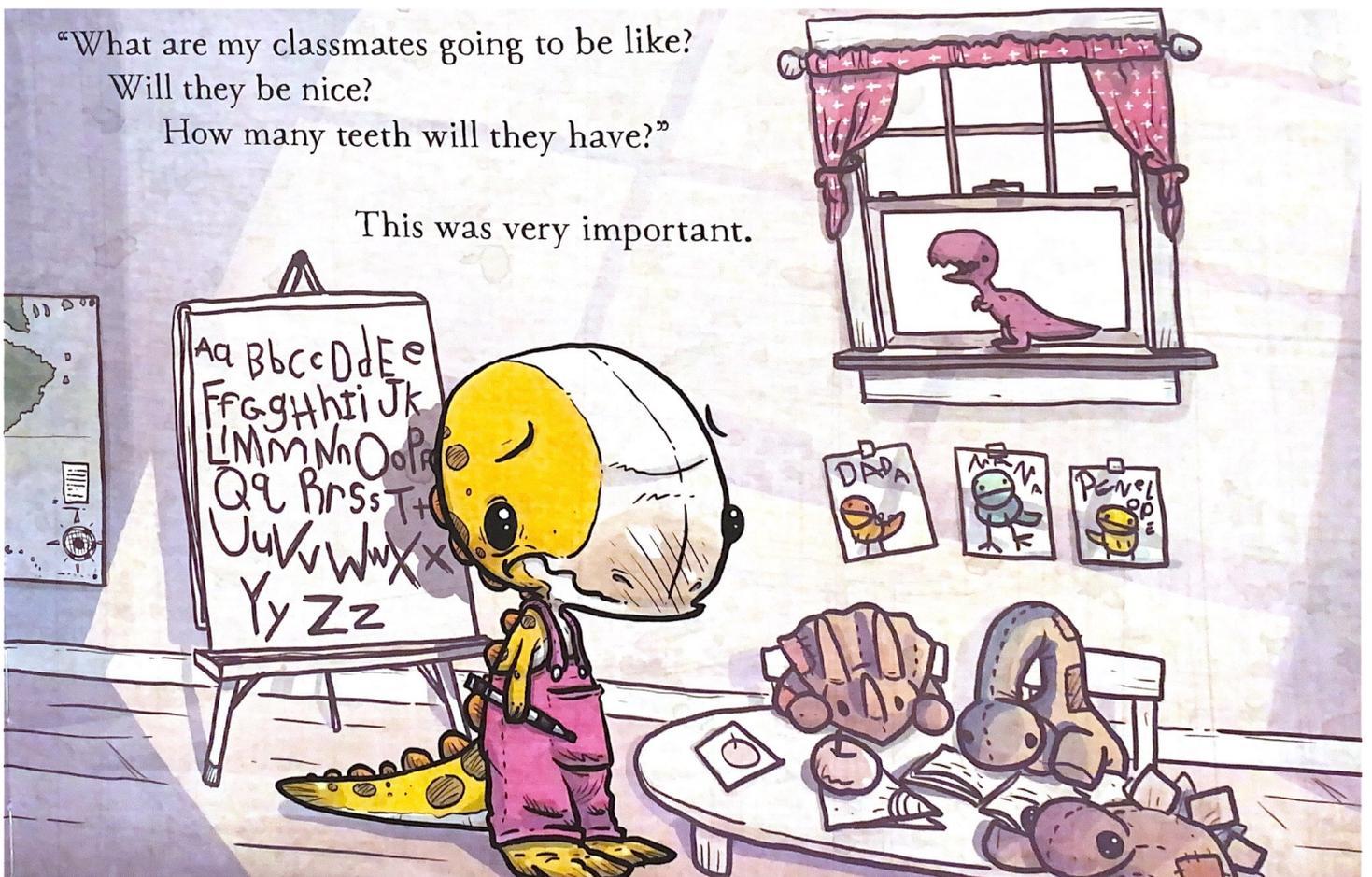


♥ PENNELOPE ♥



“What are my classmates going to be like?
Will they be nice?
How many teeth will they have?”

This was very important.



Penelope's mom bought her a new backpack
with ponies on it.



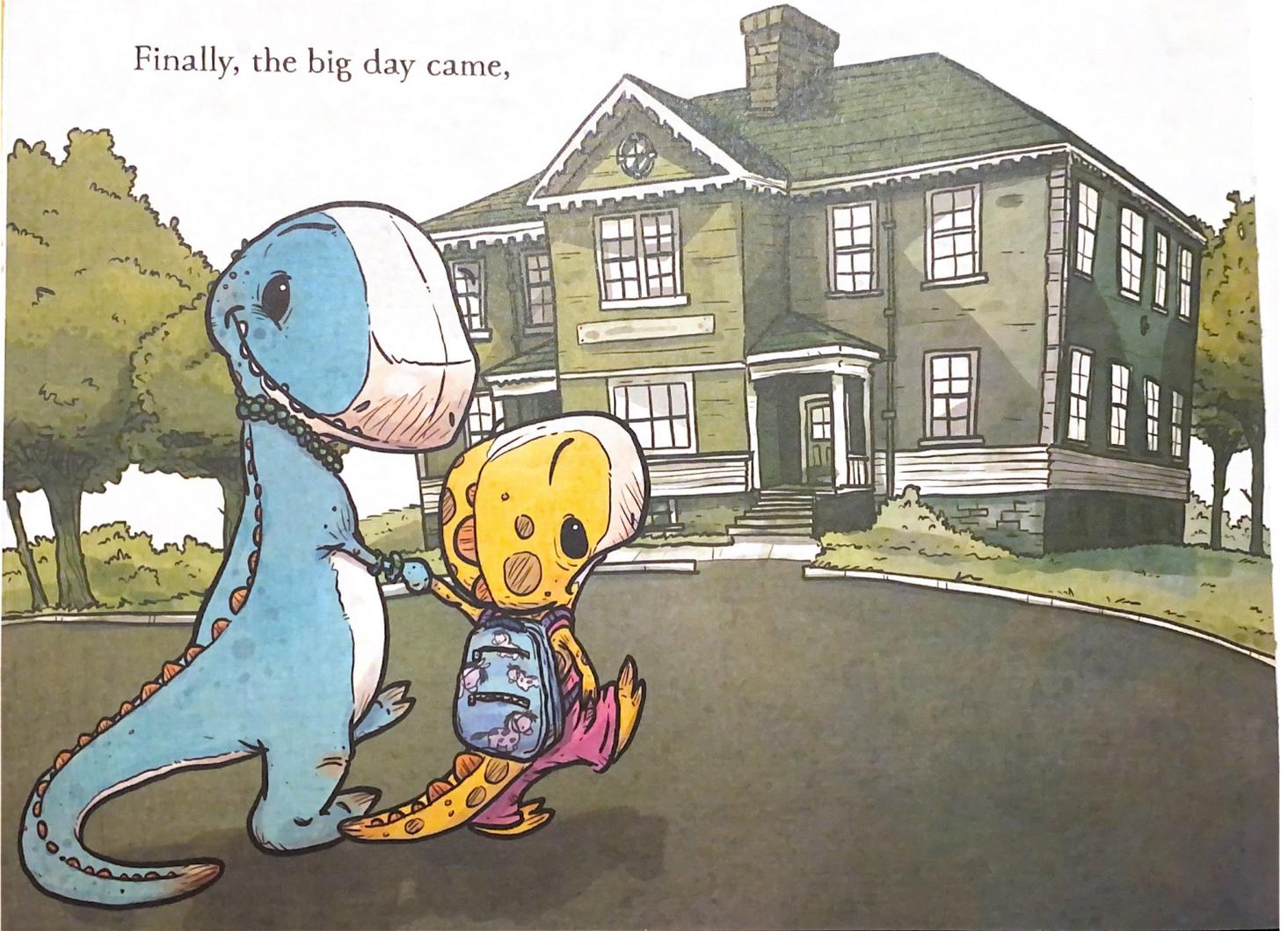
Ponies were Penelope's favorite.
Because ponies are delicious.

