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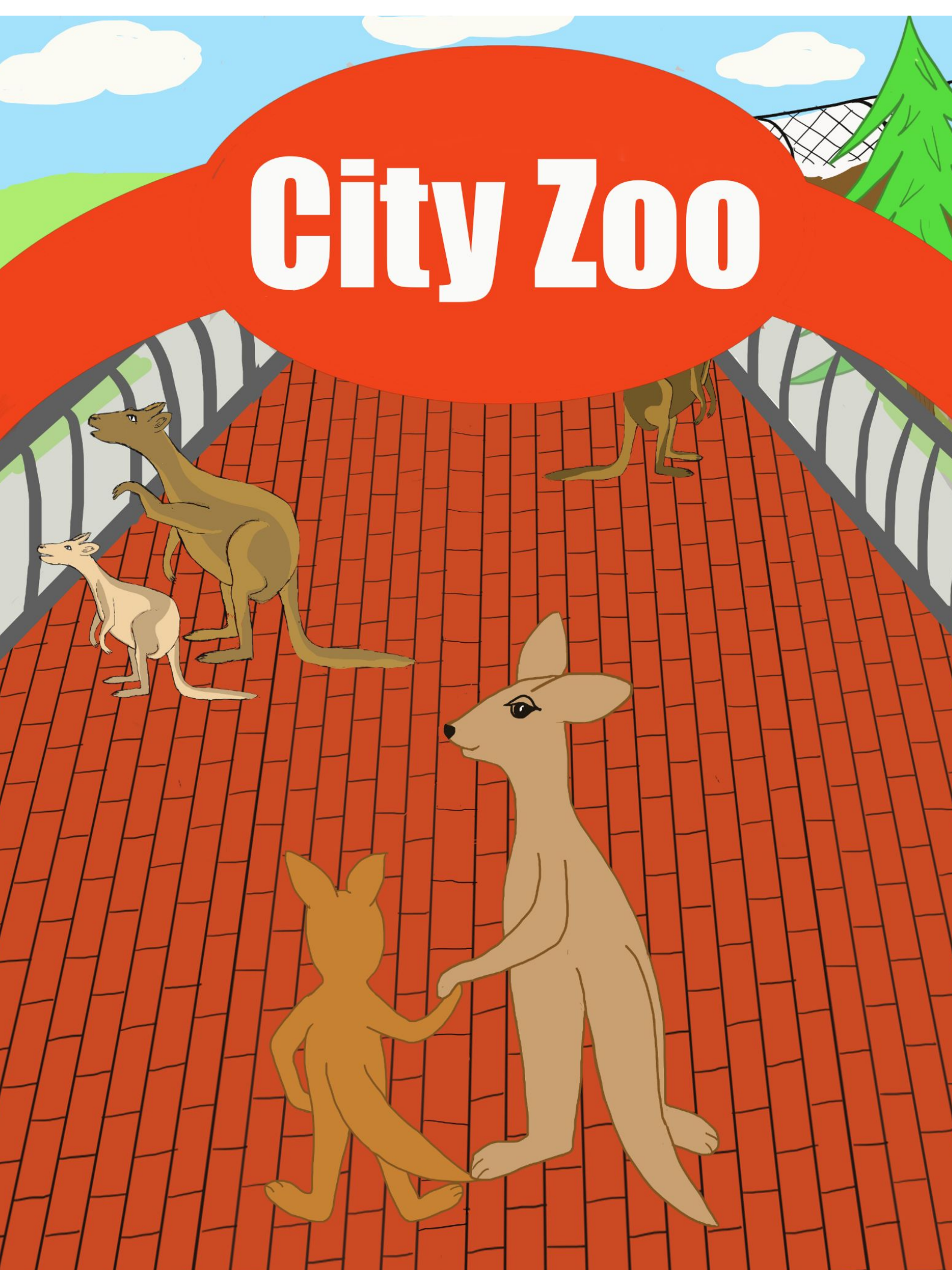
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For Mike

42+ years of imaginative play...

