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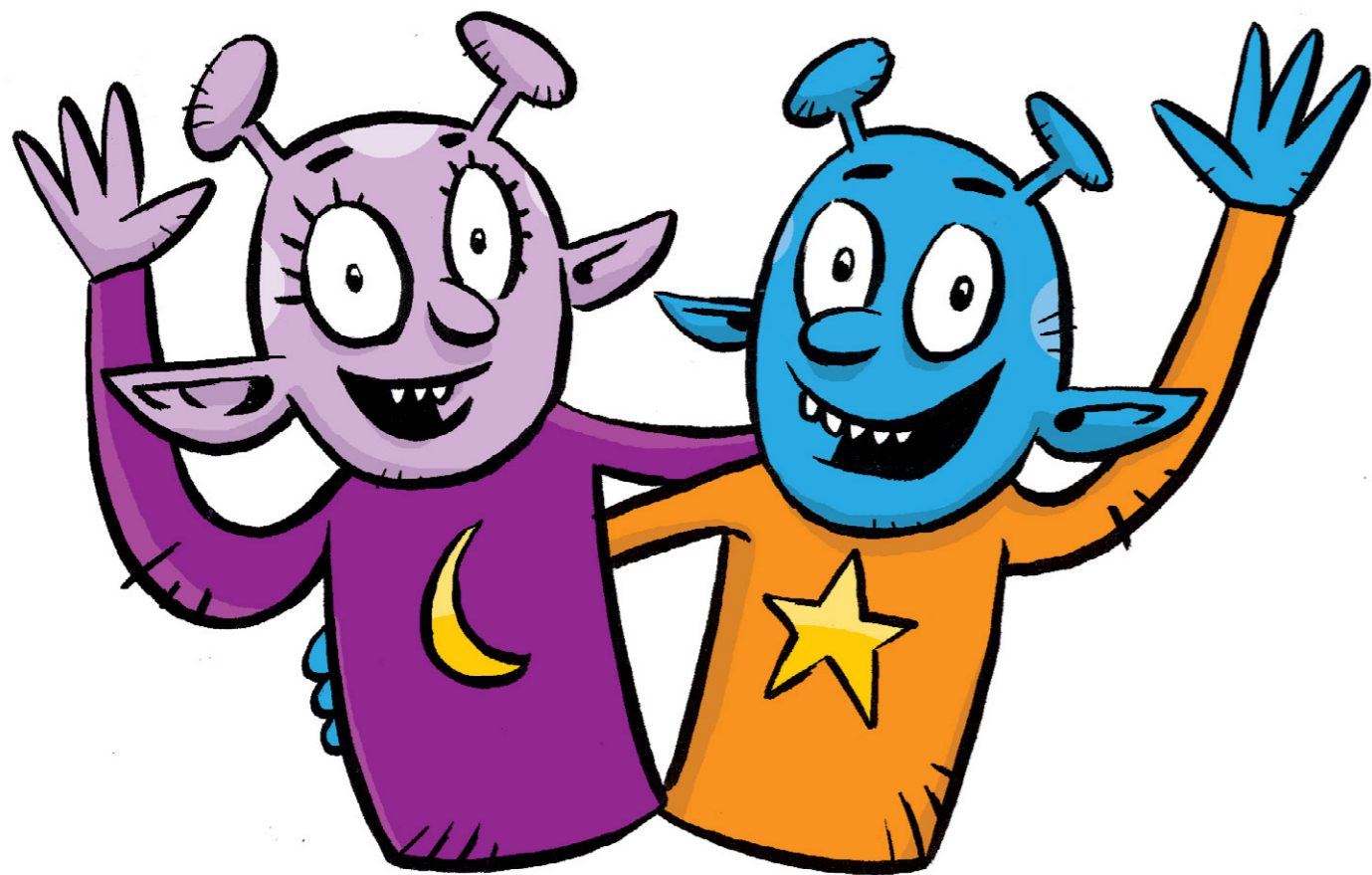
