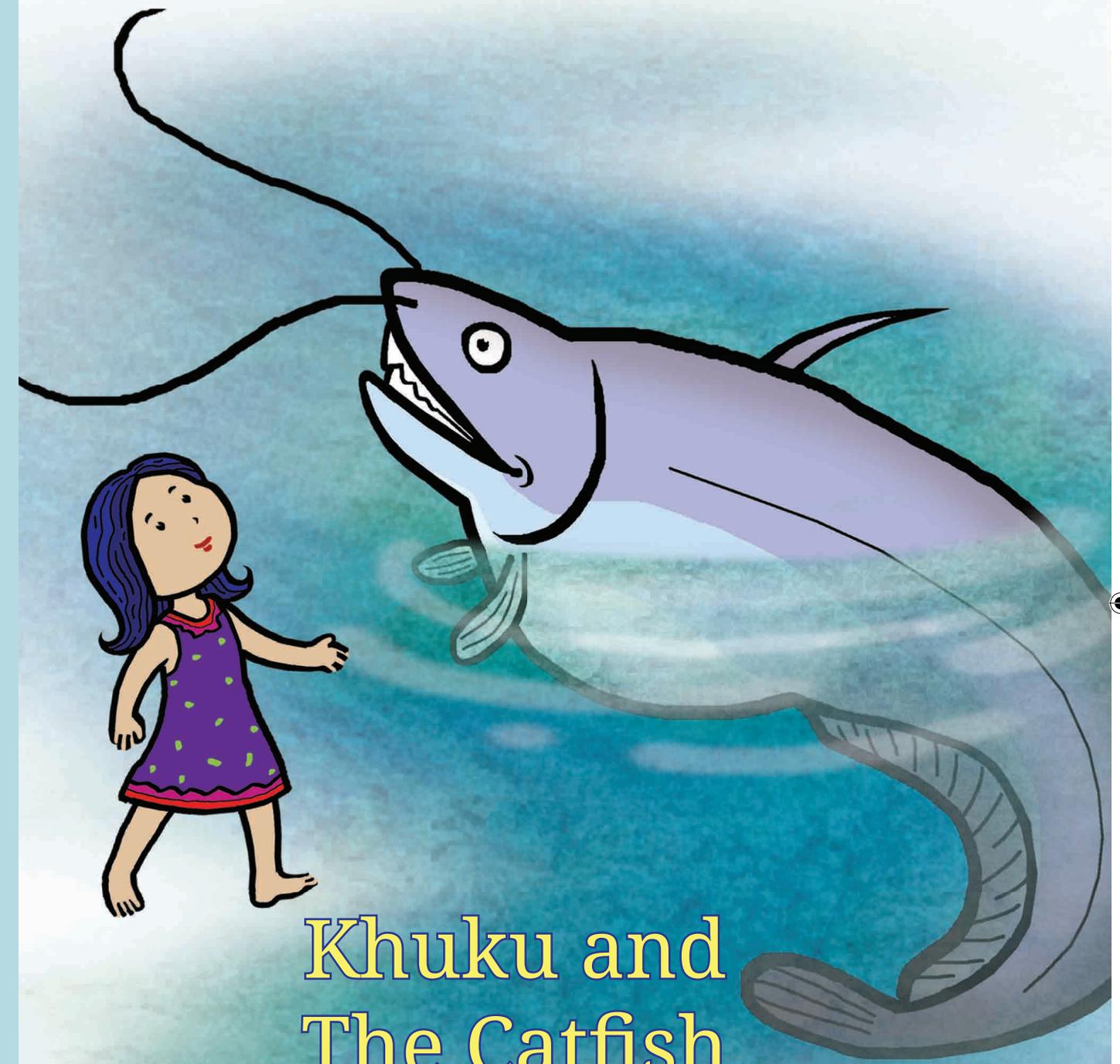


A catfish tows a boat to Khuku so that they can explore the water world together. As they are exploring the sea, Khuku becomes frightened when a crocodile begins to chase them. Do you think the catfish will be able to save Khuku from the crocodile?



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