Penelope's dad packed her a lunch of three hundred
tuna sandwiches



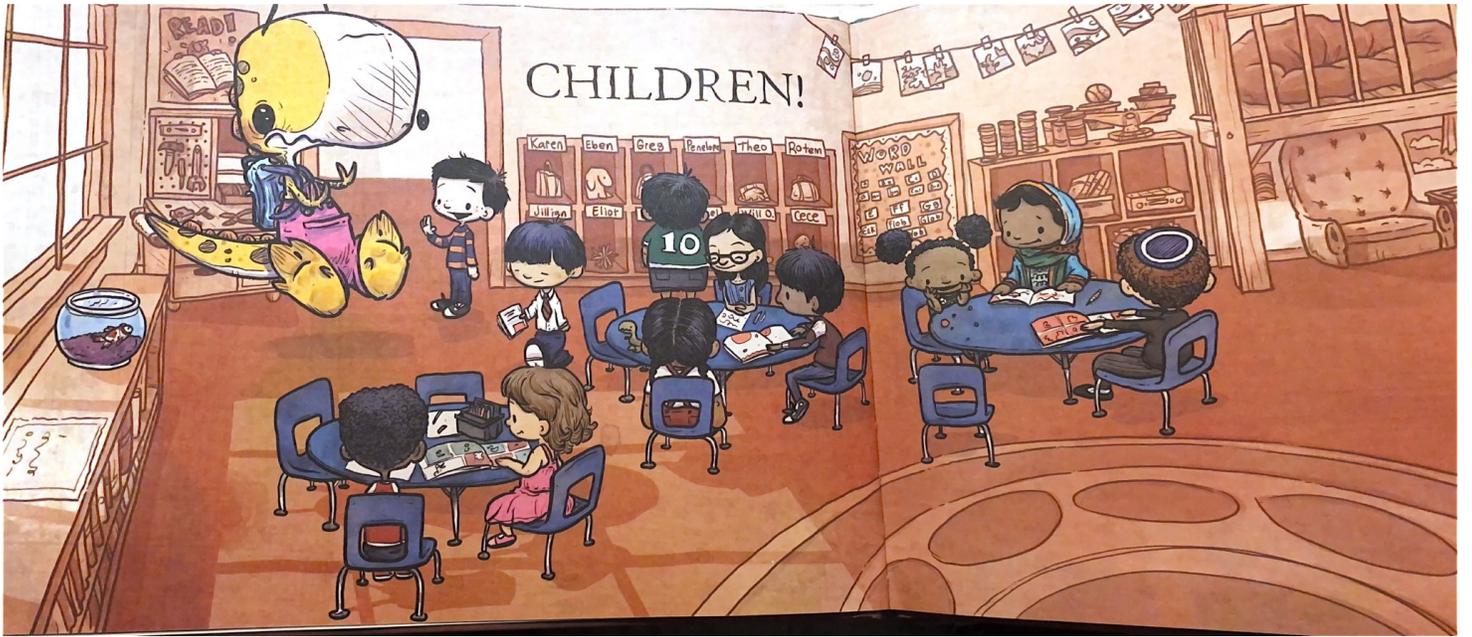
and one apple juice.