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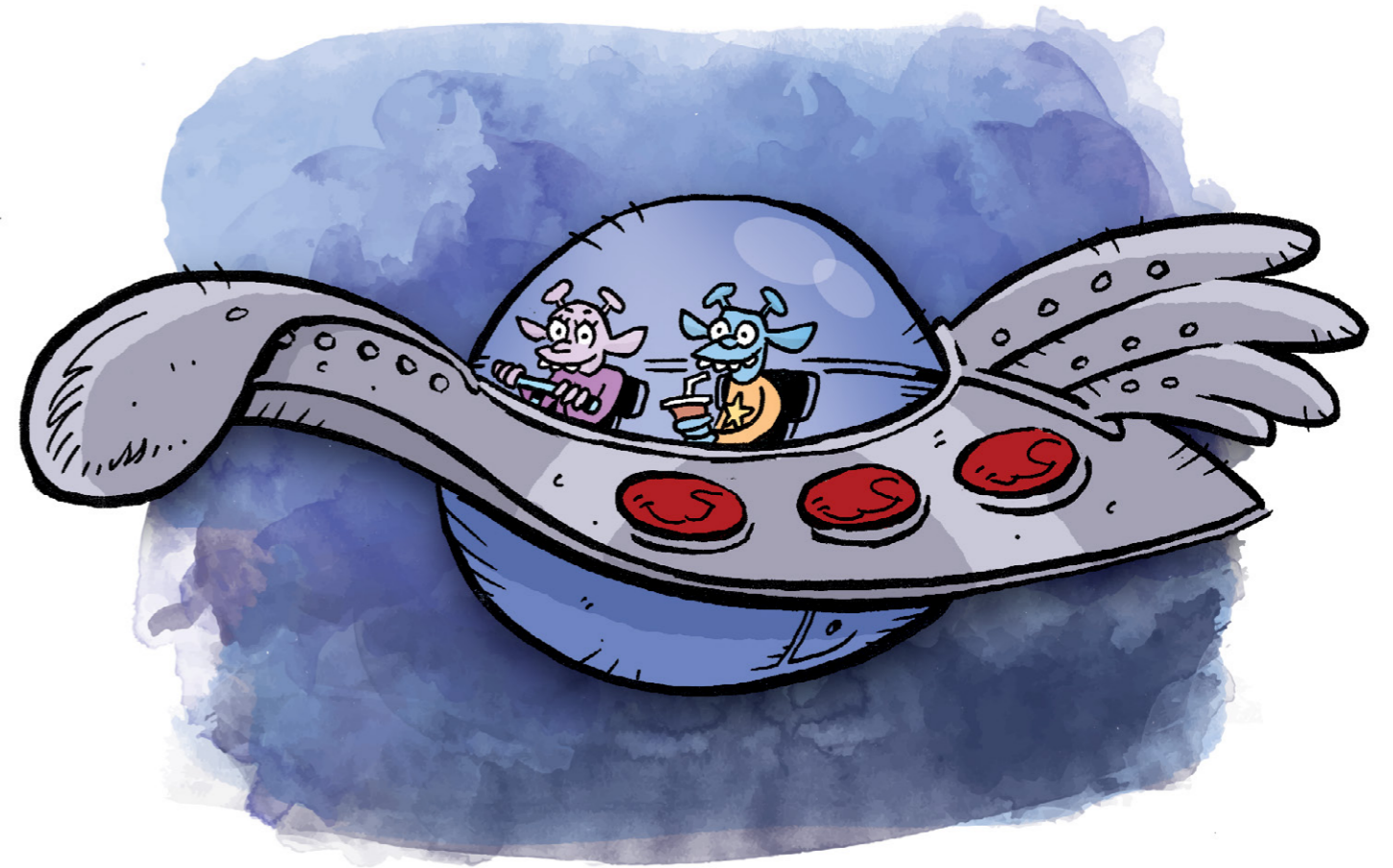


