of the stories include environmental protection, acceptance of mental and physical disabilities, refugees, anti-violence, social unity, climate change, and gender equality.





What is the Process of Book Development?

The specialized department for developing children's books at the WLR program was established to create enjoyable and imaginative books that allow children to unleash their creativity. This is achieved by developing stories according to specific standards and methodologies, considering the book's theme and its suitability for the child's culture, background, language, and age. The We Love Reading program collaborates with writers, illustrators, designers, publishers, language editors, and educational consultants to ensure that the content of the books is of the highest quality and achieves the overall goal of making reading a beautiful world that children choose to visit.

It's worth mentioning that our latest book was printed using food-grade vegetable inks, such as soy ink, due to their printing quality and environmentally friendly properties.

View our collection of books:



The Impact of "We Love Reading" Stories through Research and Studies

In collaboration with leading research institutions and global universities, the "We Love Reading" program, through its research and studies department, conducts scientific research on the program's impact on children and communities, aiming to continually assess and improve its effectiveness. These studies have included examining children's books and their impact on developing essential social and emotional skills in children, increasing empathy, and promoting positive social behavior.

These studies highlight the potential of literature as a powerful tool to foster empathy and a culture of compassion among children. They emphasize the importance of the "We Love Reading" program's books in developing social and emotional skills in children, thereby enhancing their quality of life and their communities.

Visit the research page:





Standards of the Arab Thought Foundation (Arabi 21)

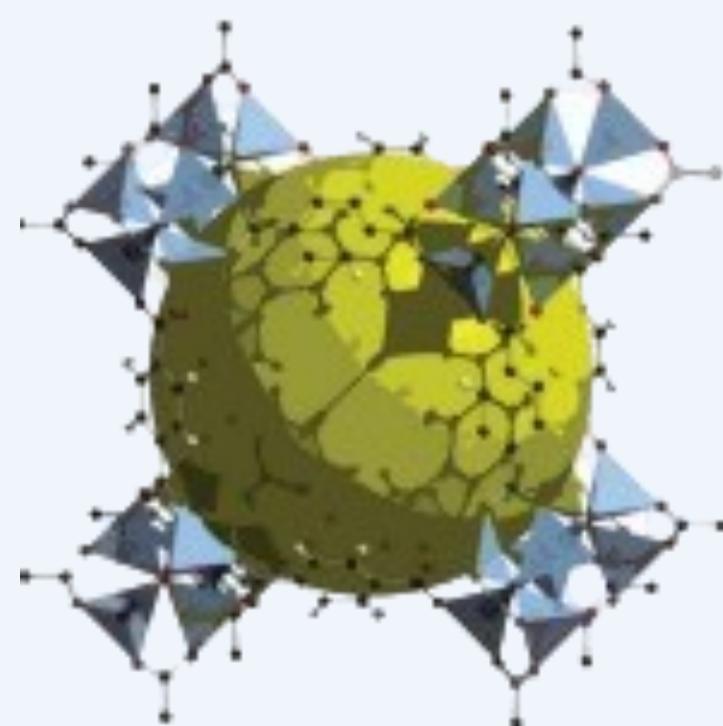
"We Love Reading" books have been classified and developed in line with the standards of the Arab Thought Foundation through the Arabi 21 project. These standards aim to promote creativity, innovation, and the development of structures and mindsets. The Arab Thought Foundation is an independent organization that seeks to disseminate knowledge and stimulate creativity at all levels.

The foundation has adopted a set of standards for classifying children's literature books targeting students at various educational stages. These standards serve as a reference for writing for children.

Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

The "We Love Reading" program books align with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The program aims to accomplish these goals, which promote prosperity while considering the protection of our planet through joint cooperation among all countries.

Each book in the program includes a set of SDGs, whether through stories about the environment, climate change, equality, education, and many other topics, aiming to change children's behavior towards various issues on our planet.





We Love Reading Online Training

Join the « We Love Reading » online training with video subtitles available in 10 languages, and become a part of an unlimited community with thousands of WLR ambassadors in 71 countries around the world. Through We Love Reading online training on reading aloud to children, you will delve into a new world and discover the secrets that making reading a beautiful world that children choose to visit.

Register now and become an ambassador for reading in your community.





Collection of Stories Developed by “We Love Reading”

Ages 4-6

-  **Eid Gift**
-  **Salma’s Riddle**
-  **The Amazing Water Hero**
-  **Why Did Electricity Run Away?**
-  **A Sun Without Bills**
-  **Questions in a Traveling Bag**
-  **A Strange Story in the Fantastic Car**
-  **Tomorrow I Will Be**
-  **An Earthquake in the Kitchen**
-  **Something Really Strange**
-  **My Brother Hany**
-  **The World’s Cook**
-  **Hatta the Cat’s Mother**
-  **We’re the Same**
-  **Bashour**

Ages 5-8

-  **The Bridge to Dreamland**
-  **The Apple Tree**

Ages 7-10

-  **The Golden Garden**
-  **The Open Tap**
-  **Shafafa’s Enjoyable Trip**
-  **Sun and Suns**
-  **Who Defeated the Squandering Demon?**
-  **Amal**
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-  **My Mama’s Magic**
-  **Queen of Balloons**
-  **The Peppered Moth**



The Environment		Social Issues	
 Water		 Refugees	 Gender
 Energy		 Violence	 Disabilities
 Anti-Littering		 Inclusion	 Empathy
 Climate Change			



The apple tree

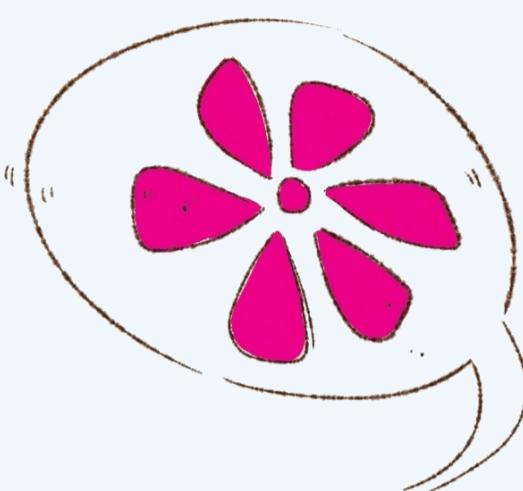
Author : Ahmed al hawatmah

Drawings : Julenar hajou , Farah abou Arjaa, Sarah zamel, Zaid Ishaq

Age category: 5-8

Balqiss ... used to love the apple tree .. suddenly an unexpected

Change happened in her life.



The bridge to dreamland

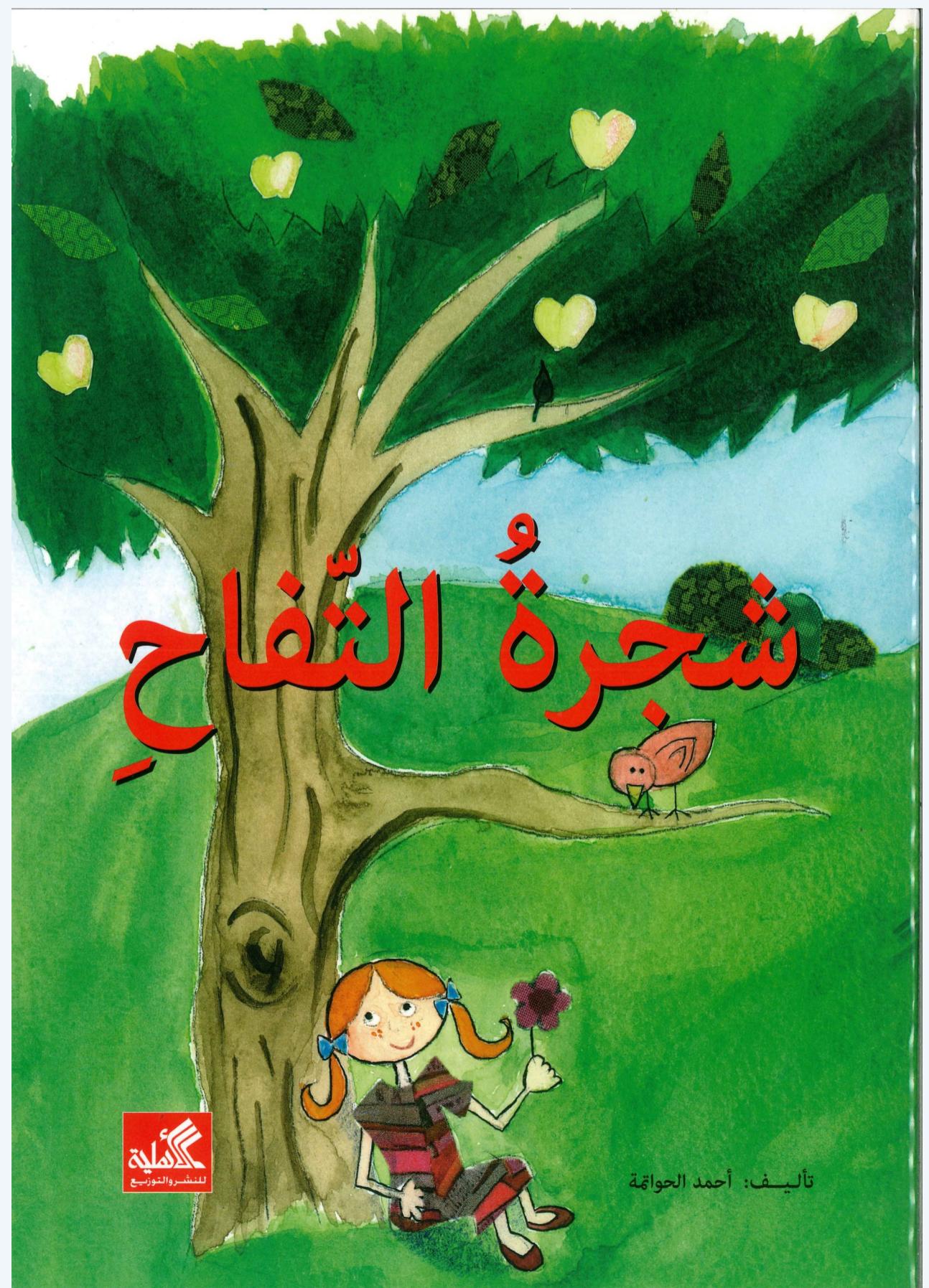
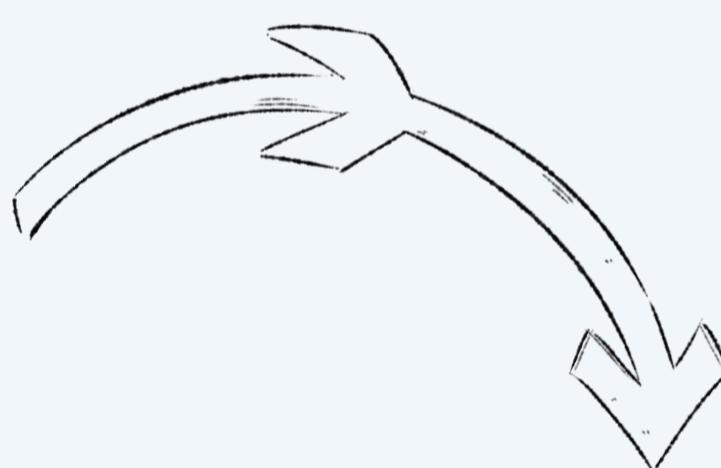
Author: Huda Eissa Al-kannass

Balqiss Mohammed Saif

Drawings : Julenar hajou , Farah abou Arjaa, Sarah zamel, Zaid Ishaq

Age category : 5 - 8

Samer used to love running so much .. A new girl came to school ... then everything changed.





The opened tap

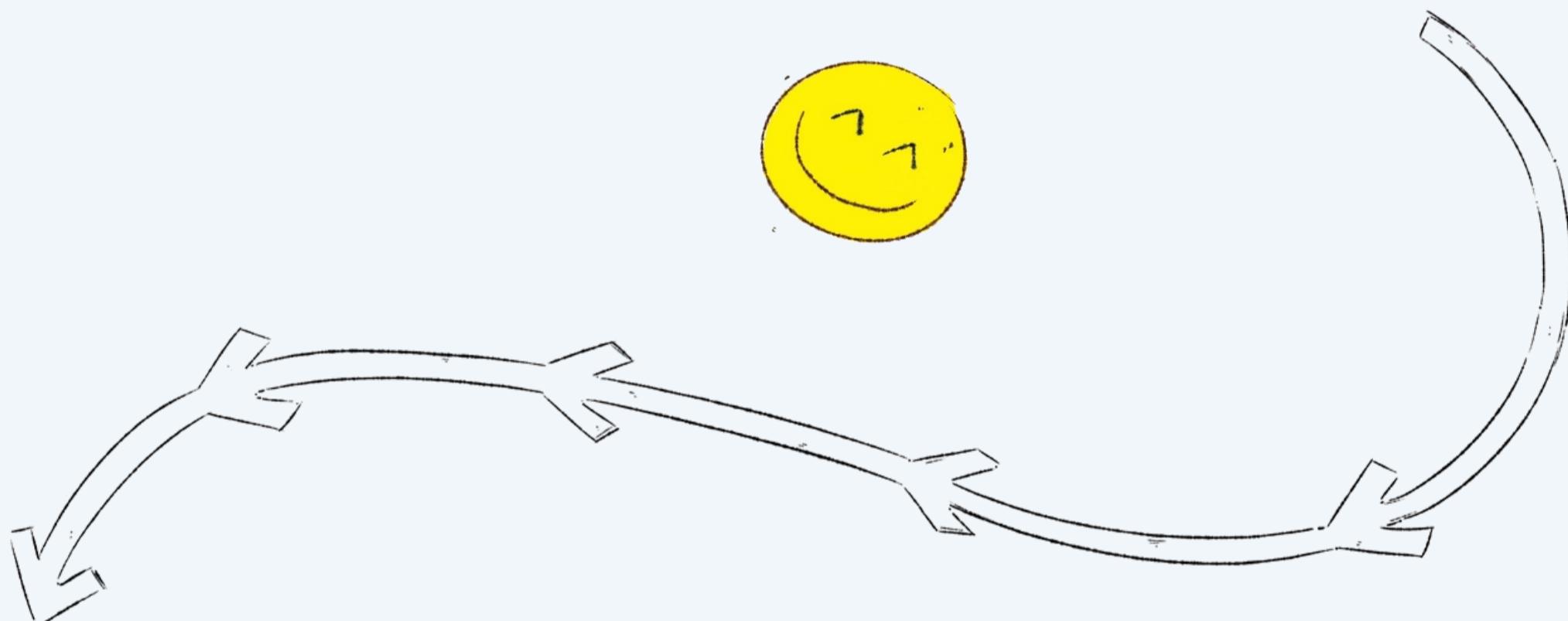
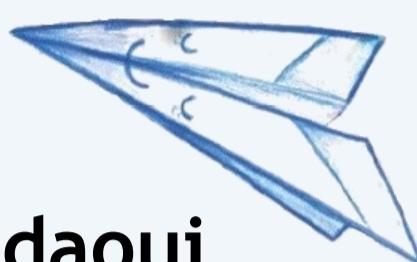
Author : Fedaa azoumr

Drawings : Mahmoud ahndaoui

Age Category : 10-7

The water drops are massively leaking from the tap. Where do these water drops go ? Is there any water left in the tap ?