Finally, the big day came,



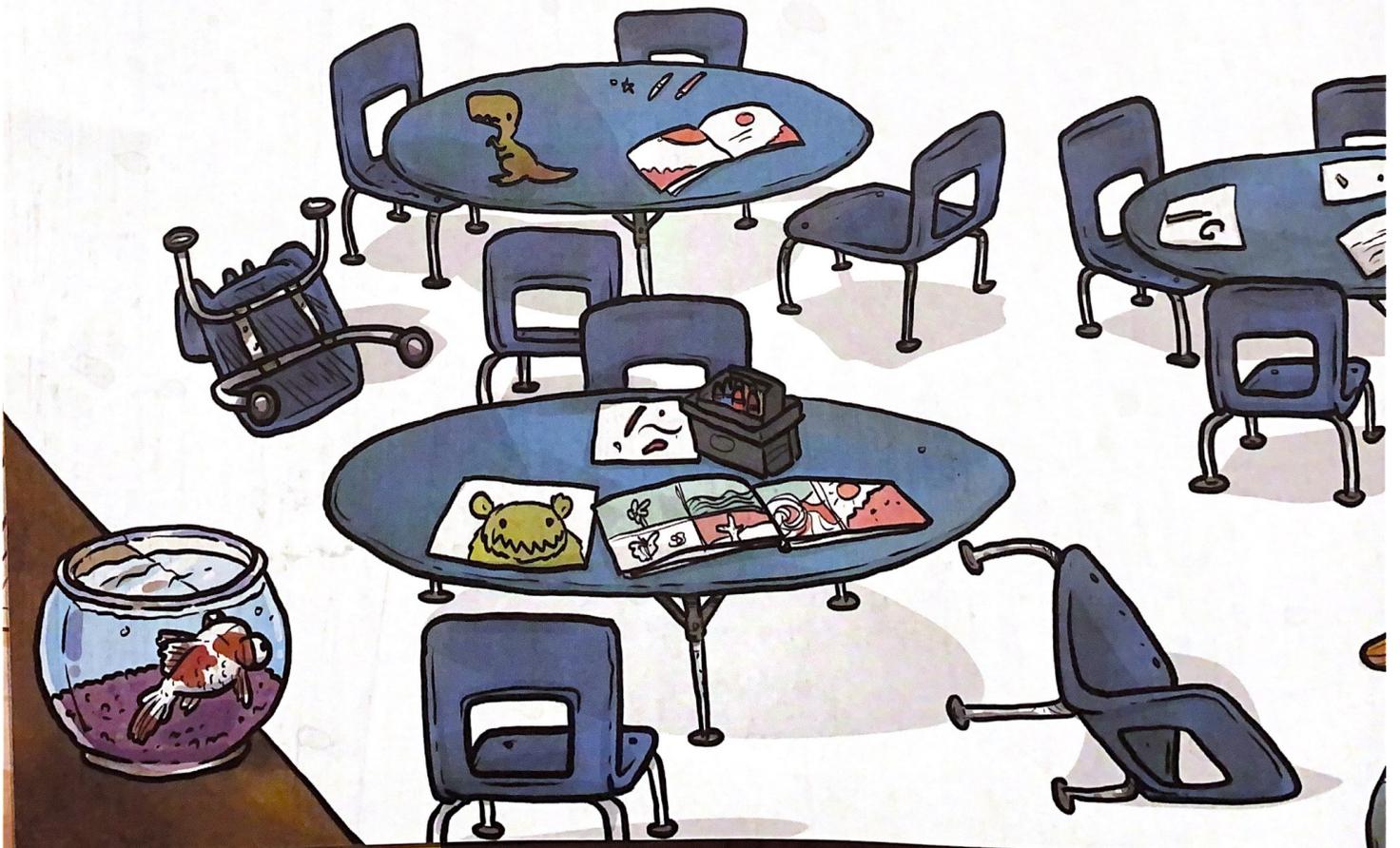
and Penelope Rex was very surprised to find out
that all of her classmates were . . .





So she ate them.

Because children are delicious.





“Penelope Rex!” said Mrs. Noodleman,

WE DON'T EAT
OUR CLASSMATES!
Please spit them
out at once!

So she did.



It was NOT the best way to start school.
Still, Penelope was determined to have a good first day.



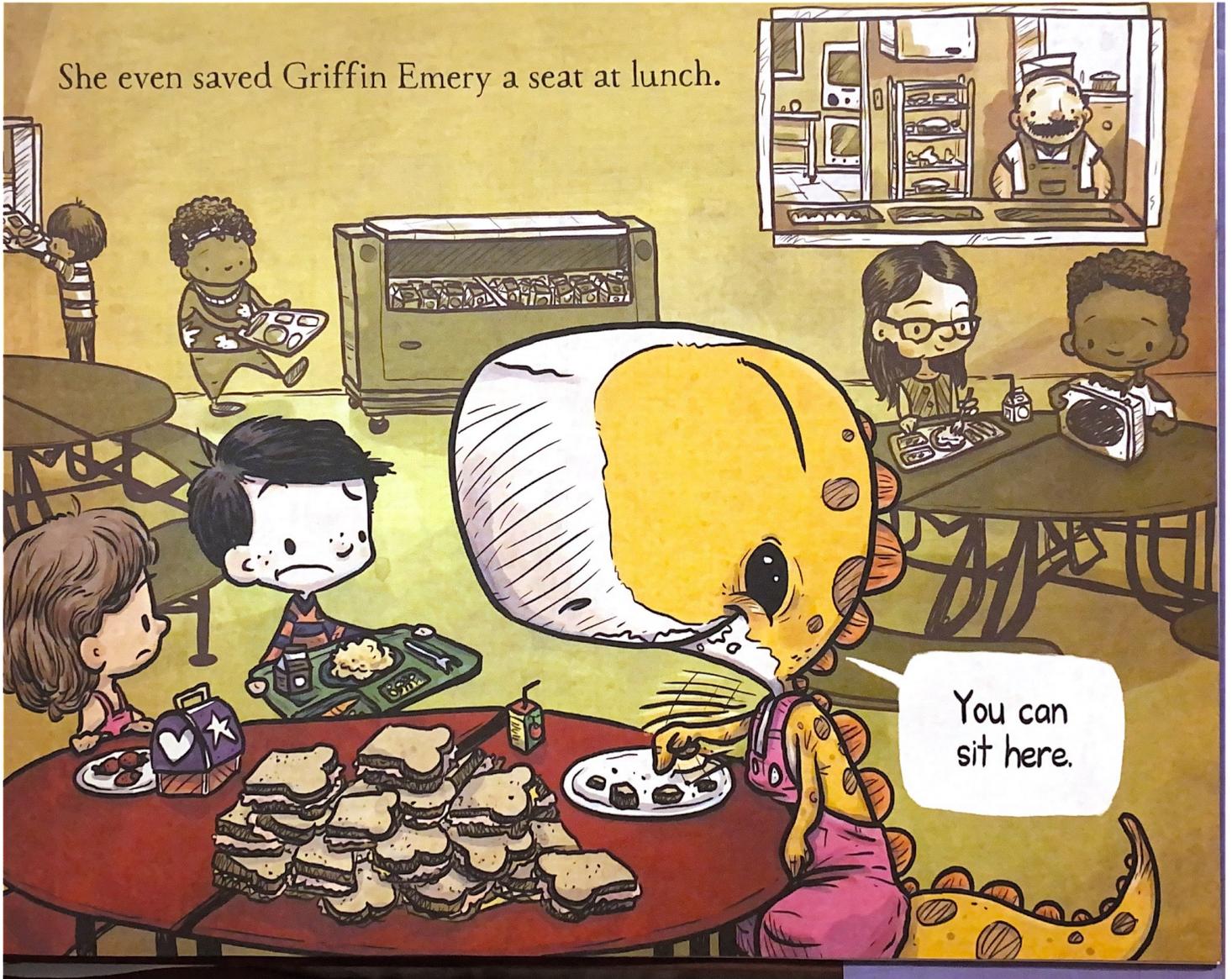
She tried hard to make friends at recess.