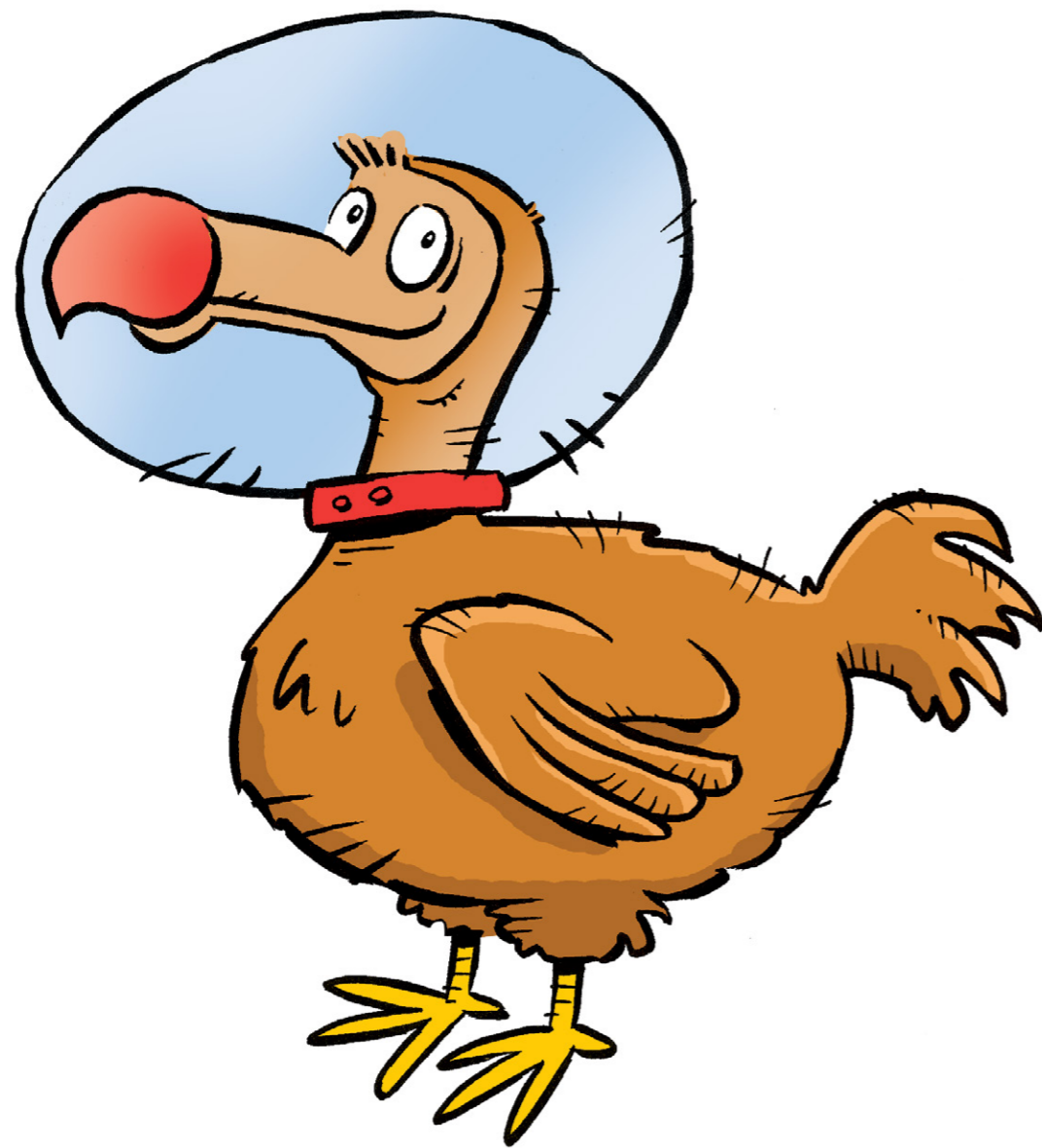
Hello every-blobby!