Who can help us to save what's left of water drops?



تأليف: محمود أبو فروة الرجبي
رسوم: سمر زريق

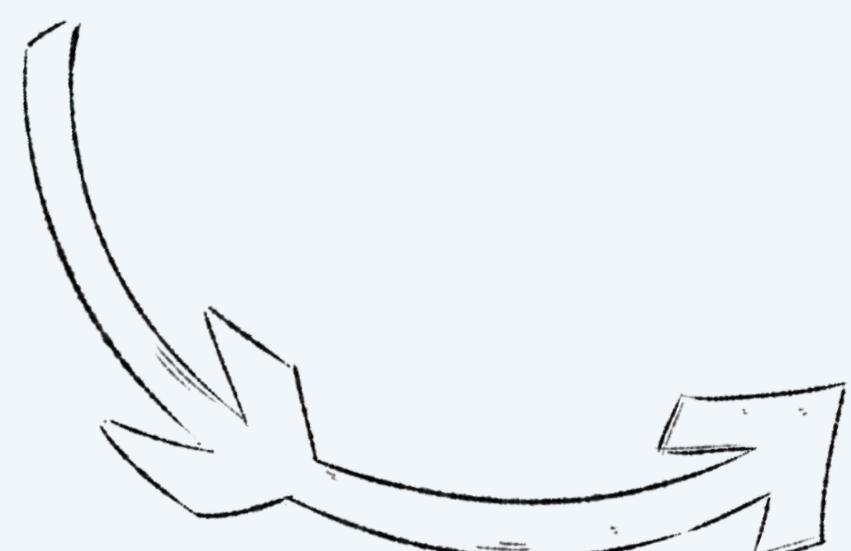
The golden Garden

Author: Mahmoud abou farwa arajabi
drawings : Samar Zareek

Age category : 7-10

Can we transform things that are not beautiful to amazing and fantastic things ? How does it happen ? Does it need everybody's collaboration ?

Read with us this story to know what happened to ahmed's family with the ignored garden that got transformed to a golden garden.





Sun and suns

Author : Fedaa Azoumr

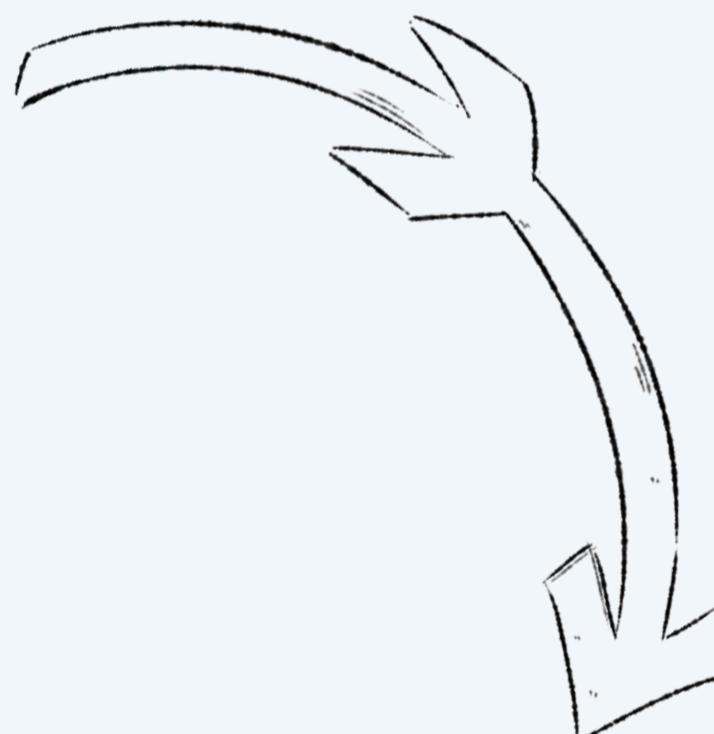
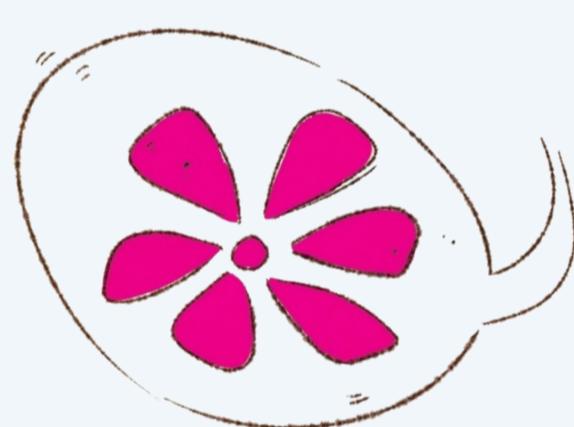


Drawings : Rawan Sadr

Age category : 7-10

There are many stars lighting the kids' rooms !

They gave up their high beautiful star
where did these suns come From
did they fall from other galaxies ?
let's read what happened in this story



من هزم شرير التبذير !



رسم وإخراج
راشد الكباري

تأليف
محمود أبو فروة الزجبي

Who defeated the squandering demon

Author : Mahmoud abou farwa arajabi

Drawings : Rached al kabariti

Age Category: 7-10

The squandering demon ran away from ahmed's house

Who's the hero who made him run away in a hurry?

That's what we will figure out in this story





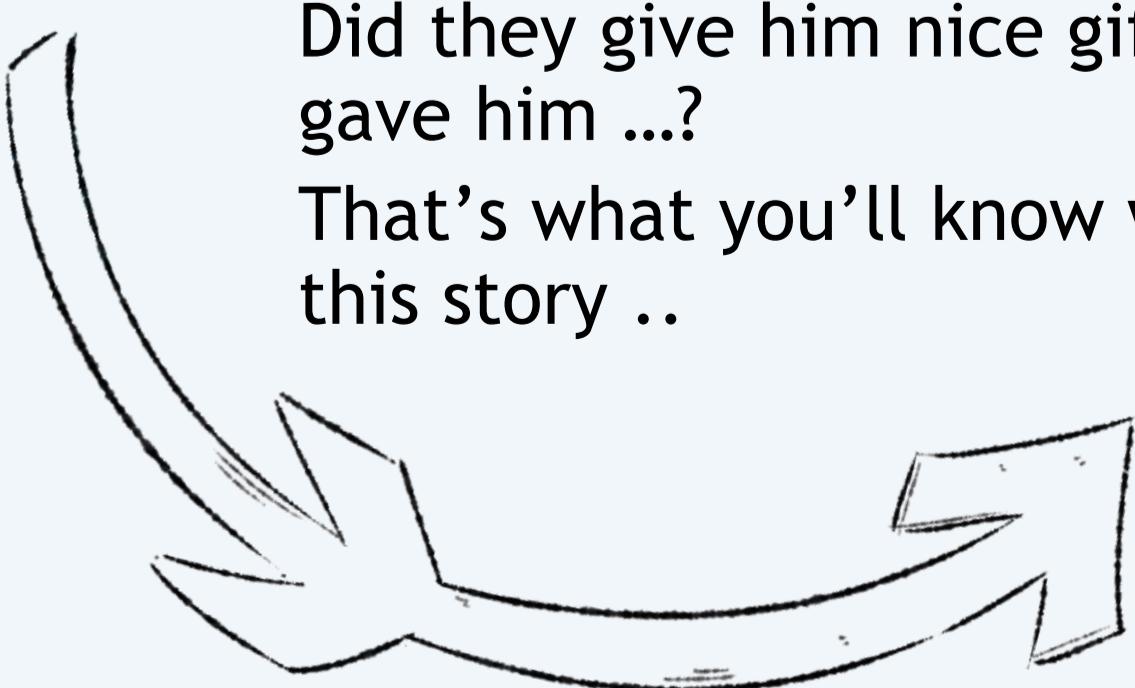
Shafafa's enjoyable trip

**drawings : widad arshid Author :
nerdin abou nabaa**

Age category : 7-10

Shafafa is a beautiful drop of water ..
just like the beauty of a pearl .. before
coming out to planet earth she put her
head on her mom's chest .. and was
very scared and sad!!

Why was chafafa sad and scared ? read this story to know the answer ...



Eid Gift

Author : fedaa azoumr

Drawings : Rawan Sadr

Age Category : 4-6

Eid is here , each and every kid got a gift.

What did the kids give to uncle Nadeef ?
Did they give him nice gifts ? or they
gave him ...?

That's what you'll know when you read this story ..



Salma's riddle

Author : Imane Zaheer Altarawna

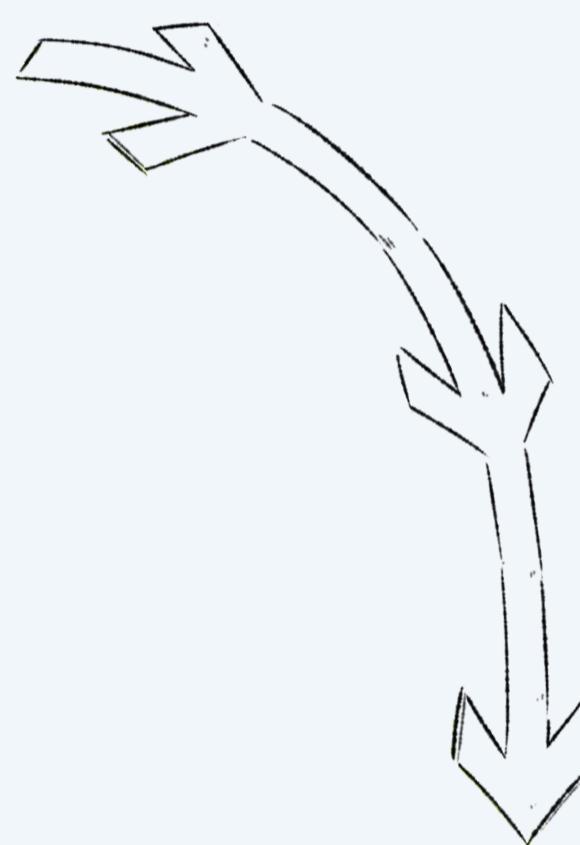
Drawings : Ishraq othman algay

Age category : 4-6

Salma loves drawing so much.

But how does she use drawing to change her family's bad habits of using water ?

Let's read the story together to know ..



Why did electricity run away ?

Author : Nerdeen abou nabaa

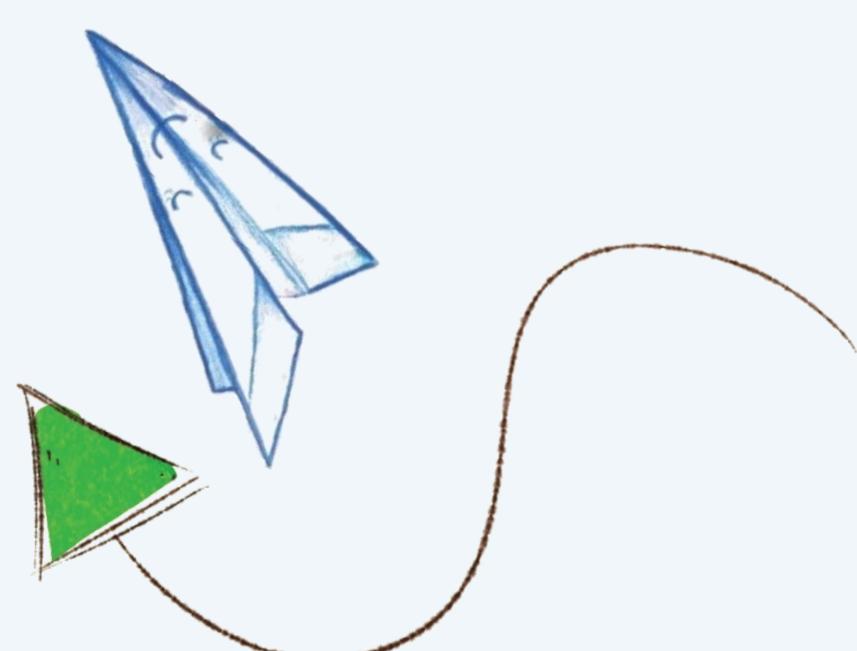
Drawings : Ishraq algay

Age Category : 4-6

Electricity got tired and it decided to cut off from zaid and his siblings's house...