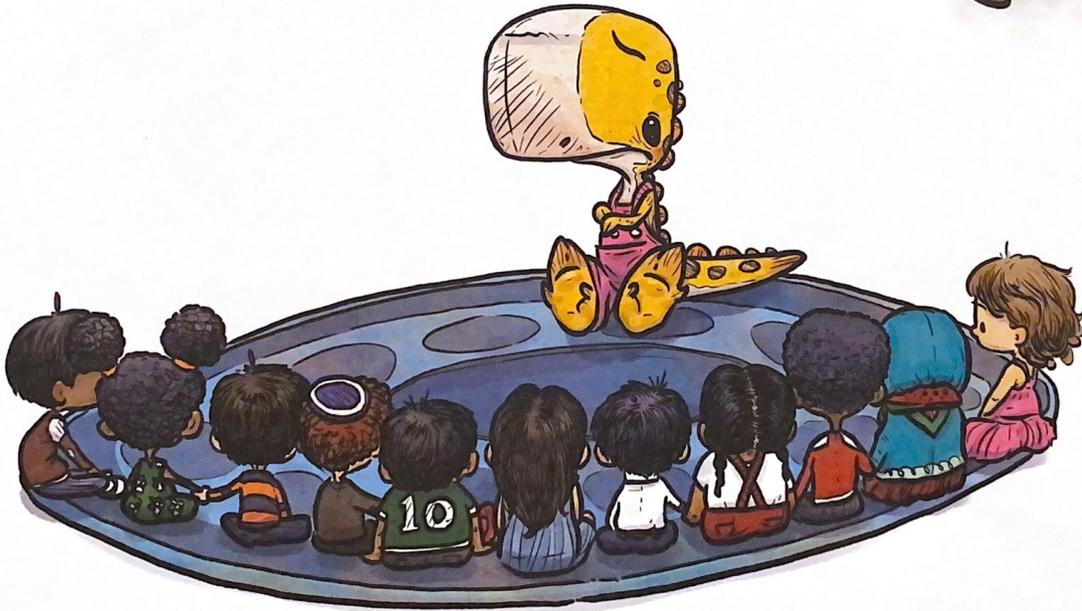
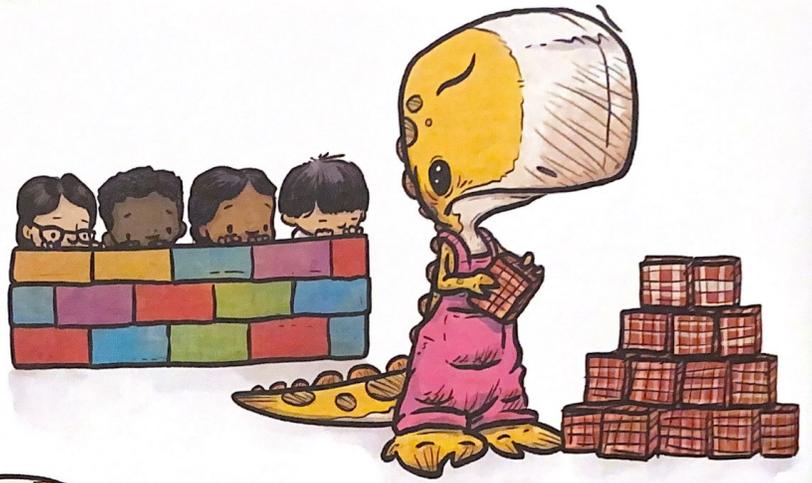
She finger-painted some of her best work.

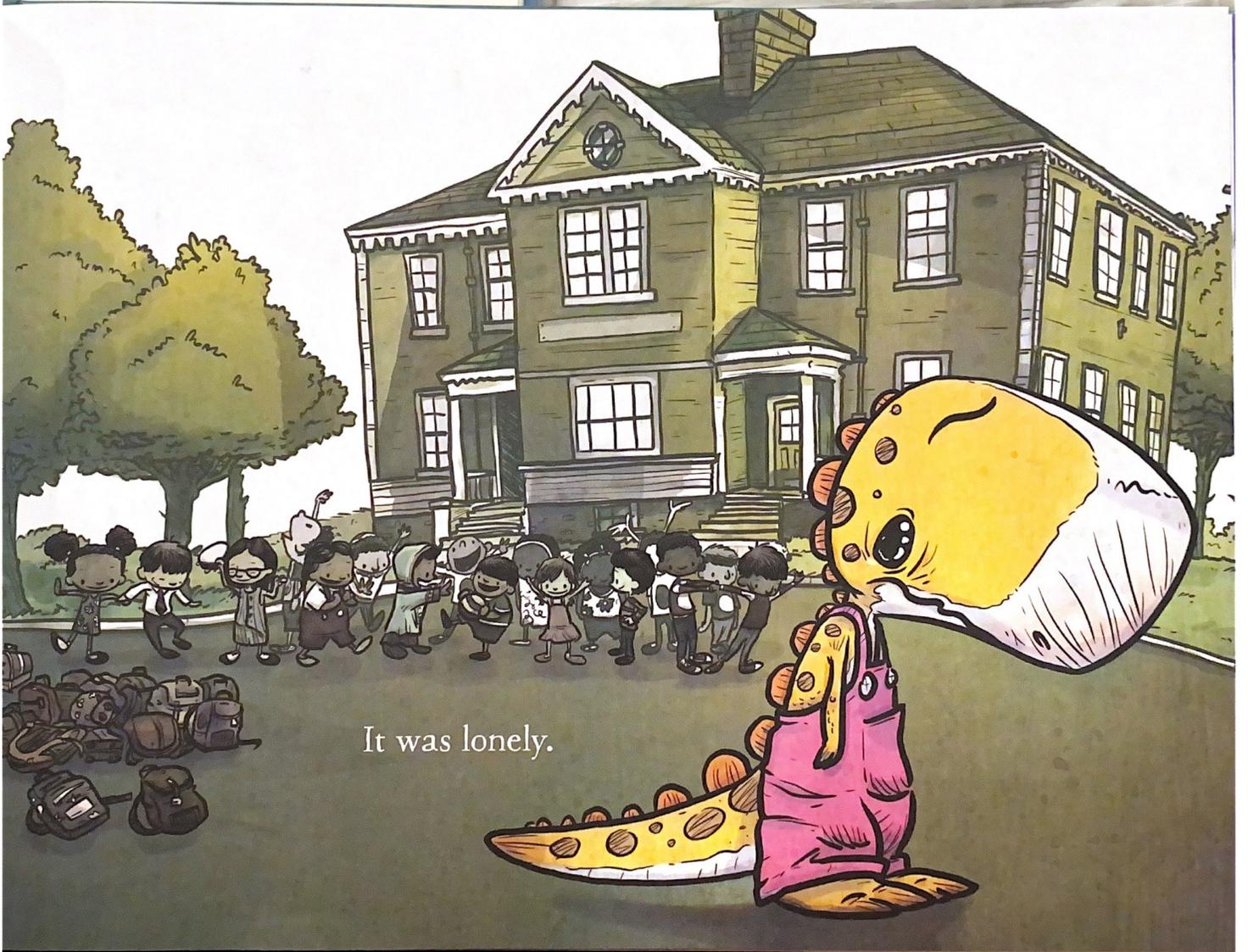


She even saved Griffin Emery a seat at lunch.