Our names are Binky and Zoink
and we are from a far away planet
called Alpha-Ba-Na-Na.

We have travelled many light-years
in our spaceship, the Millennium Dodo,
to visit the lovely, green planet
you call Earth.

Binky packed lots of snacks
so we didn't get hungry
on the way!





We hope to see many dodos here on Earth.

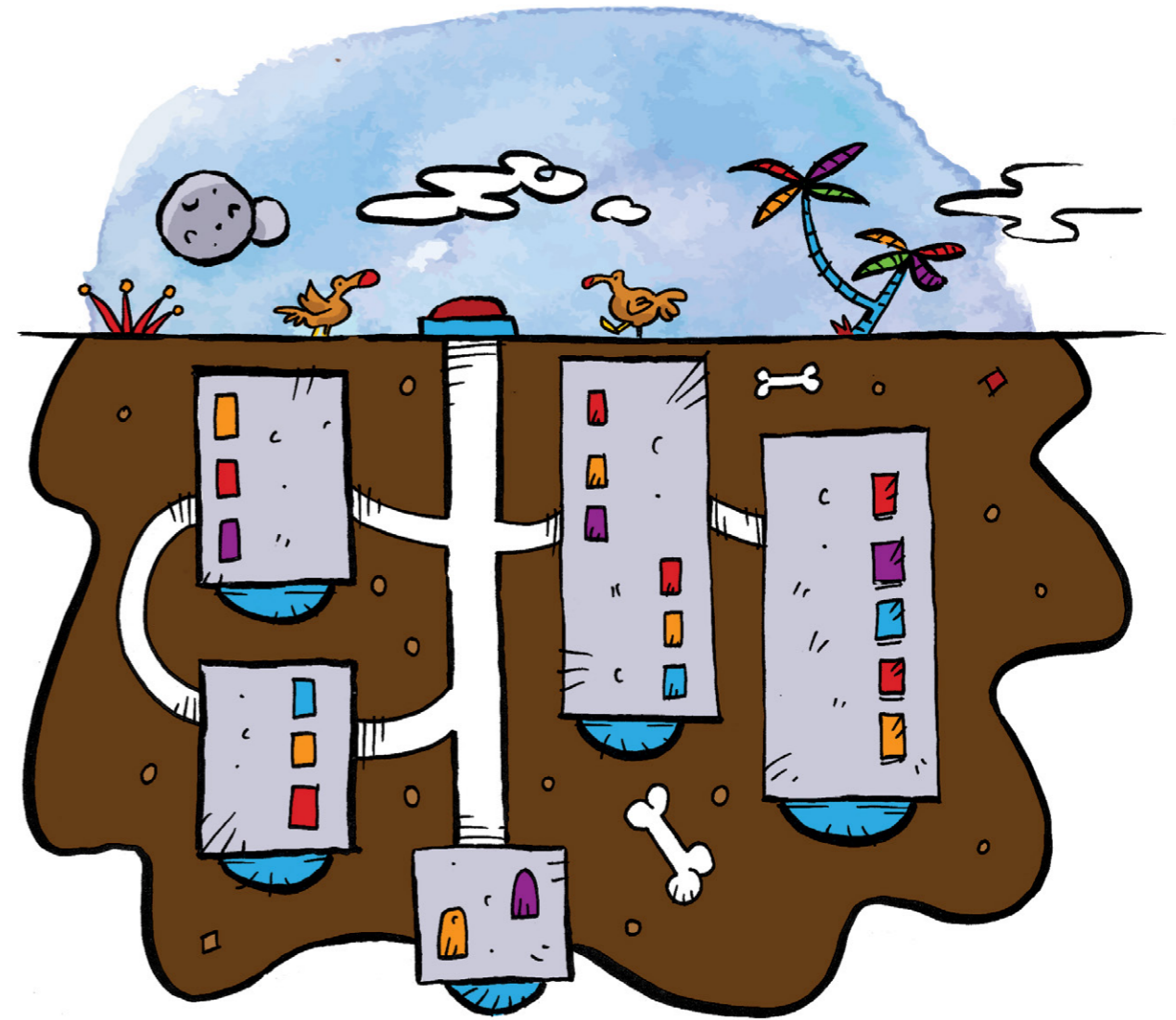
Dodos are Zoink's favourite kind of bird in the whole galaxy – he even named our spaceship after the dodo!