Why did electricity get tired ? is it coming back ?

Read this story to know the answer .





A sun without bills

Author : mahmoud abou farwa al-roujbi

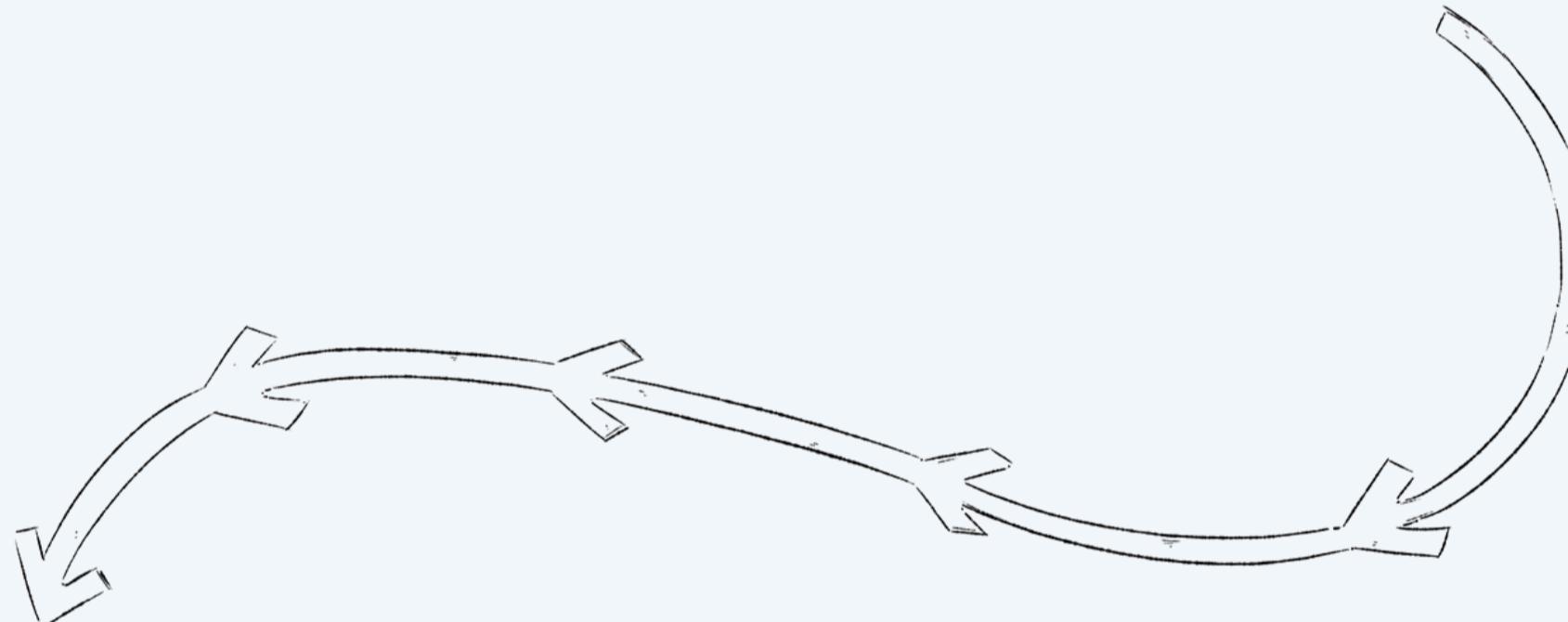
Drawings : rawan mohamed sadr

Age category : 4-6

A problem inside firas's house.

The mother says: Firas is very young , but when he opened the airport ,and started receiving fantastic ideas , the problem got solved.

Read the story to know what happened to our friend Firas.



The amazing water Hero

Author: Mahmoud abou farwa alrajabi

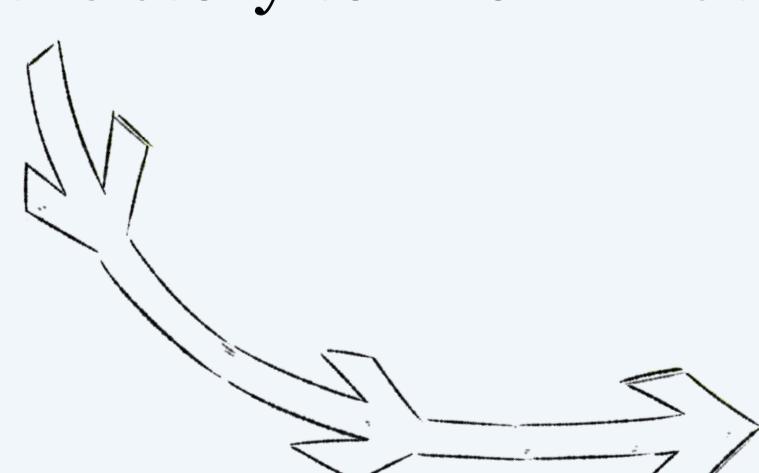
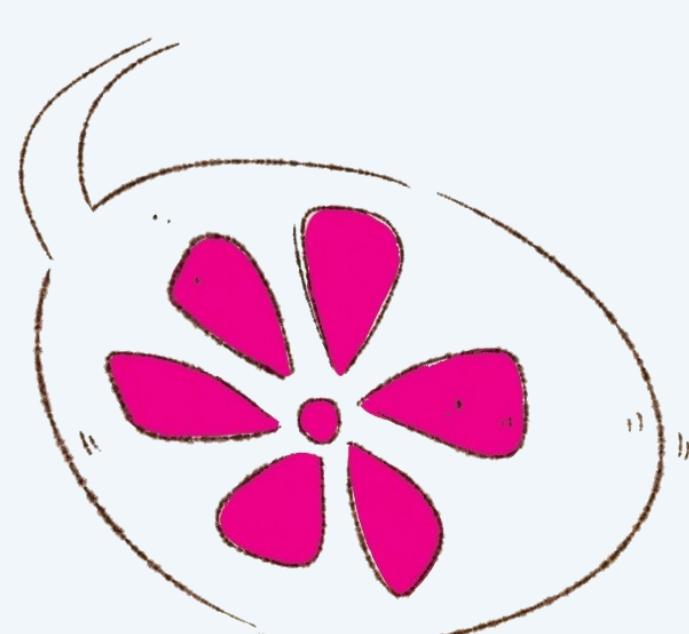
Drawings : Wafaa adnane salama

Age Category:4-6

Why did kareem deserve the name of the amazing water hero ?

What are the things he did that made him a real hero that gets applause for all his amazing work.

Read with us the story to know what is it.





Questions in a traveling bag

Author : Maya abou al hayat

drawings : ishraq othmane

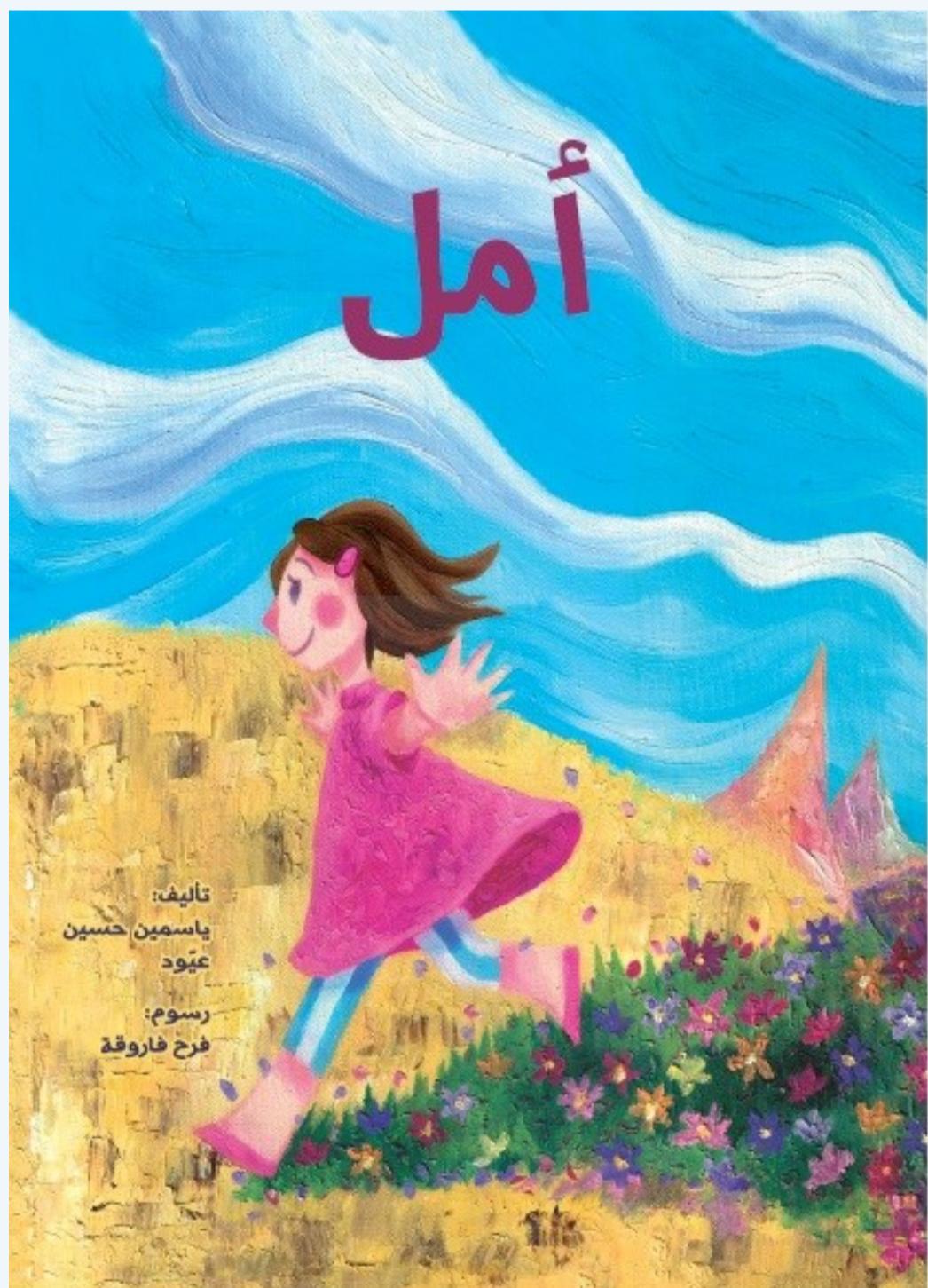
Age category : 4-6



What can a kid carry of questions in a traveling bag ? and is the taste of Kousa mahsy in the new house different than the taste in the old house ?

Maybe we could find an answer to the question , or maybe we could find thirteen.

But first , let's gather some questions in the traveling bag.



Amal

Author : Yasmine houssein ayoud

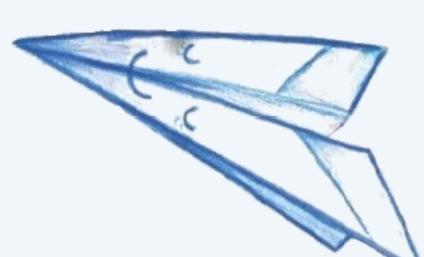
Drawings : Farah Farouka

Age category : 7-10

Once upon a time .. there were three boys and two little girls.. a small lamp and two hands praying.. and many tents everywhere..

Let's read our story to know what's hidden in it and what happened.

And how will children that are loaded with knowledge and hope go back to the homeland of colors.





kenan and watermelon head

author : Ghada mahmoud

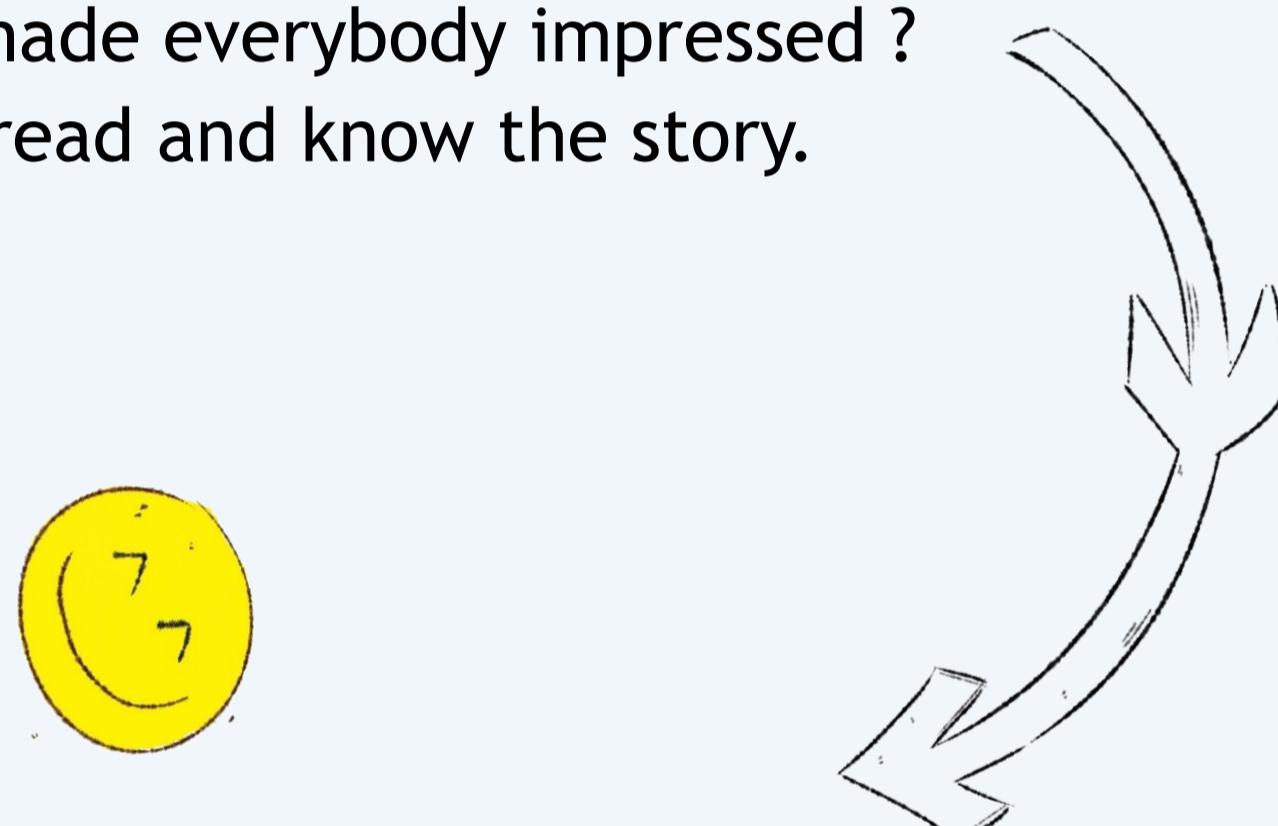
drawings : Samia bassam khalef

Age category : 7-10

Books flying here and there in kenan's new class , and there is pumpkin head growing and growing ! what's pumpkin head's story ?