Penelope started to notice everyone was making friends but her.

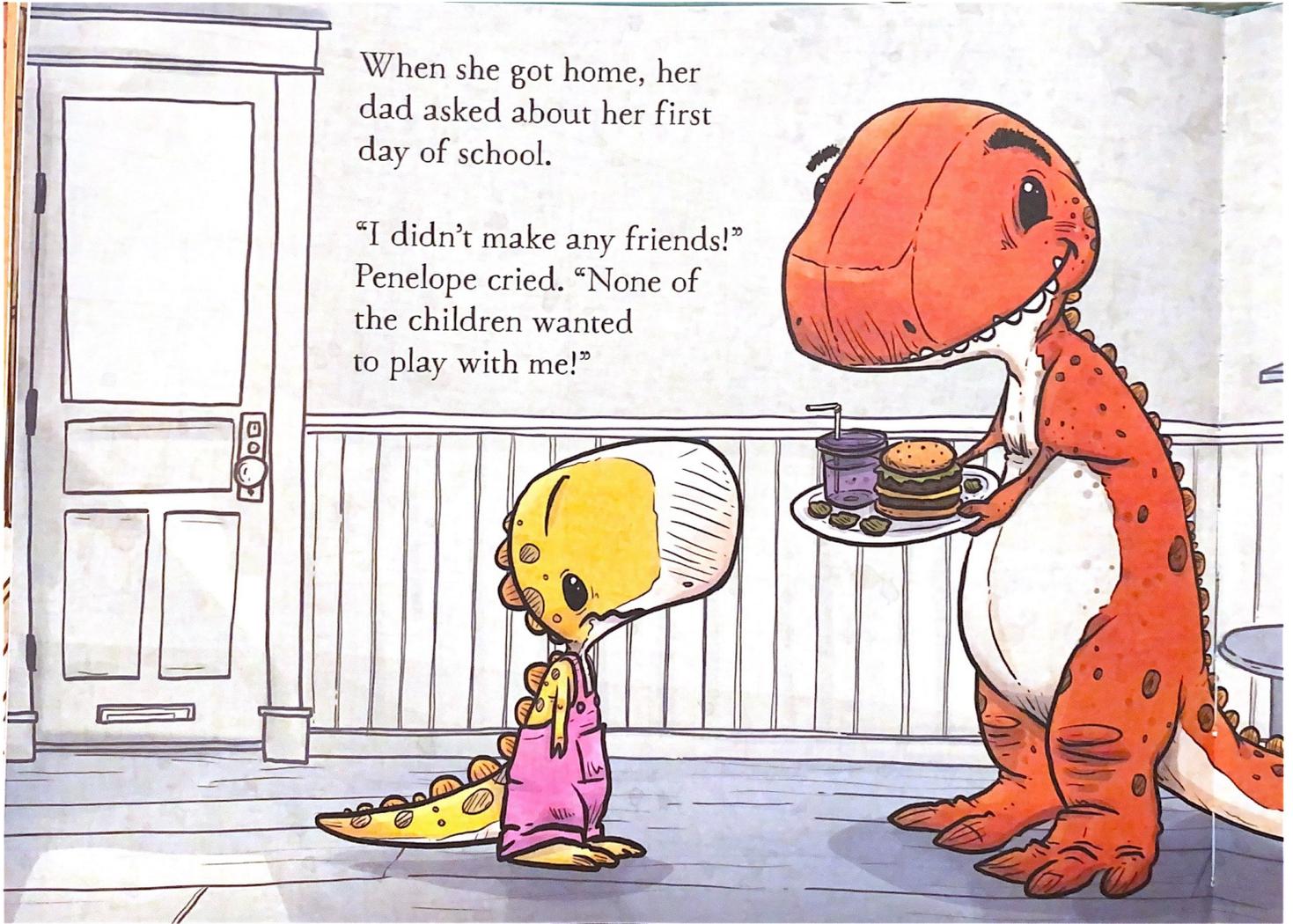




It was lonely.