*Love always,
gail*

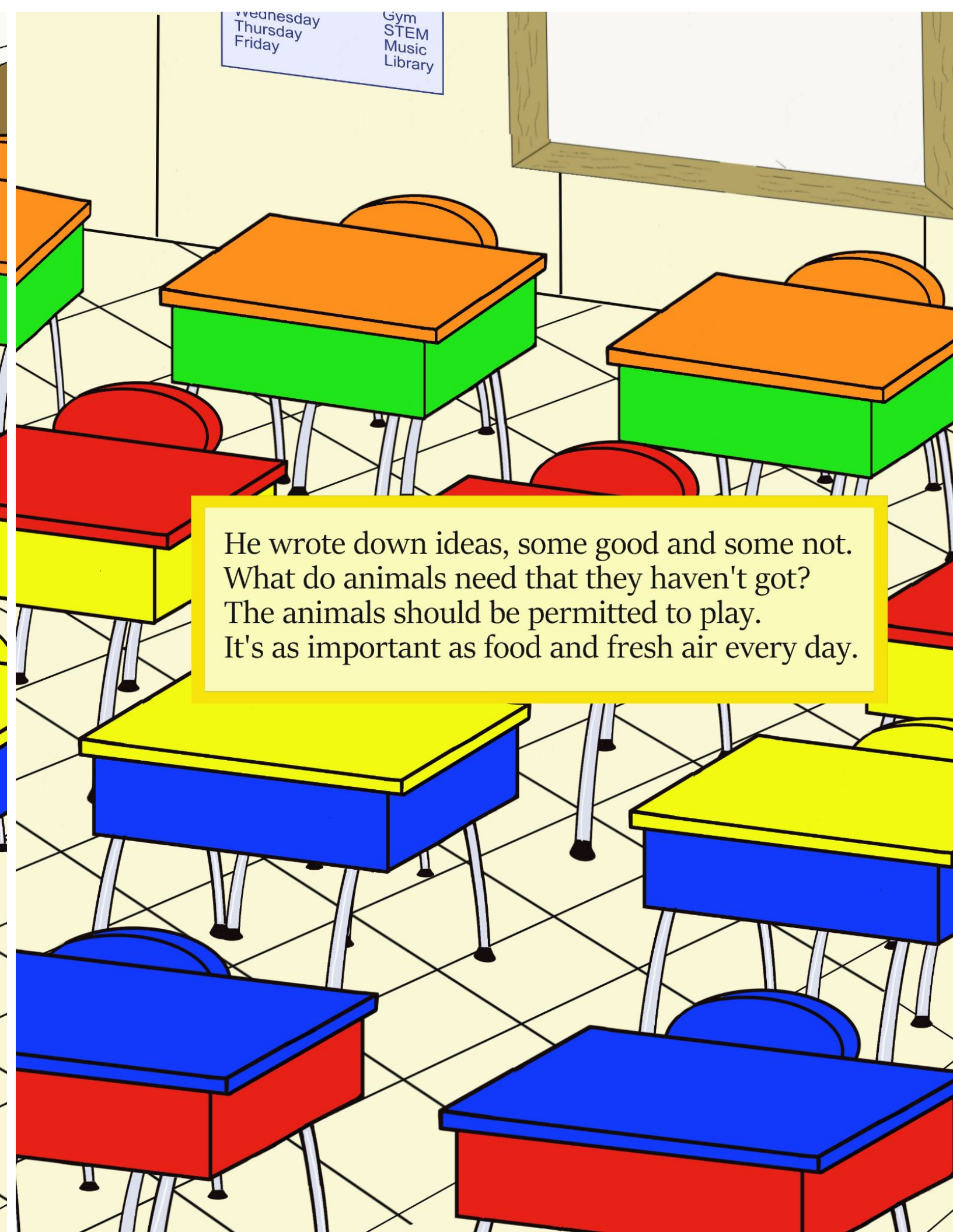
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