And who's the owner of the puffed bag ? and most importantly : who taught Kenan the acrobatic movements that made everybody impressed ?

Let's read and know the story.



I left a surprise for you

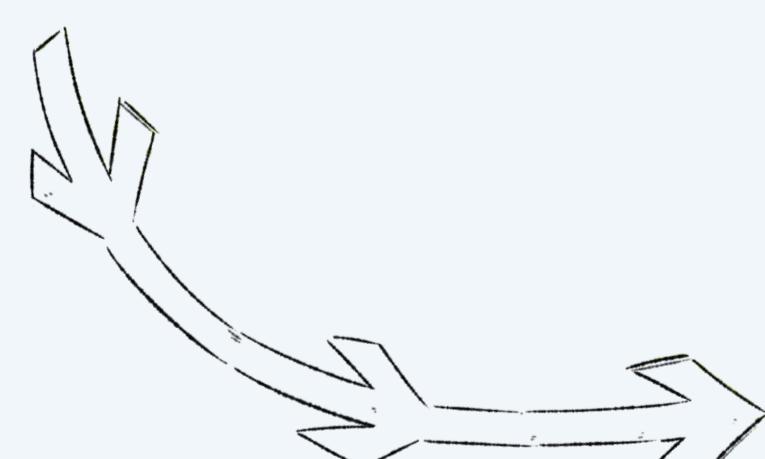
Author : maryem kamal abedy , heba Jameel sabeeha , imane Zaheer al tarawnah

Drawings : lara farouka

Age category 7-10

There is a surprise. Who left it ? who is it for ? and what's the story of the big desert ,sharks in the kitchen, and wild animals in the living room ?

Let's read our story to discover that and more together.





A space adventure with Jasmin and Batraa

Author : bassam al tajy

Drawings : Sajeda jallad



Age category : 7-10

The two sisters Jasmin and batraa decided to make a trip through the space.

After taking off , a technical problem occurred on the starship; so they landed on a planet with green land .. there they met a giant with one eye and a blue thick scalp...what will happen with them ? and will they come back before dinner time ?



Tomorrow I will be

Author : Bassam al tajy

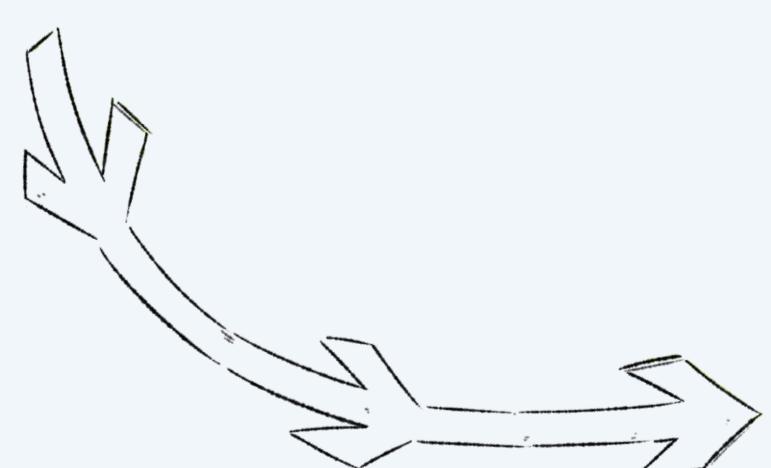
Drawings : dyala zada

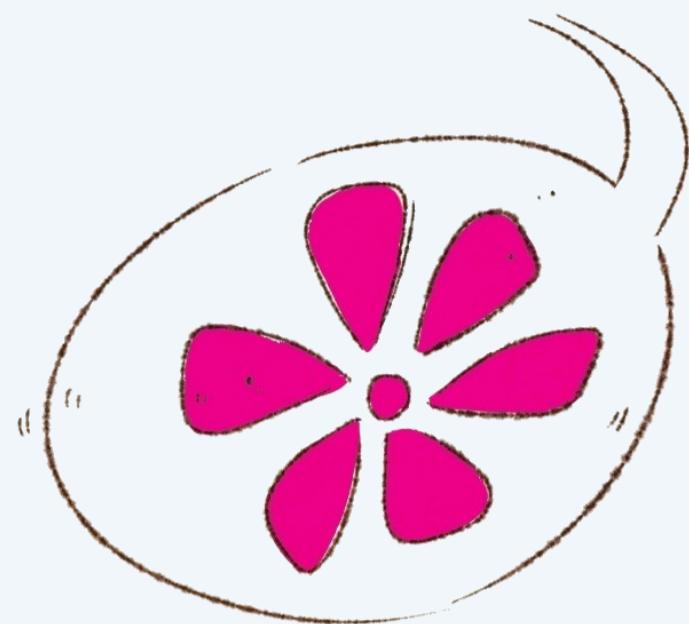


Age category : 4-6

Every night before we sleep, my dad and mom read us a story. We live afterwards amazing adventures.

This time my dad read to us a story about an great adventurer .. next day ... ouuff! Guess who woke up in a big jungle , took a ride on an elephant was greeted by a crocodile and crossed a big river .





an earthquake in the kitchen

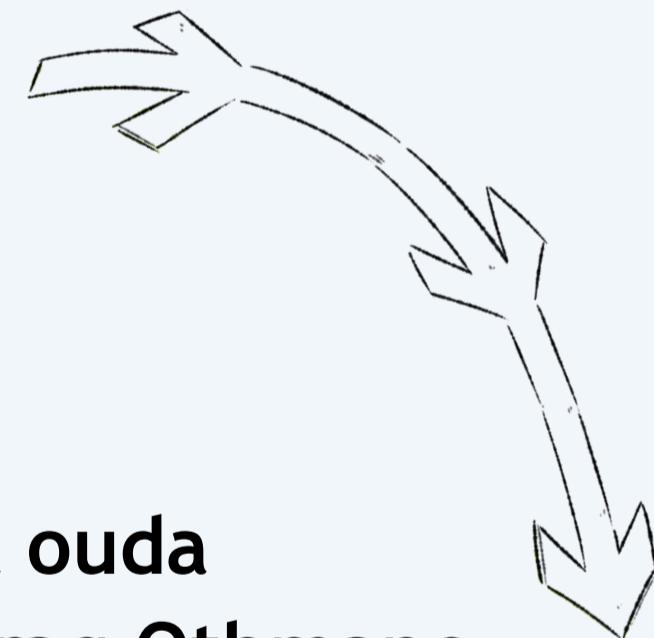
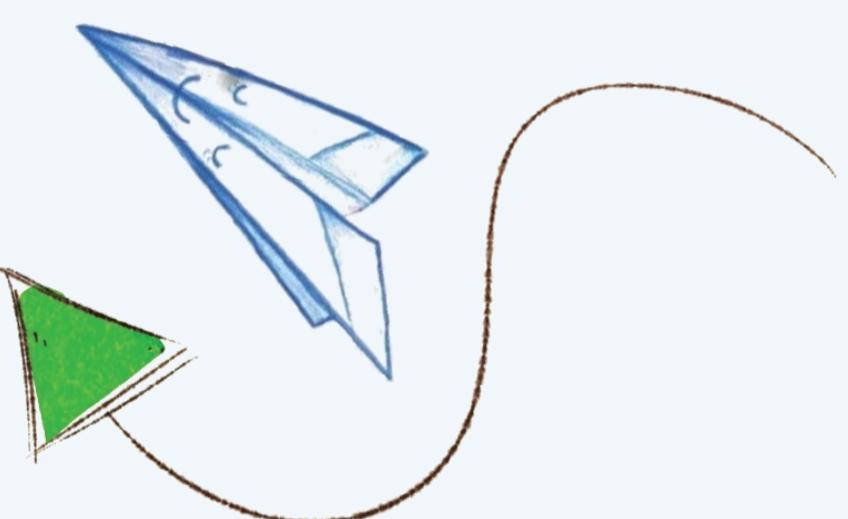
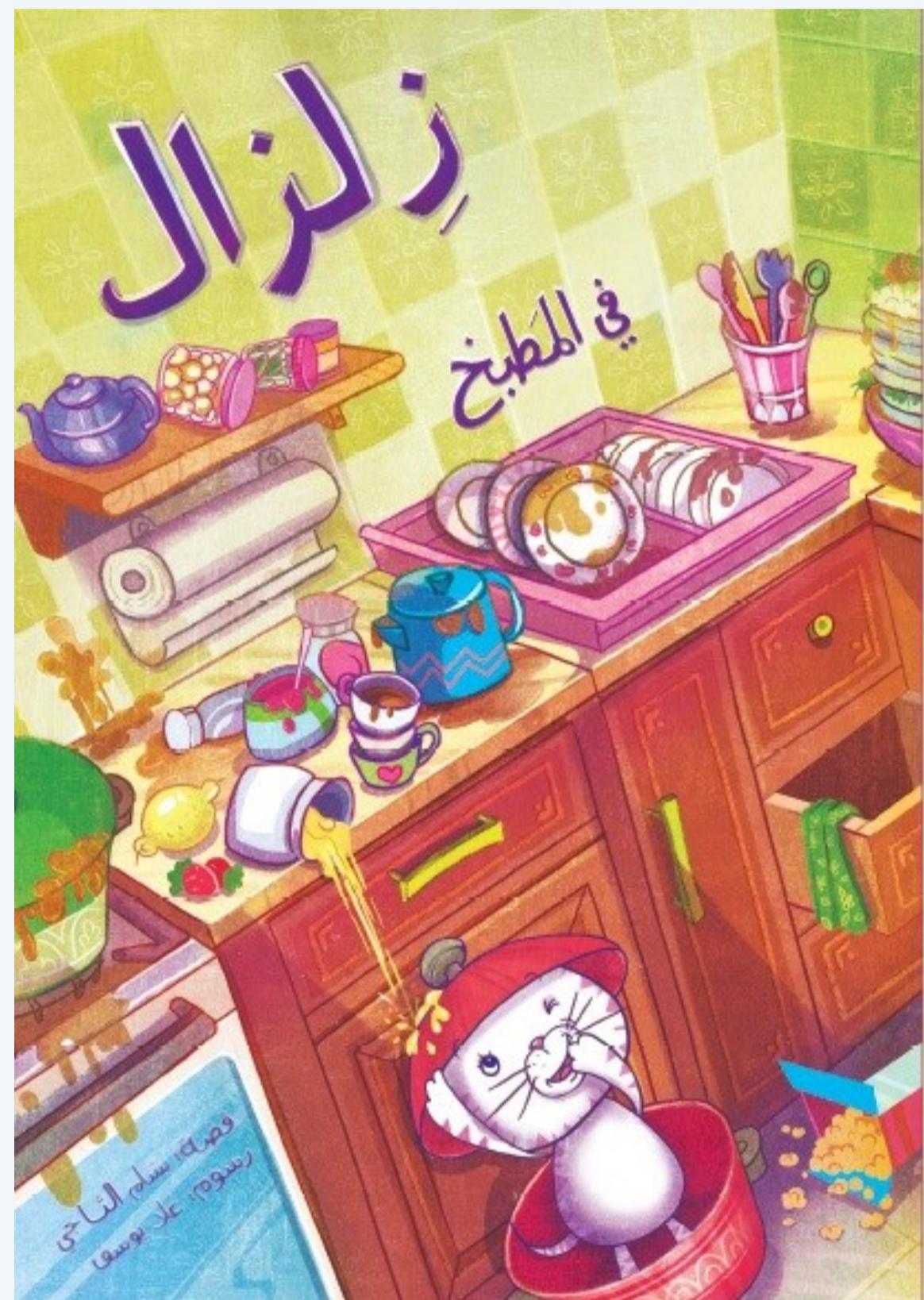
Author : Bassam Al tajy

Drawings : alaa youssef

Age category : 4-6

My grandmother came from a trip, so I mom and my brother went to receive her . But my dad decided to stay home to cook us delicious food.

Everything was great, except for the kitchen it got ...



Zanbout

Author : Layla ouda

Drawings : Ishraq Othmane

Age category : 7-10

A new day with the two brothers Fares and Deema filled with inventions and crackers. But this time something unexpected happened with a strange guest that loves eating popcorn.

Who is this guest ? where did he come from ? and how will he leave ?