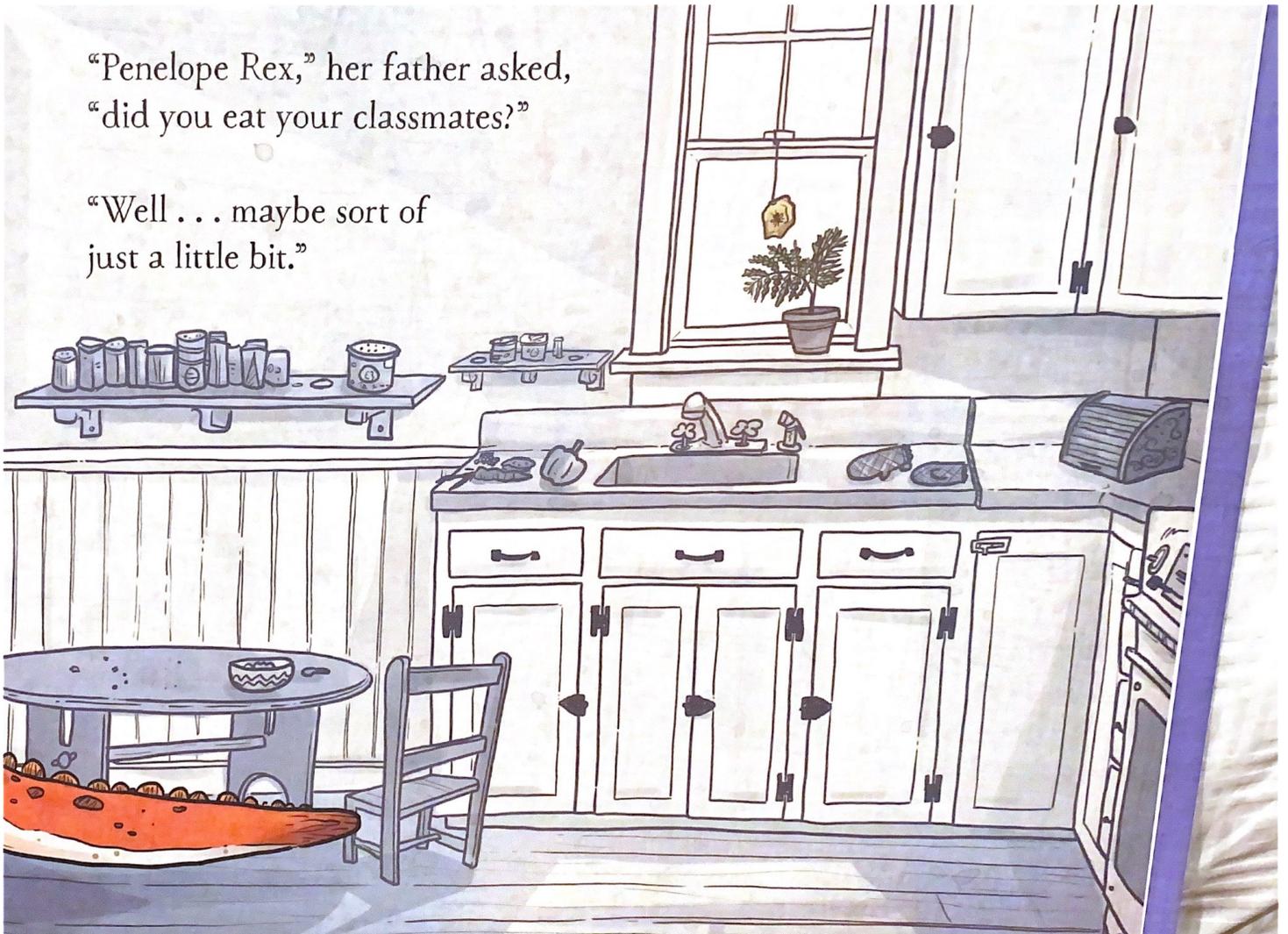
When she got home, her
dad asked about her first
day of school.

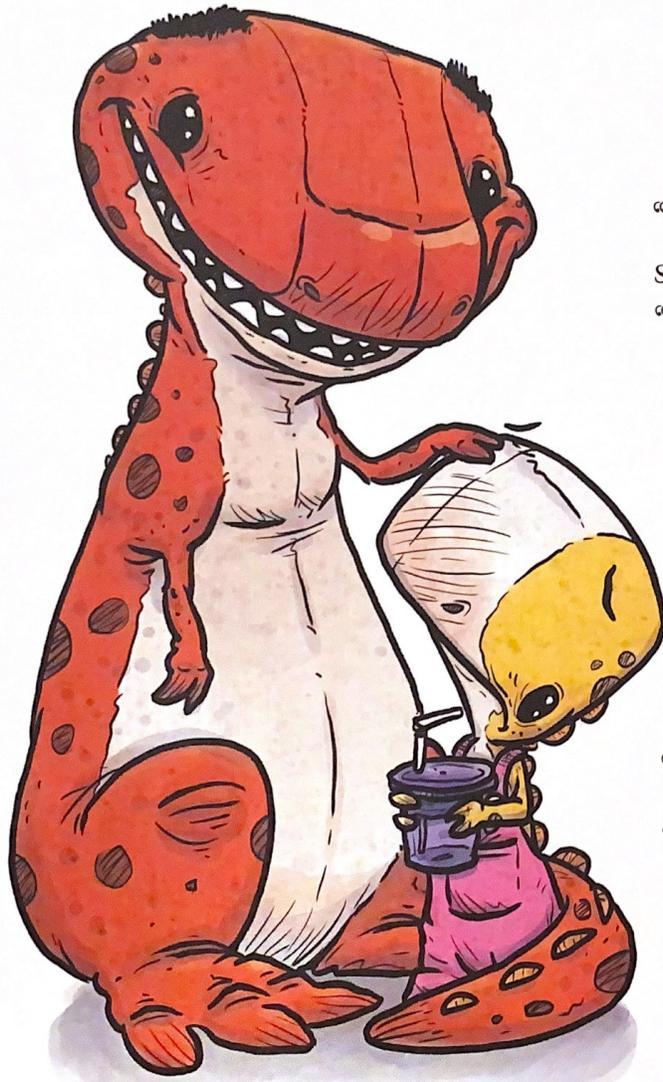
“I didn’t make any friends!”
Penelope cried. “None of
the children wanted
to play with me!”



“Penelope Rex,” her father asked,
“did you eat your classmates?”

“Well . . . maybe sort of
just a little bit.”