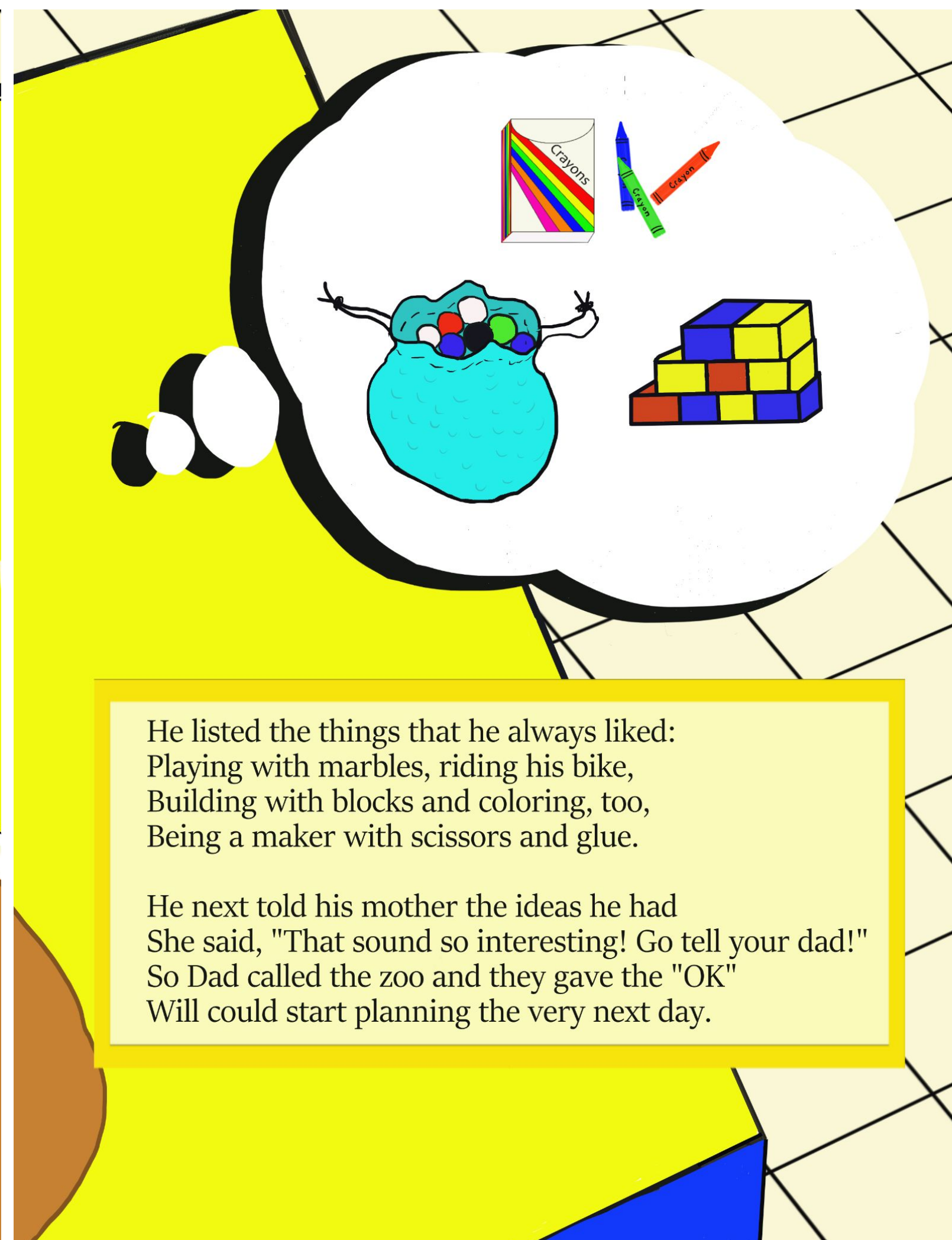
Willoughby Wallaby went to the zoo.
He said, "These animals have nothing to do!"