A strange story in the fansastic car

Author : Bassam al tajy

Drawings : Noor Dawed

Age category : 4-6

We played and played and with our fansastic car we went to the library ..

There we studied , dreamed , in the space we flew and in the deep oceans we dived.



Something really strange

Author : Imane Zaheer al tarawnah

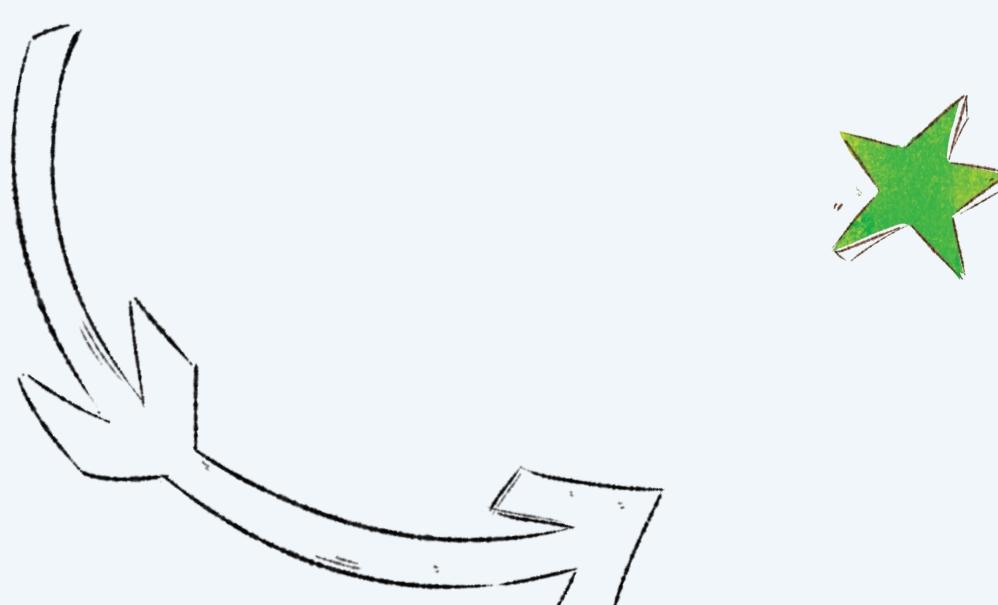
Drawings : Amany youssef

Age category : 4-6

They say that my friend massa is very different than me .

I didn't understand how she is different than me , we are similar in everything. But when I thought about it over and over again , I remembered.

You what ? yes . My friend Massa is indeed different than me , because....





The big envelope

Authore : layla awda

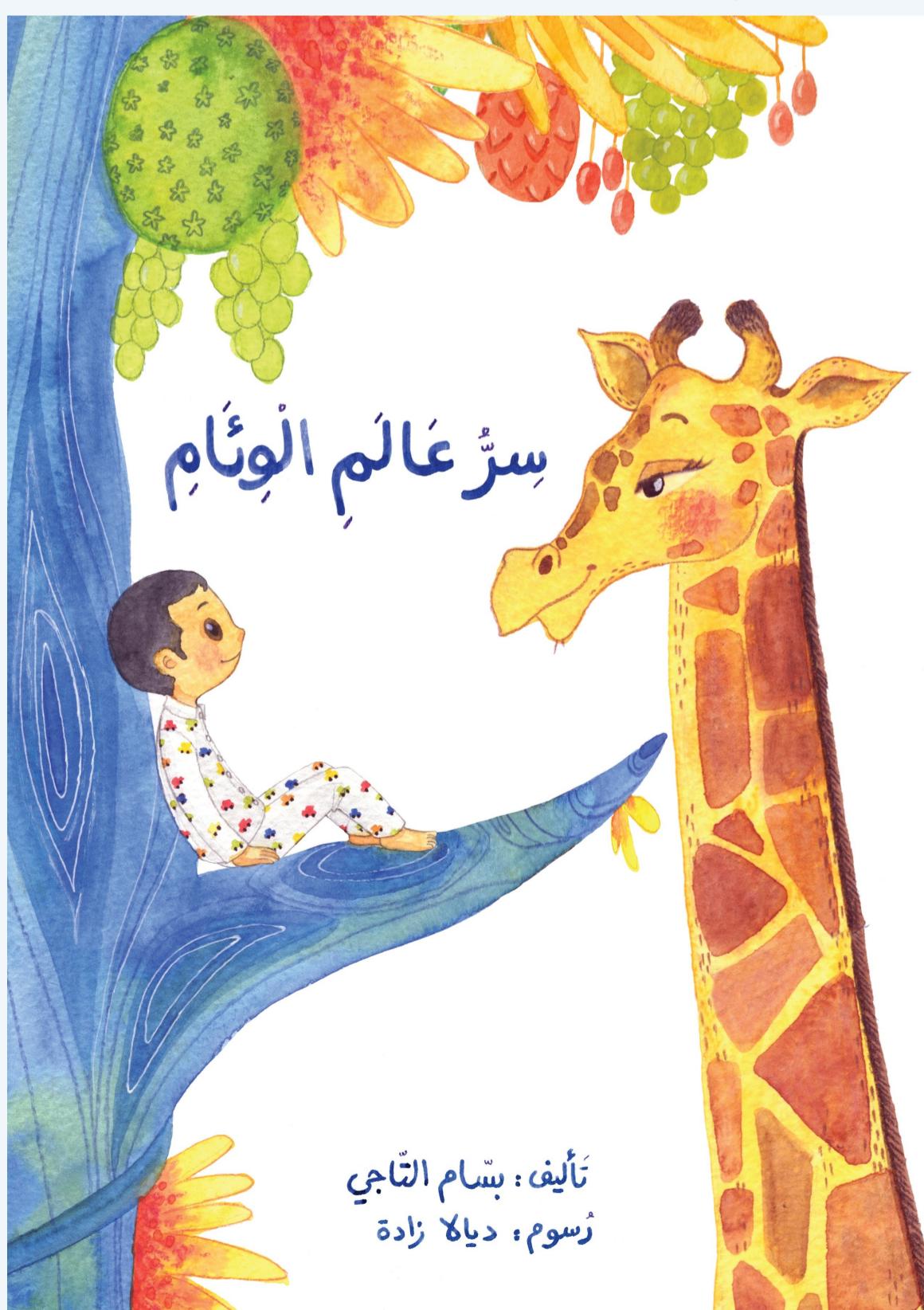
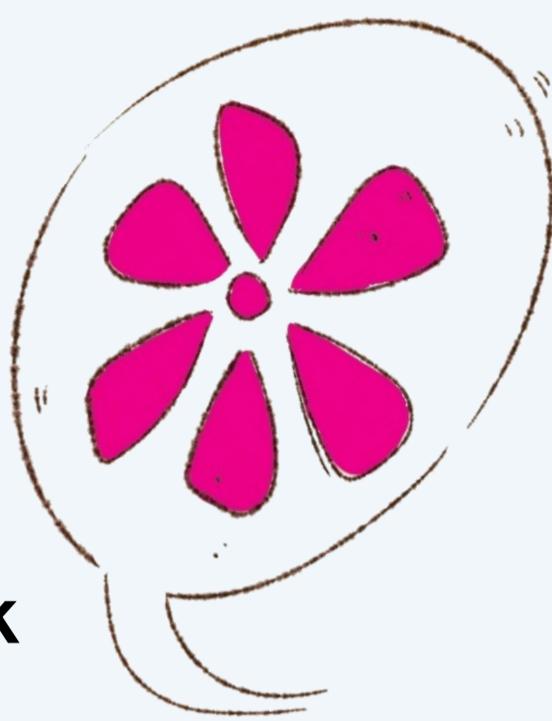
Drawings : Samar Zareek

Age Category : 7-10

Omar is a new kid at school, he is being bullied at school by his classmate Hamza.

How did omar react ? How did he and hamza become friends ?

To know more read the story The big envelope.



The secret of the world of harmony

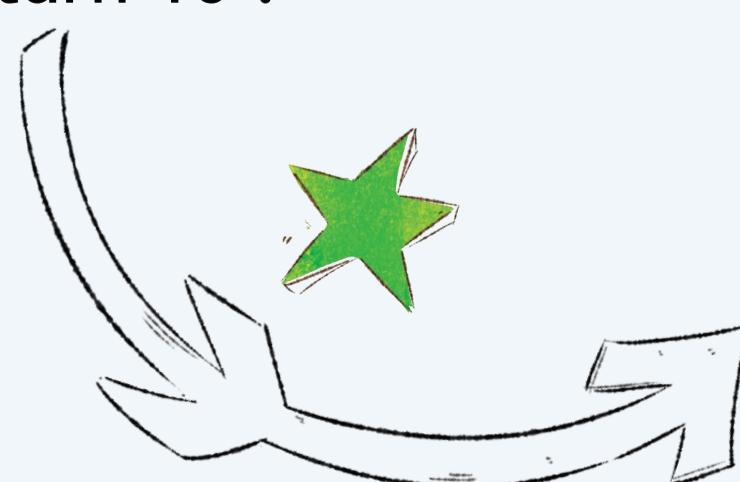
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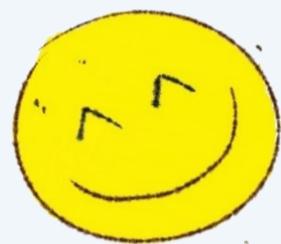
Drawings: Dyala Zada

Age Category : 7-10

Izza is from Gaza , Addy is from Dubai and Widad is from Baghdad .. and I am Adnane, I live in Amman.

We love mornings ..! But we always wait for the night .. so if we fell asleep we'll meet in the world of Harmony ... but we're four years old .. when are we going to turn 10 ?





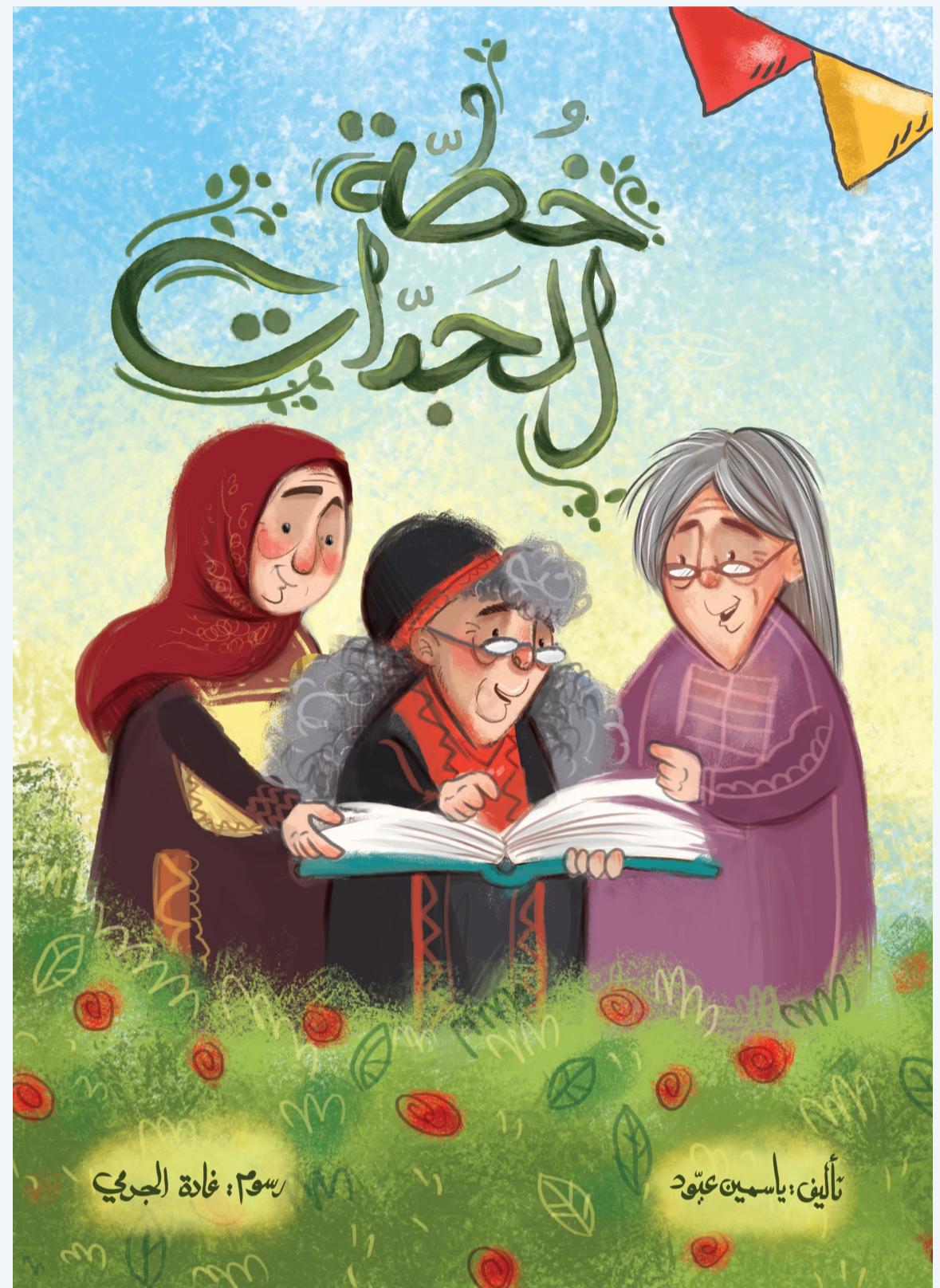
Grannies' Plan

Author : Yasmine Ayyoud

Drawings : ghada al jourmy

Age category : 7-10

In one of the country's neighborhoods .. lived three grannies .. who have a strong loving friendship ... with their wisdom they solve the most difficult problems ... so join us kids ... girls and boys .. to discover all together The Grannies' Plan.