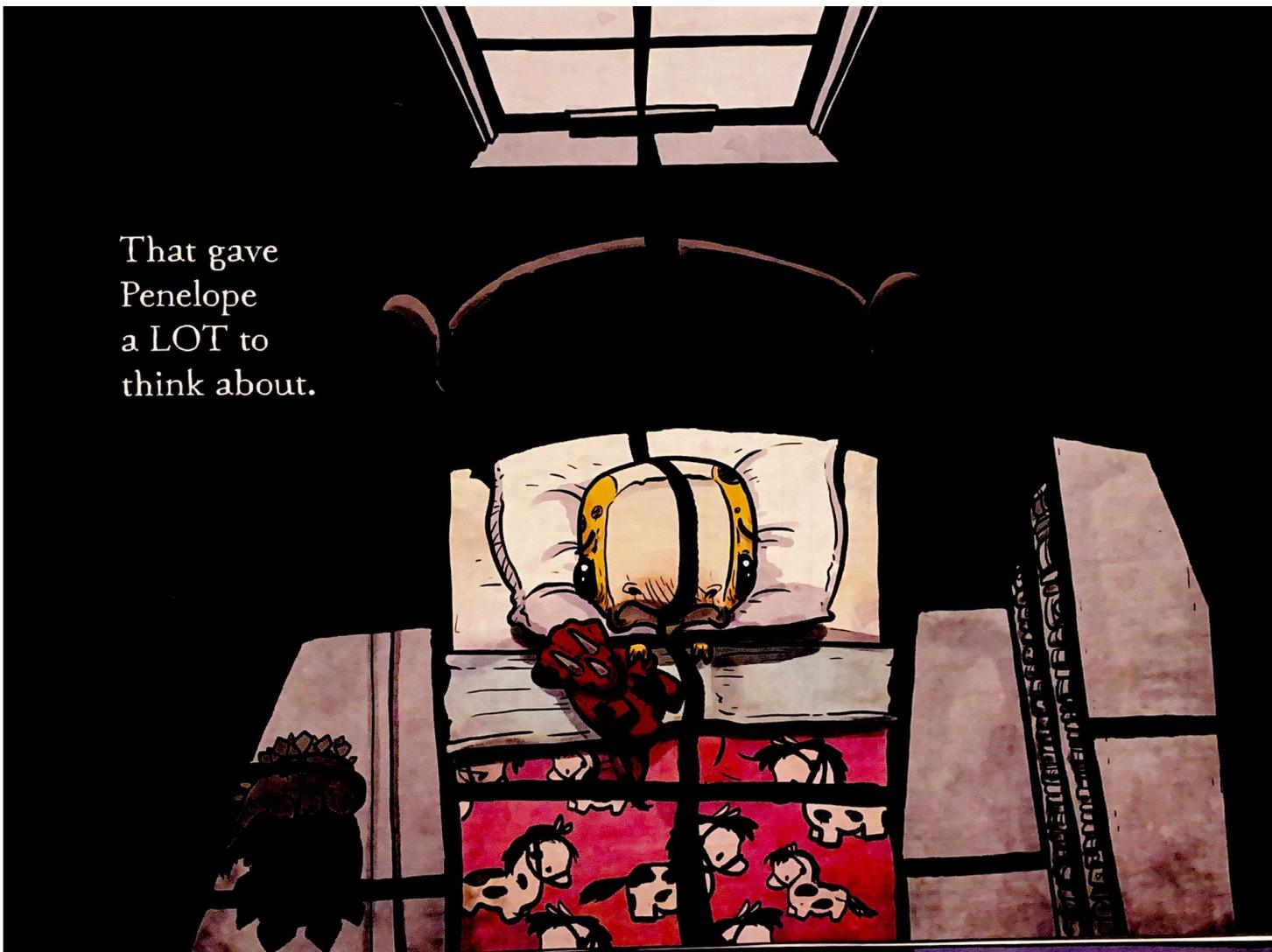


“Sometimes it’s hard to make friends,”
said her dad.

“Especially if you eat them.”

“You see, Penelope, children are the
same as us on the inside. Just tastier.”

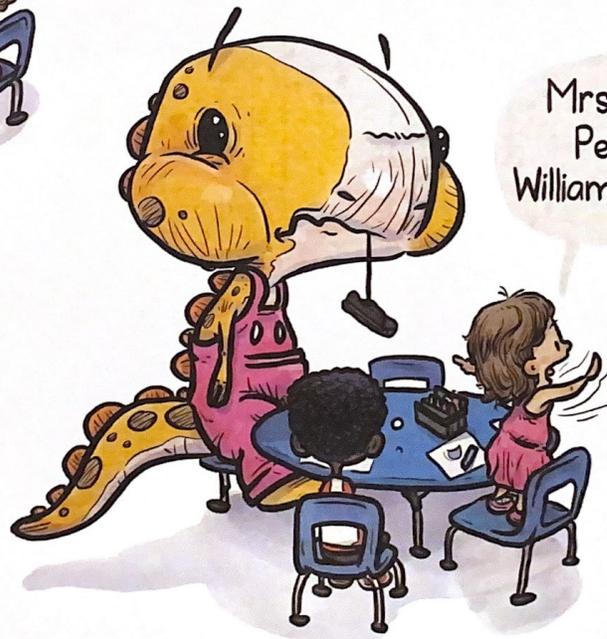
That gave
Penelope
a LOT to
think about.





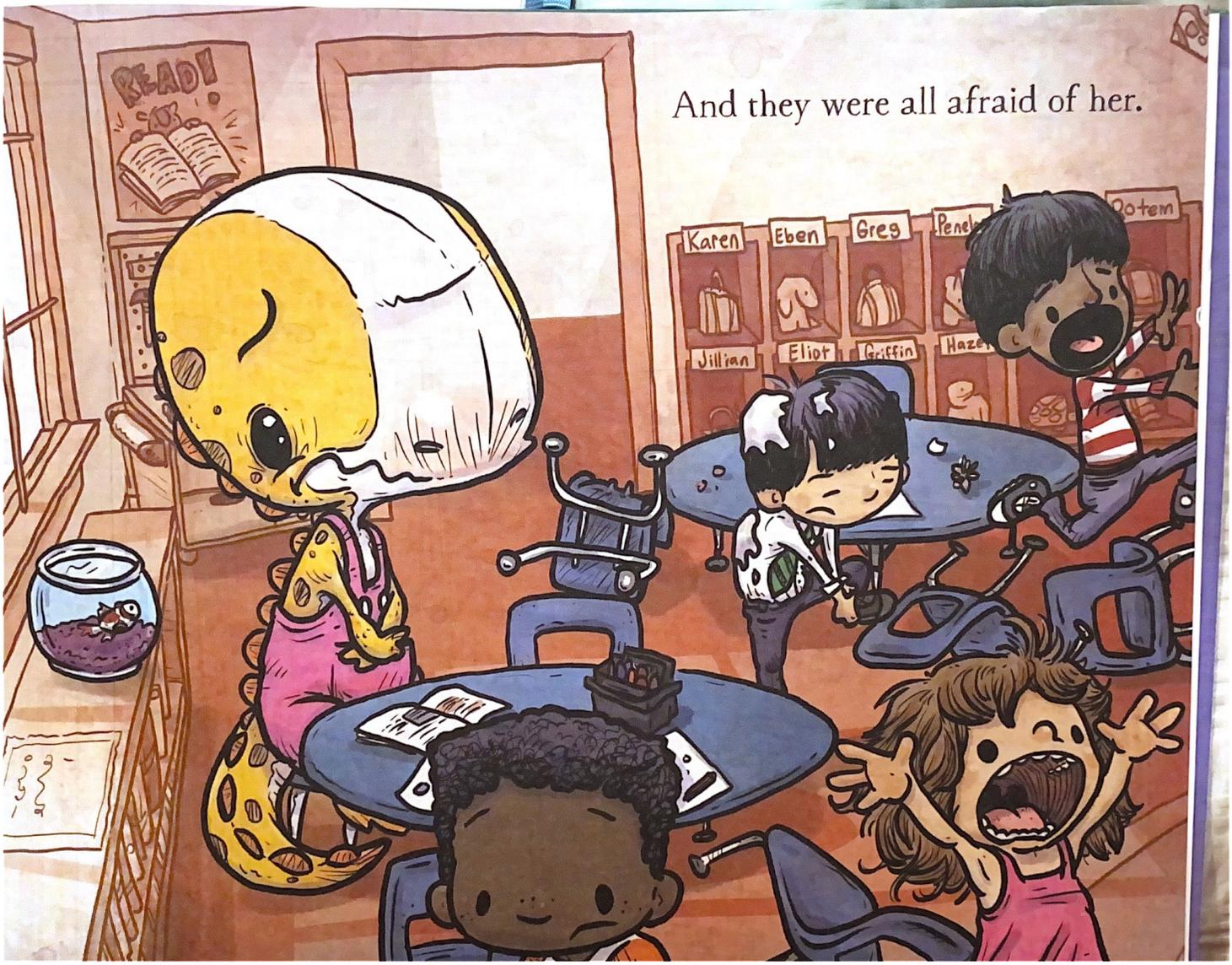
But poor Penelope.
She could not stop herself
from eating her classmates.