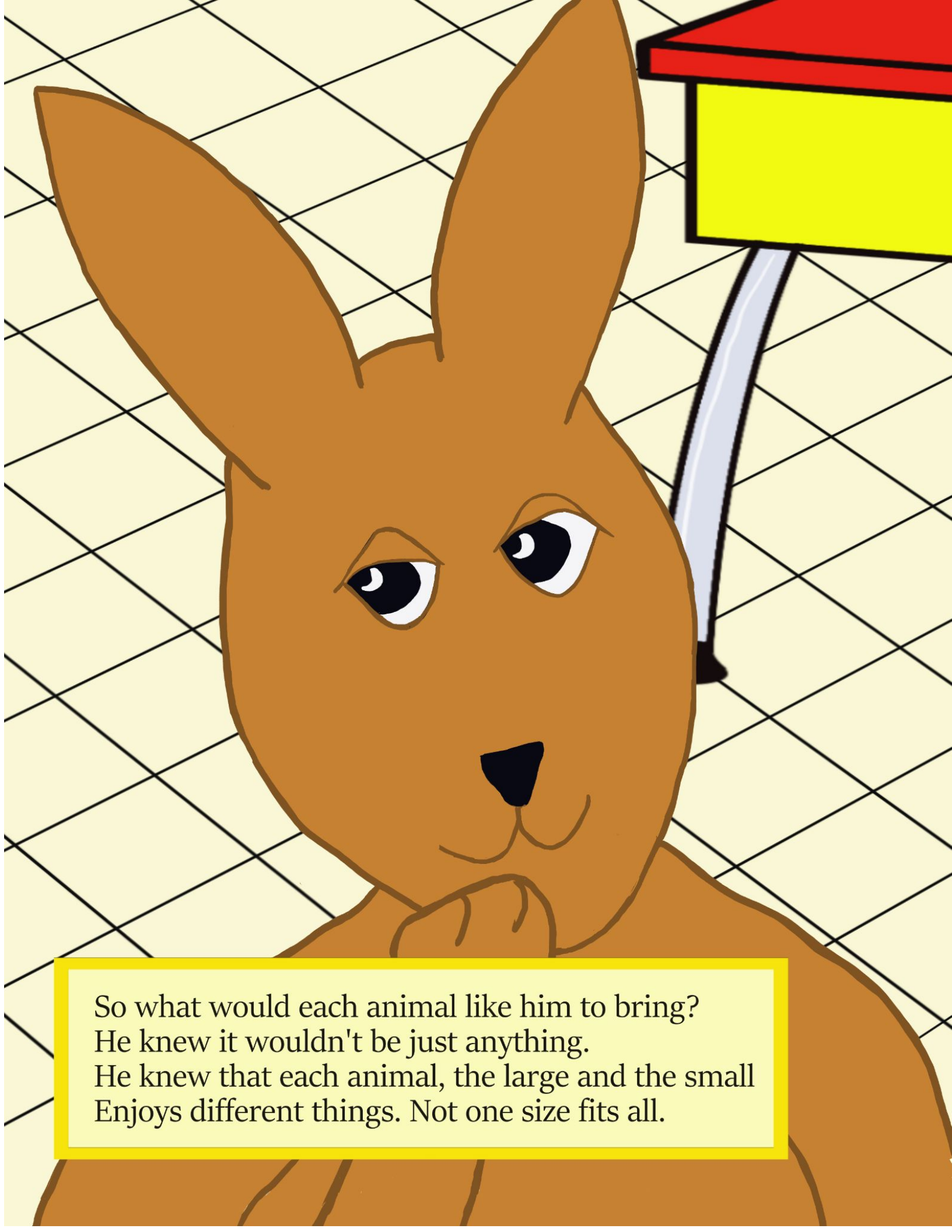


So Willoughby stayed in at recess at school and used his green pencil, his favorite tool.