The black chicken

Author : Yasmine AYYOUD

Drawings : Mohamed al maaty

Age category : 7-10

Once upon a time .. there was a big farm ... where many many animals lived.. Fat chickens too.

One day during spring .. specifically in the chicken yeast , there was a big celebration , Where something really strange happened...

What could be the reason for this celebration ?

And what will happen in it ?





I would like to introduce you to ...

Author : Arroub Sobh

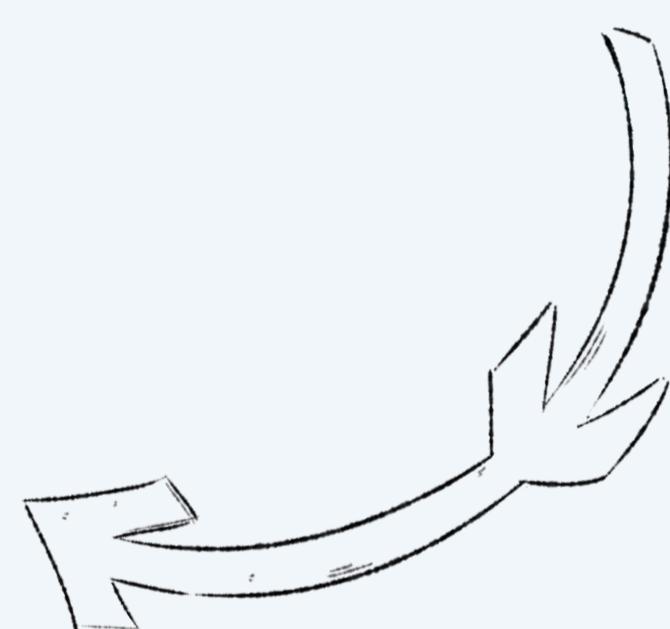
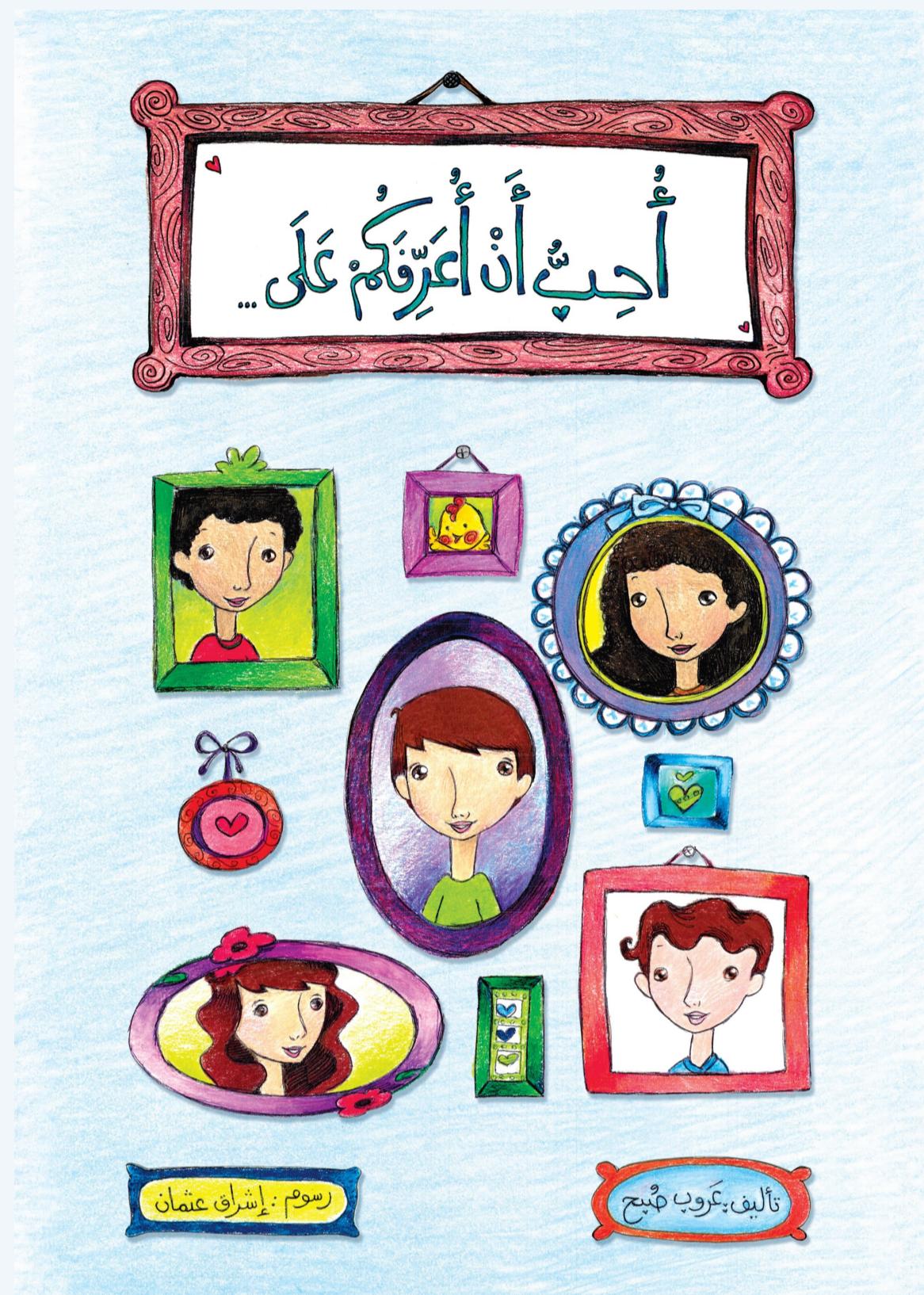
Drawings : Ishraq Othmane

Age category : 7-10

We 're three best friends. We never thought that a stranger would be added to our group .. until new neighbors joined our neighborhood.

What happened ? and what did Rayya discover ?

I am Ali .. I would like to introduce you to ...



The word's Cook

Author : Maya abou al hayyat

Drawings : Noor dawood

Age category : 4-6

Mayyada is alone in the kindergarten , she has no friends , but can a delicious cake change it all ? let's all discover Mayyada's Story





“ The cat Hatta’s mother ”

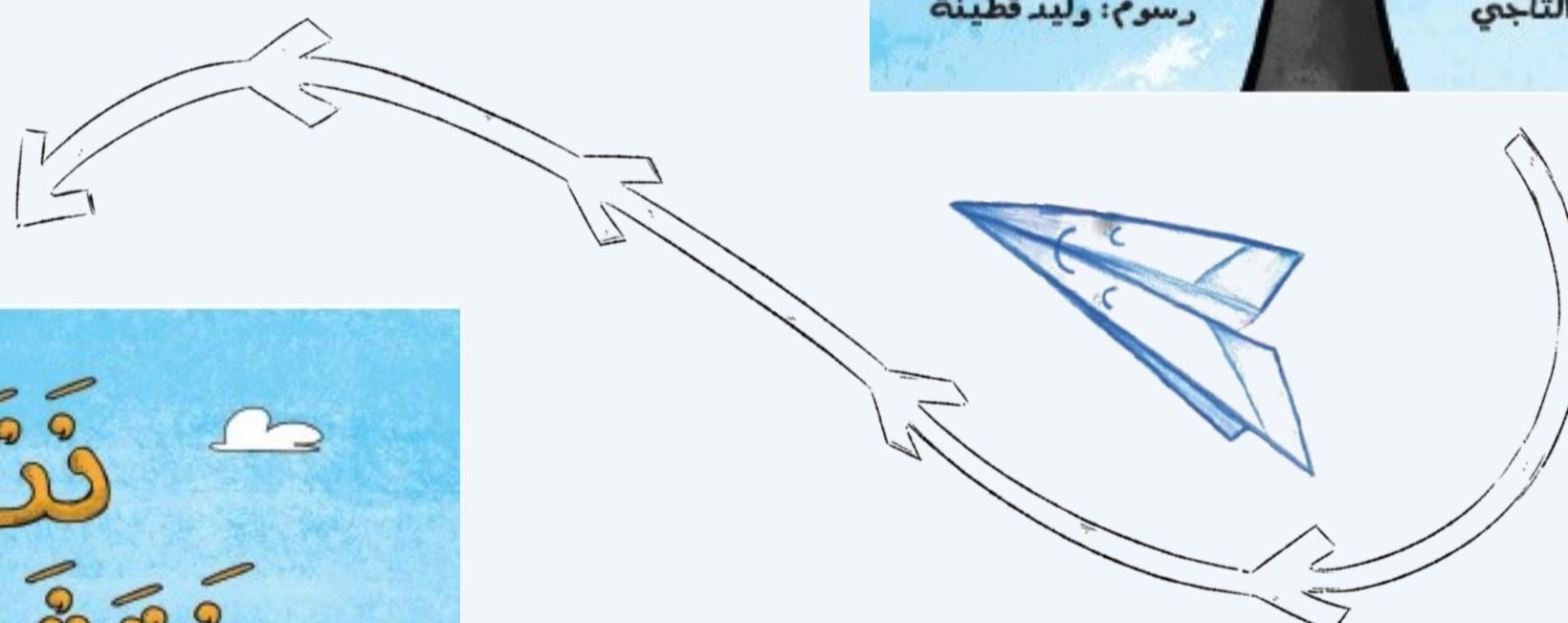
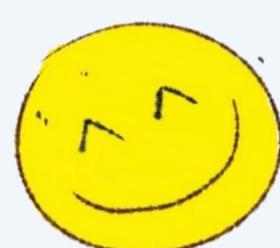
Author : Bassam al tajji

Drawings : walid kateena

Age category : 4-6

A little boy named Ali, Ali loves niggling and he gets angry very quickly .. he plays alone .

He breaks the wood boards. What’s Ali’s story with the cat that is standing ont the tree... “hatta’s mother”



We’re the same

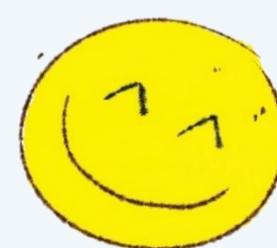
Author : Mariam Kamal Abedi

Saja Naeef Abu-Omar

Drawings : Sajeeda Jalad

Age category : 4-6

We are friends ... each one of us lives in a different place .. but in spite of all differences we’re still alike.





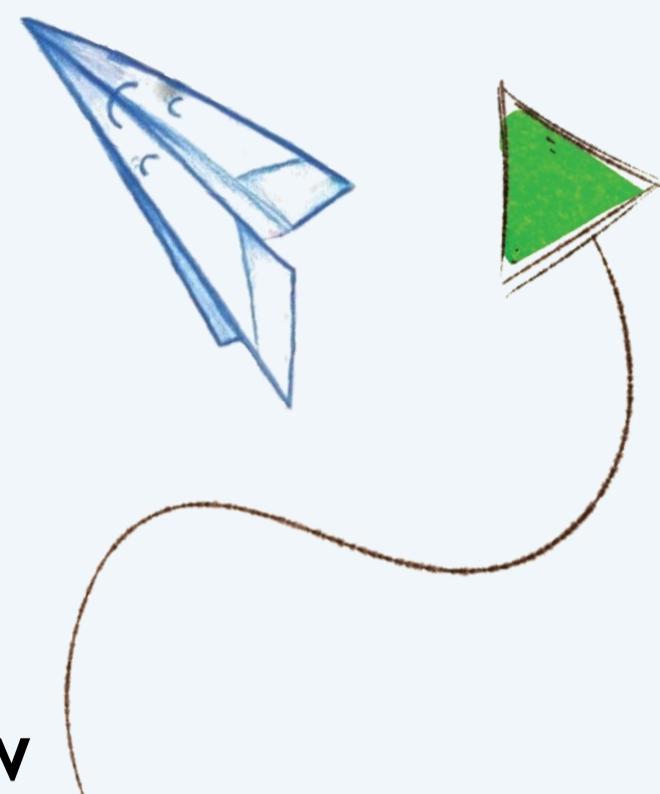
My brother Hany

Author : Oroub Sobh

Drawings : Haya halaw

Age category : 4-6

Between us two .. endless love and friendship .. starting from before we were born .. because we're twins ... I am dina and he is hany ... and this is our story .



Bashour

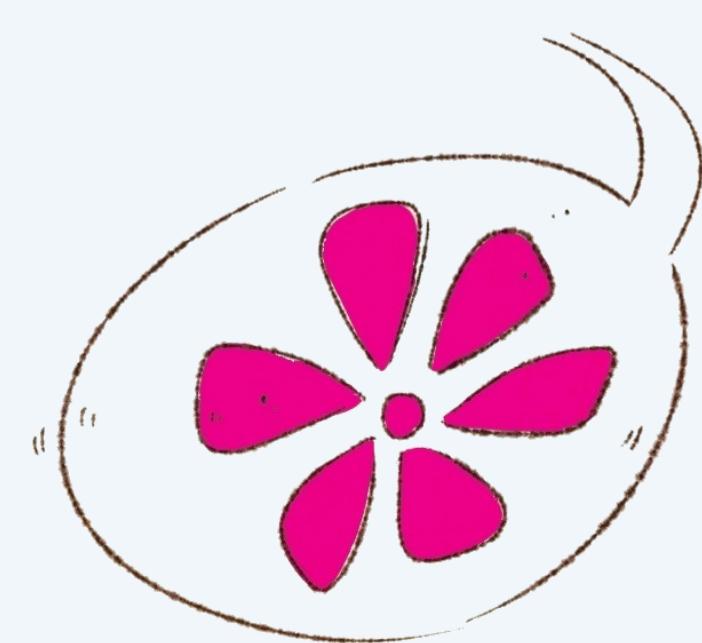
Author : Maya abou al hayyat

Drawings: Amany Youssef

Age category : 4-6

Bashoor with the five eyes , cant sleep but , is it really a problem ?