The next day Penelope
tried REALLY hard!

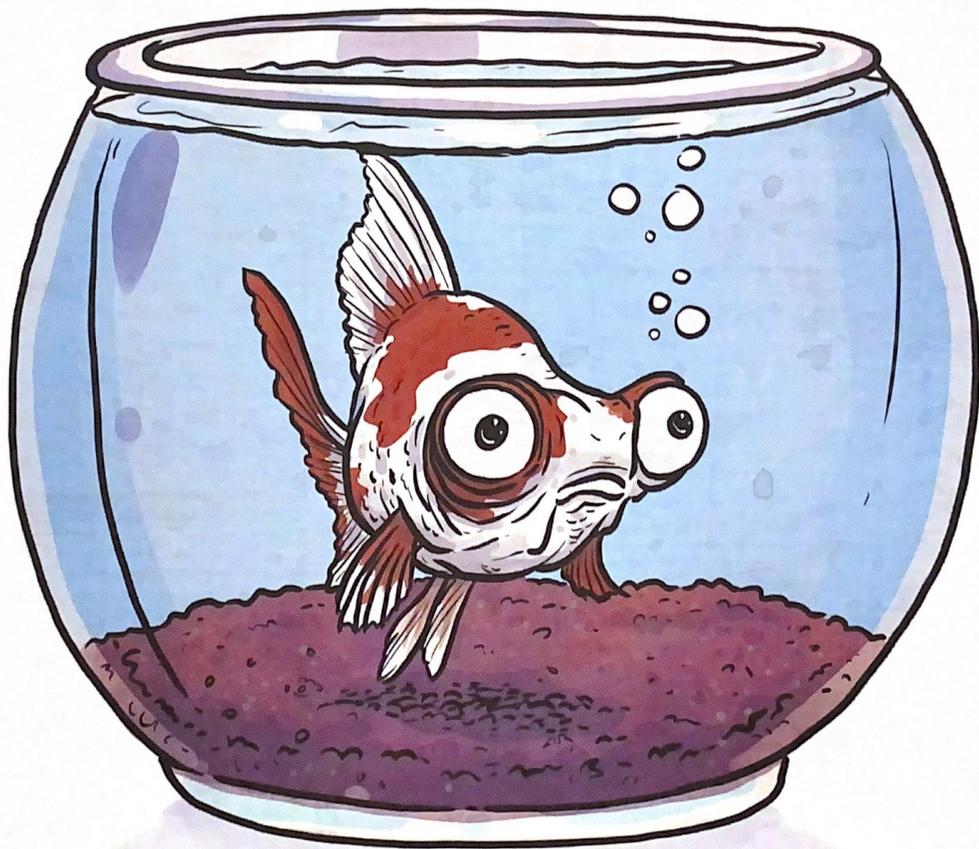


Mrs. Noodleman,
Penelope ate
William Omoto again!

And they were all afraid of her.



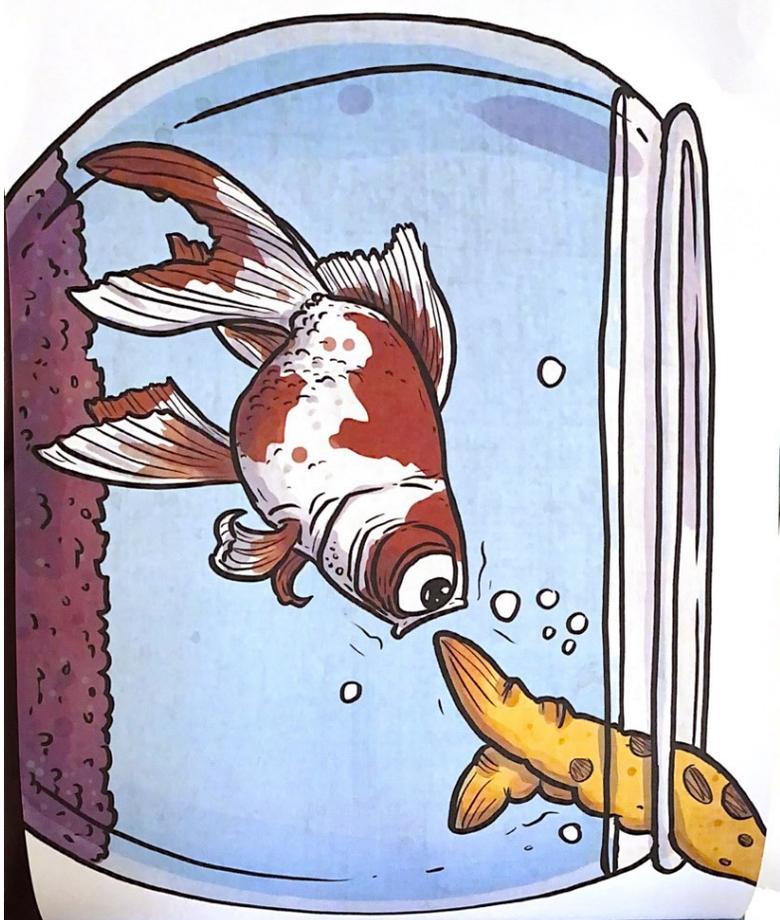
Except Walter. . . . Walter was a goldfish.



So Penelope tried to
make friends with him.

Will YOU
be my friend?





CHONPI!