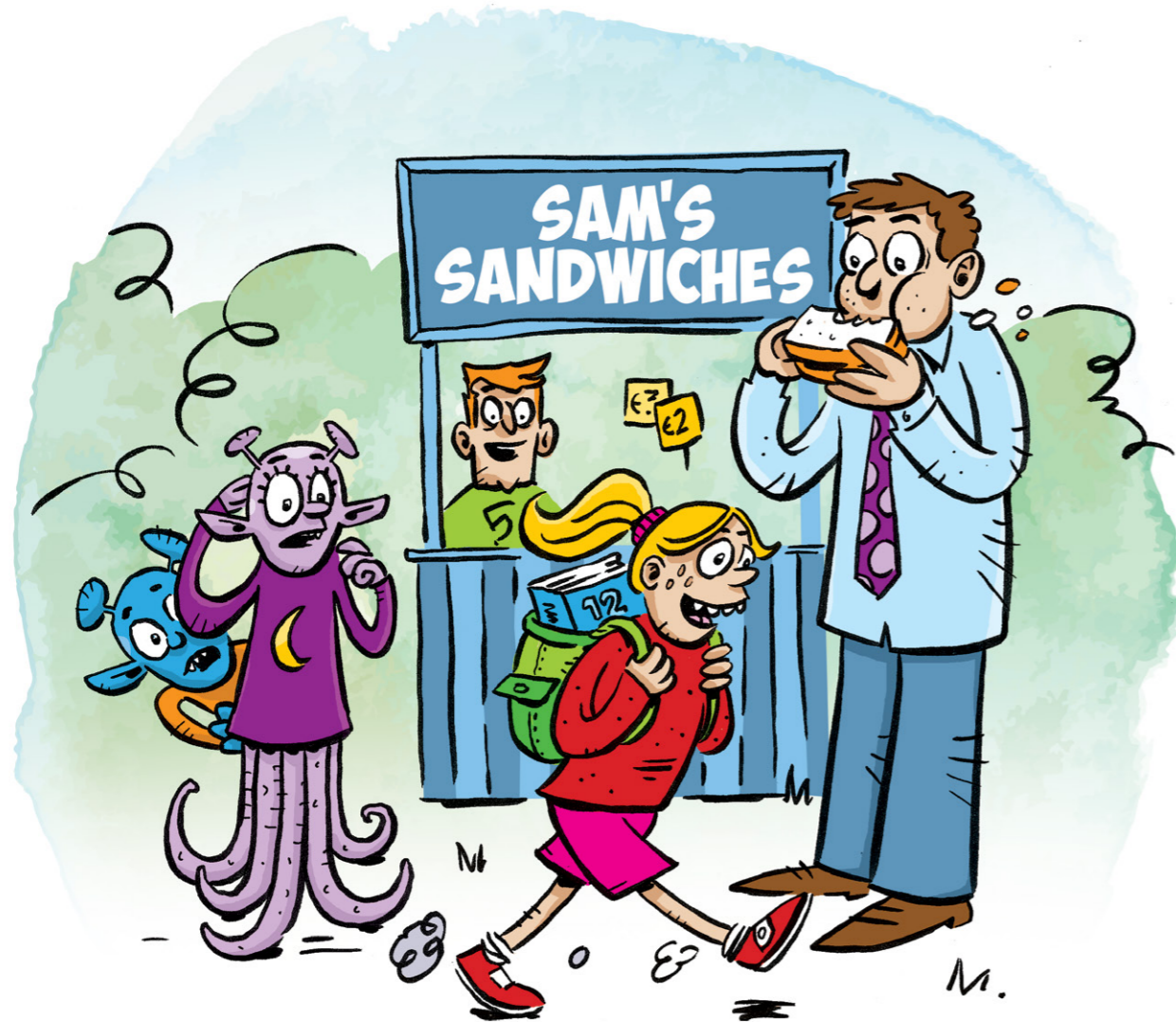
Do you have dodos in Ireland?

There are so many differences between Alpha-Ba-Na-Na and your planet.

On Earth you live in buildings overground, but on Alpha-Ba-Na-Na we live underground in burrows.

How bright it must be for you in the mornings when the sun shines through your windows!





On our planet all we eat is mashed bananas, but here on Earth you eat yummy sandwiches.

On Alpha-Ba-Na-Na, our books are made out of banana skins, but on your planet your books are made out of paper and have lots of lovely pictures.

On Earth you play games like hurling and hopscotch and chess, but on our planet the most popular game is called 'laser jump'.

Binky doesn't like to play laser jump because the last time she played she hurt three of her legs.





The first person we met when we came to Earth was called Séan.

He showed us how we could use Earth money to buy ice cream.

Zoink loved the ice cream, but we didn't bring much Earth money with us from Alpha-Ba-Na-Na.

Séan showed us where the library was too.

We both loved the library. It was full of books and games and DVDs, and you could borrow them for free!

With the money we saved, we decided to buy loads of ice cream to bring home to Alpha-Ba-Na-Na!



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