We can read the story and know that !





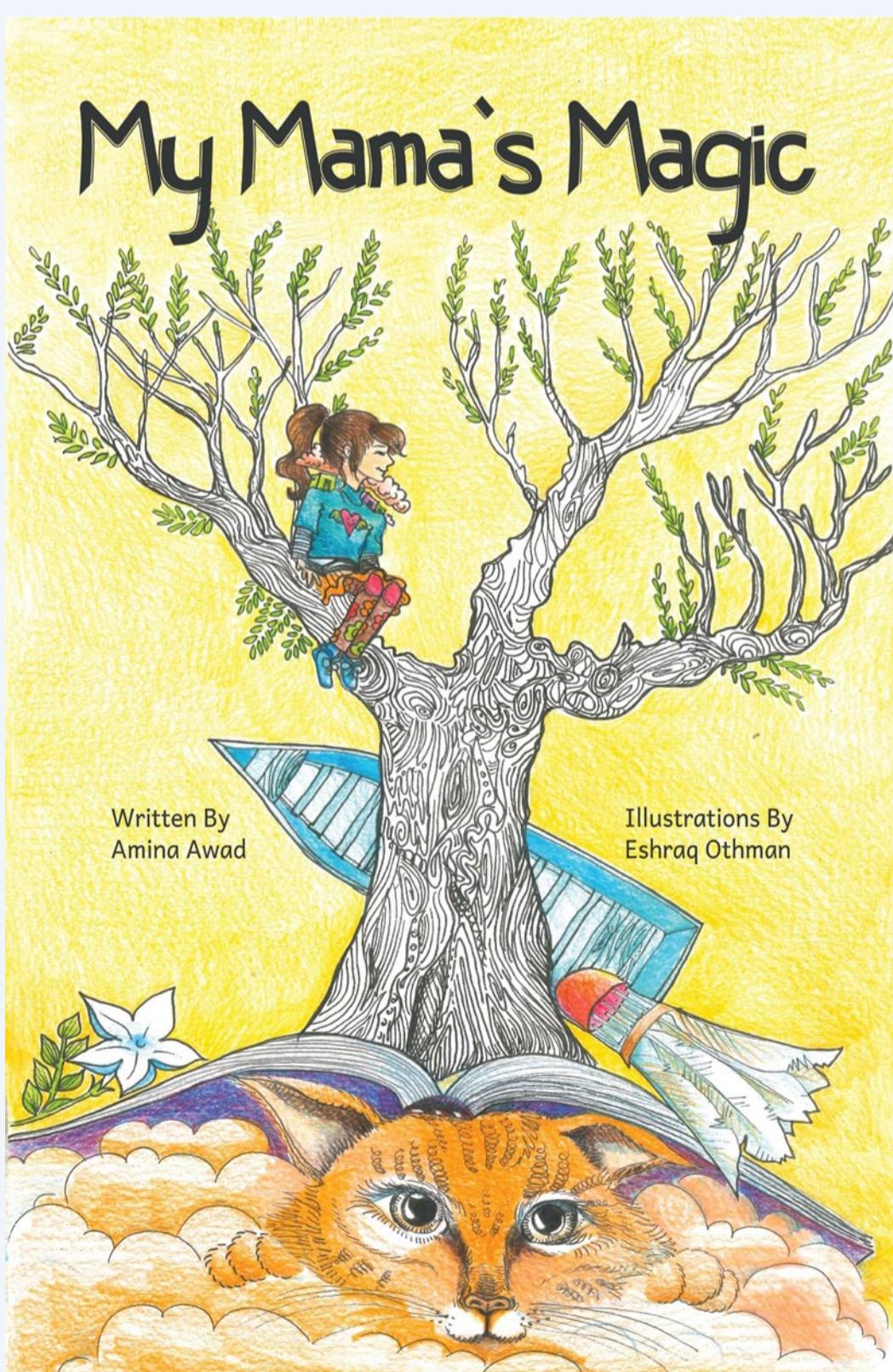
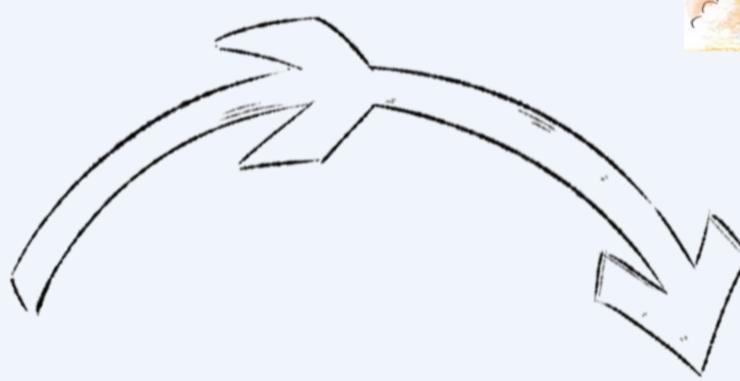
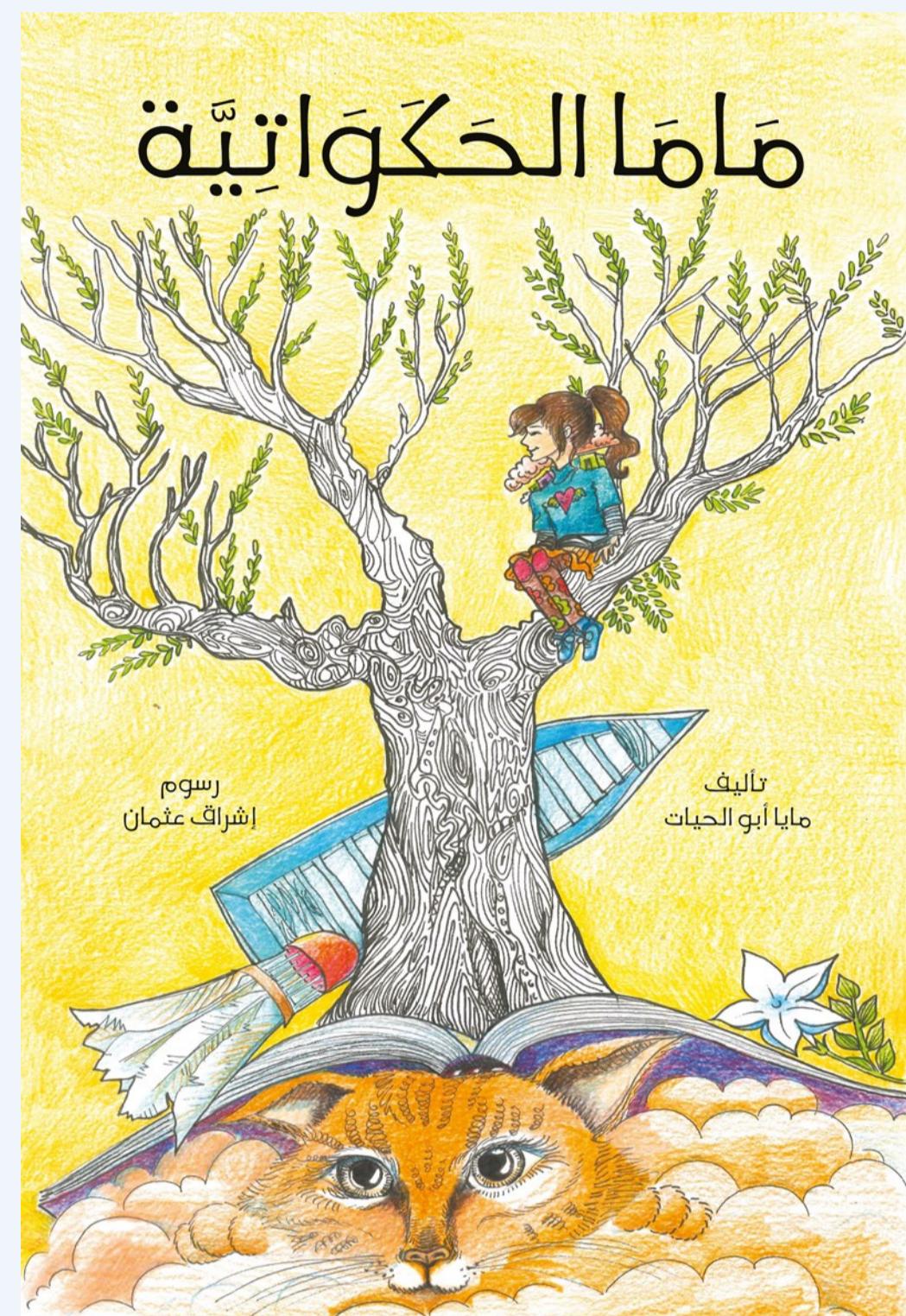
Mama the Storyteller

Author: Maya Abu Al-Hayyat

Drawings: Eshraq Othman

Age Category: 7-10

This is the story of Sama the storyteller, who is never the same twice. She is a giant one moment, a small breeze the next, and a butterfly among the lilies at other times. If you read this story to someone else, you'll understand why.



My Mama's Magic

Author: Amina Awad

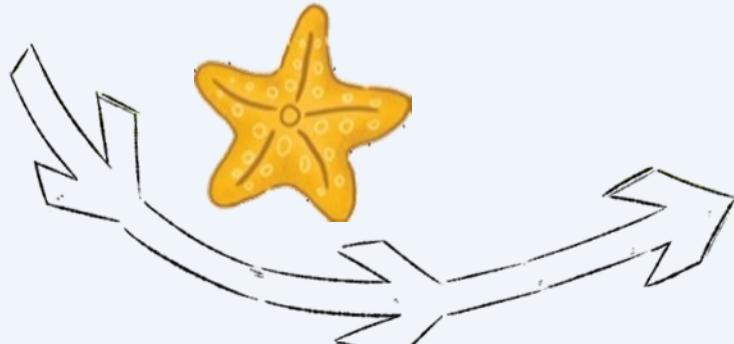
(English Version)

Drawings: Eshraq Othman

Age Category: 7-10

The residents of Zataari Camp have a Hakawati among them. This is the story of the woman behind the magic and how she spreads the love of reading far and wide.

It's worth noting that the book has been adapted into a documentary titled "The Storyteller Neighborhood," which has won many international prizes. For more information, visit the website: www.storytellerneighbourhood.com





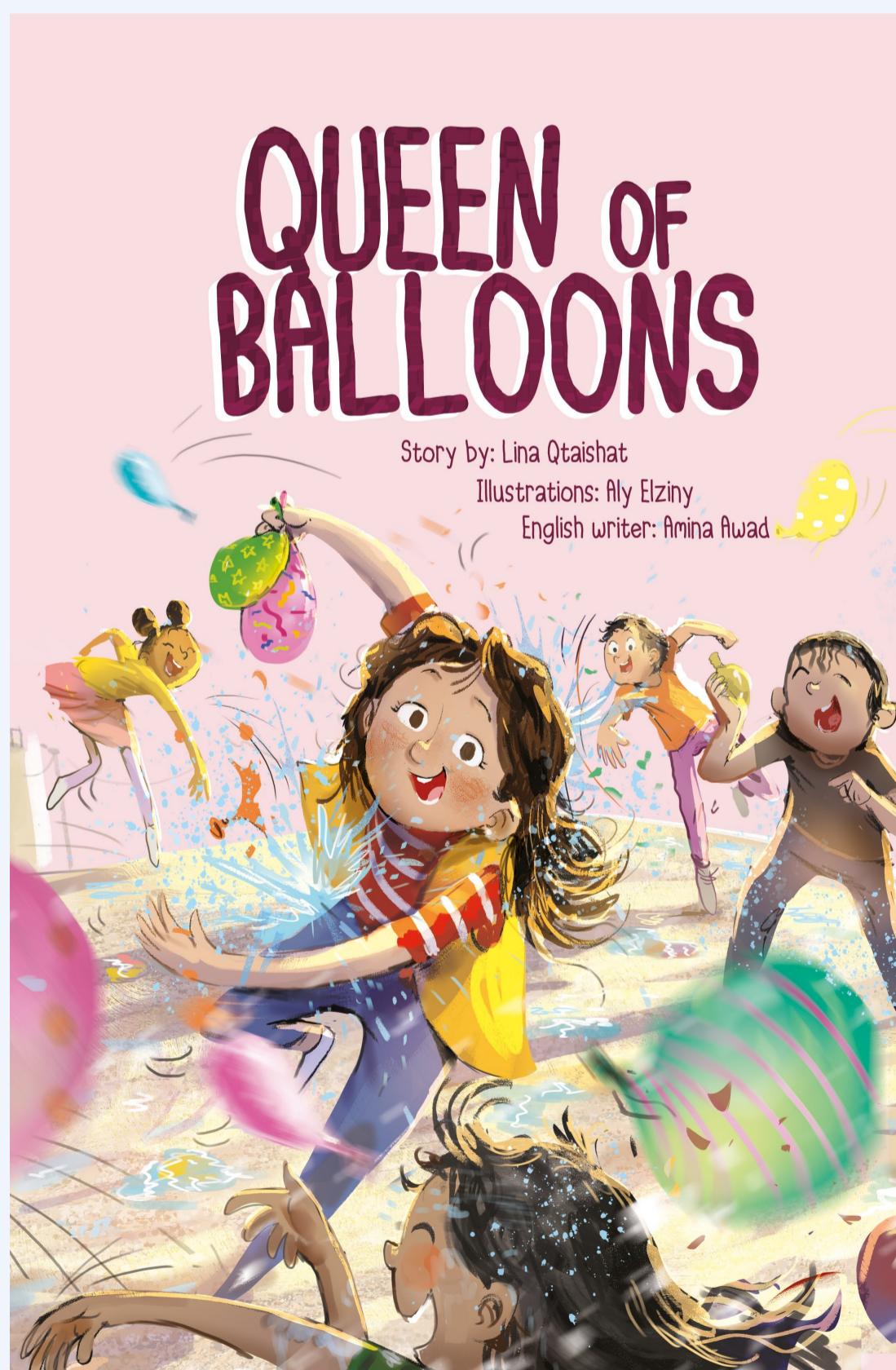
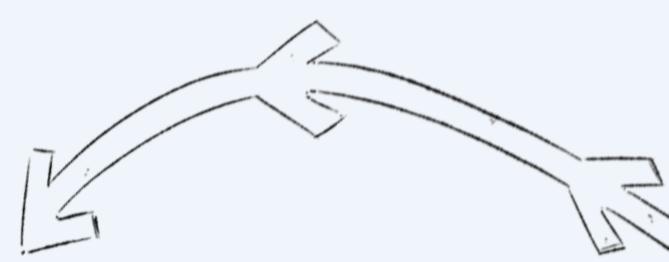
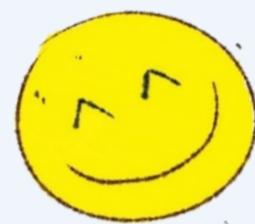
Queen of Balloons

Author: Lina Qtaishat

Drawings: Ali Al-Zaini

Age Category: 7-10

Aya discovers Uncle Omar's magical balloon store, making her the queen of the balloon game in all the neighborhoods. However, on one Wednesday and just minutes before the start of the game, something unforeseen occurred.