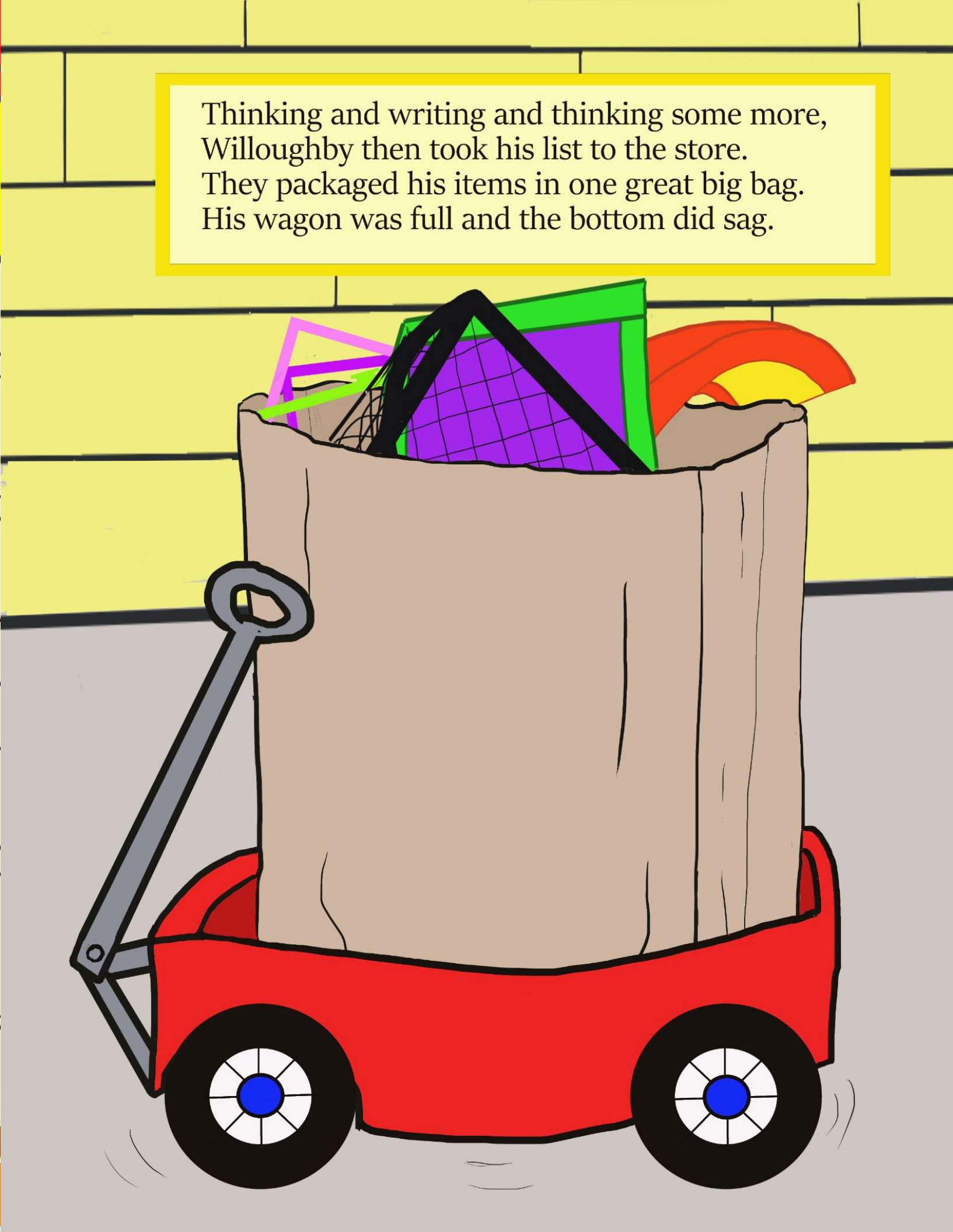


He wrote down ideas, some good and some not. What do animals need that they haven't got? The animals should be permitted to play. It's as important as food and fresh air every day.





So what would each animal like him to bring?
He knew it wouldn't be just anything.
He knew that each animal, the large and the small
Enjoys different things. Not one size fits all.



Thinking and writing and thinking some more,
Willoughby then took his list to the store.
They packaged his items in one great big bag.
His wagon was full and the bottom did sag.