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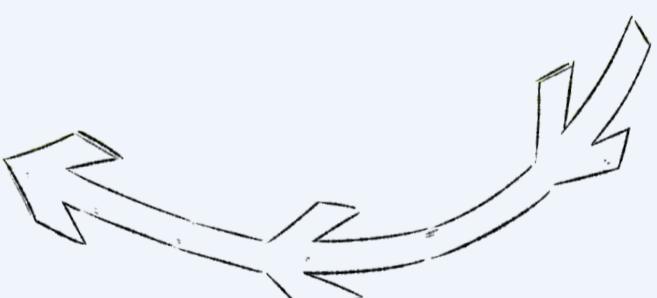
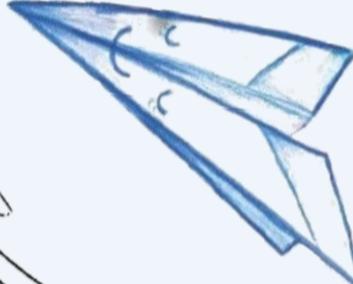
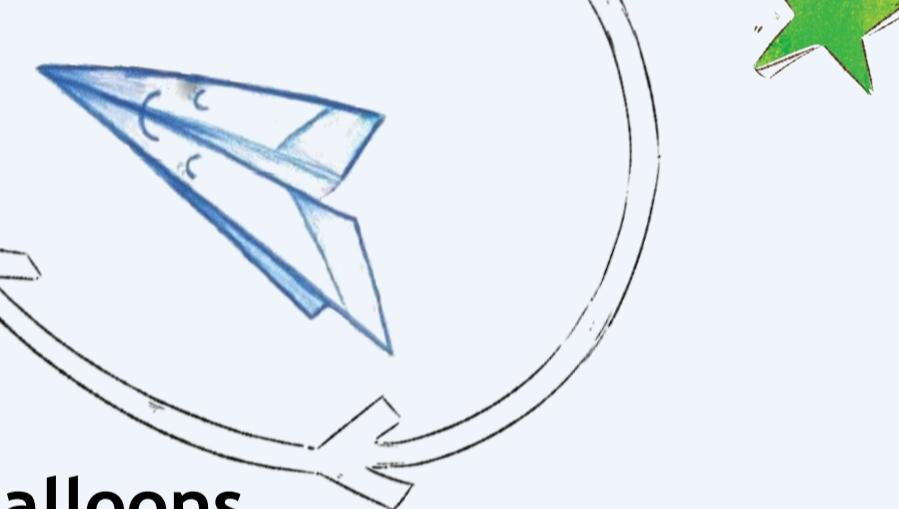
Translation: : Amina Awad

(English Version)

Drawings: Ali Al-Zaini

Age Category: 7-10

In a quest to become the Queen of Balloons in her neighborhood, Ayah discovers Uncle Omar's Shop for Magical Solutions. At first, she believes she has unlocked the secret to winning each balloon game. But Ayah ends up learning a much more valuable secret..





The Peppered Moth

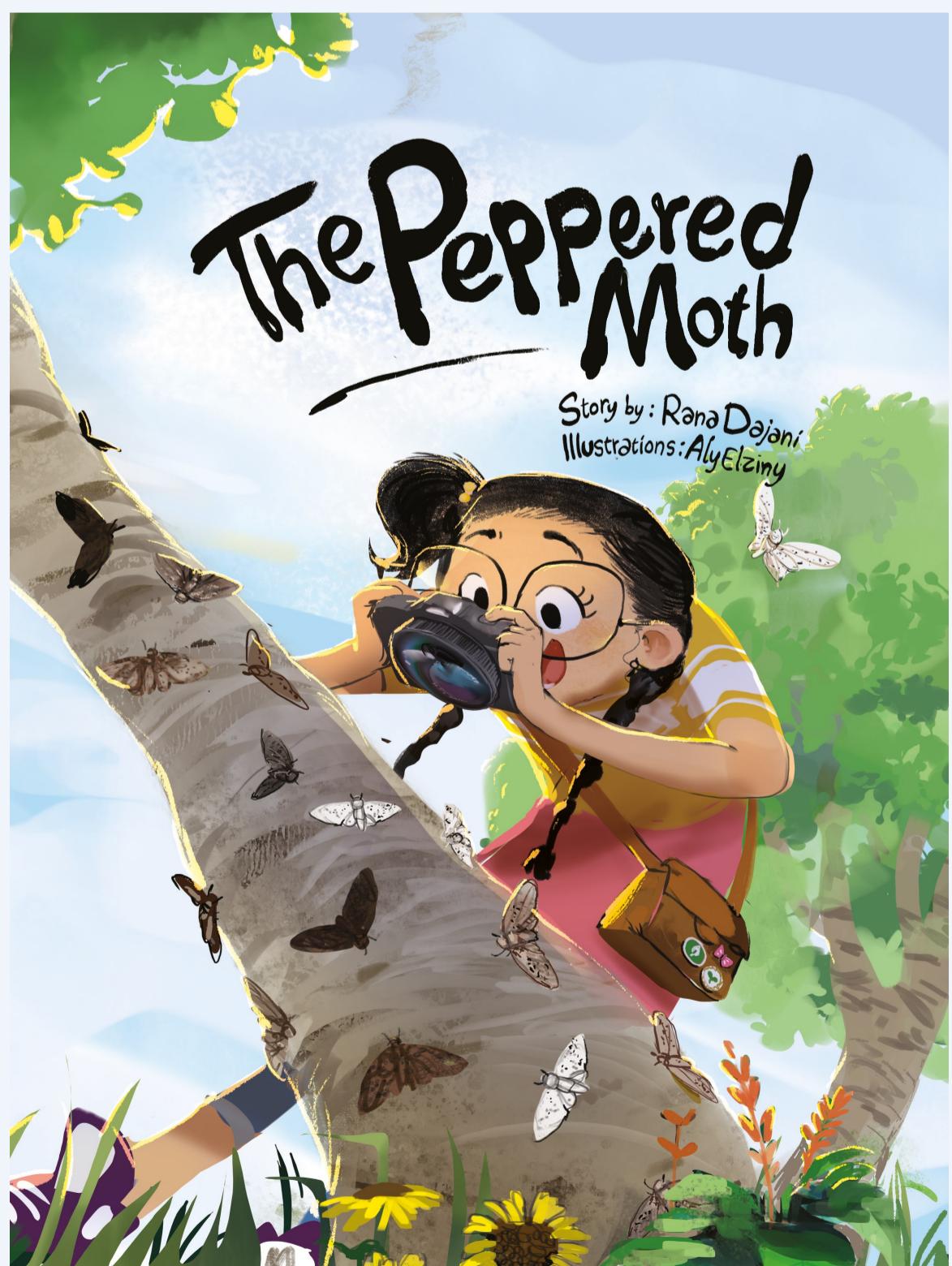
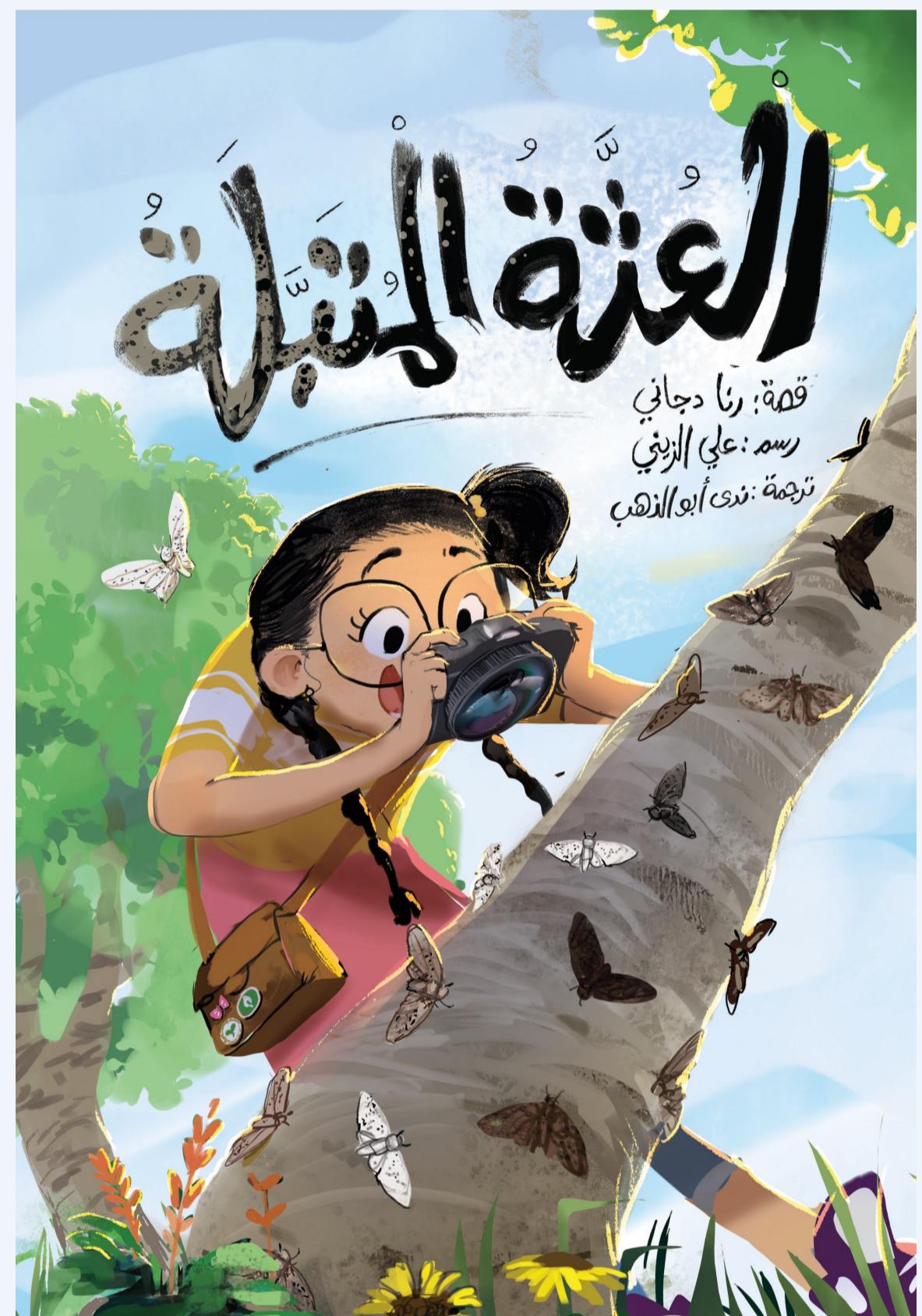
Author: Rana Dajani

Drawings: Ali Al-Zaini

Translation: Nada Abu Al- Dahab

Age Category: 7-10

Something strange happens in Salma's world; the color of insects and trees changes, even the color of her clothes and glasses! Will Salma discover the reason?"



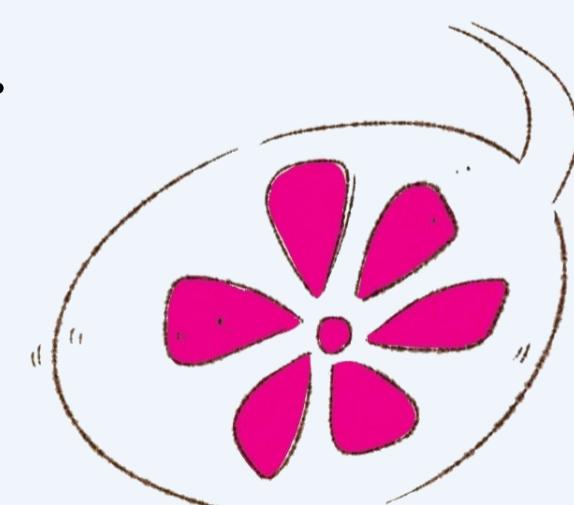
The Peppered Moth (English Version)

Author: Rana Dajani

Drawings: Ali Al-Zaini

Age Category: 7-10

Salma is very curious. Salma wants to know what is happening to the peppered moths on the trees in her garden. Let's join Salma on her journey of discovery.





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