

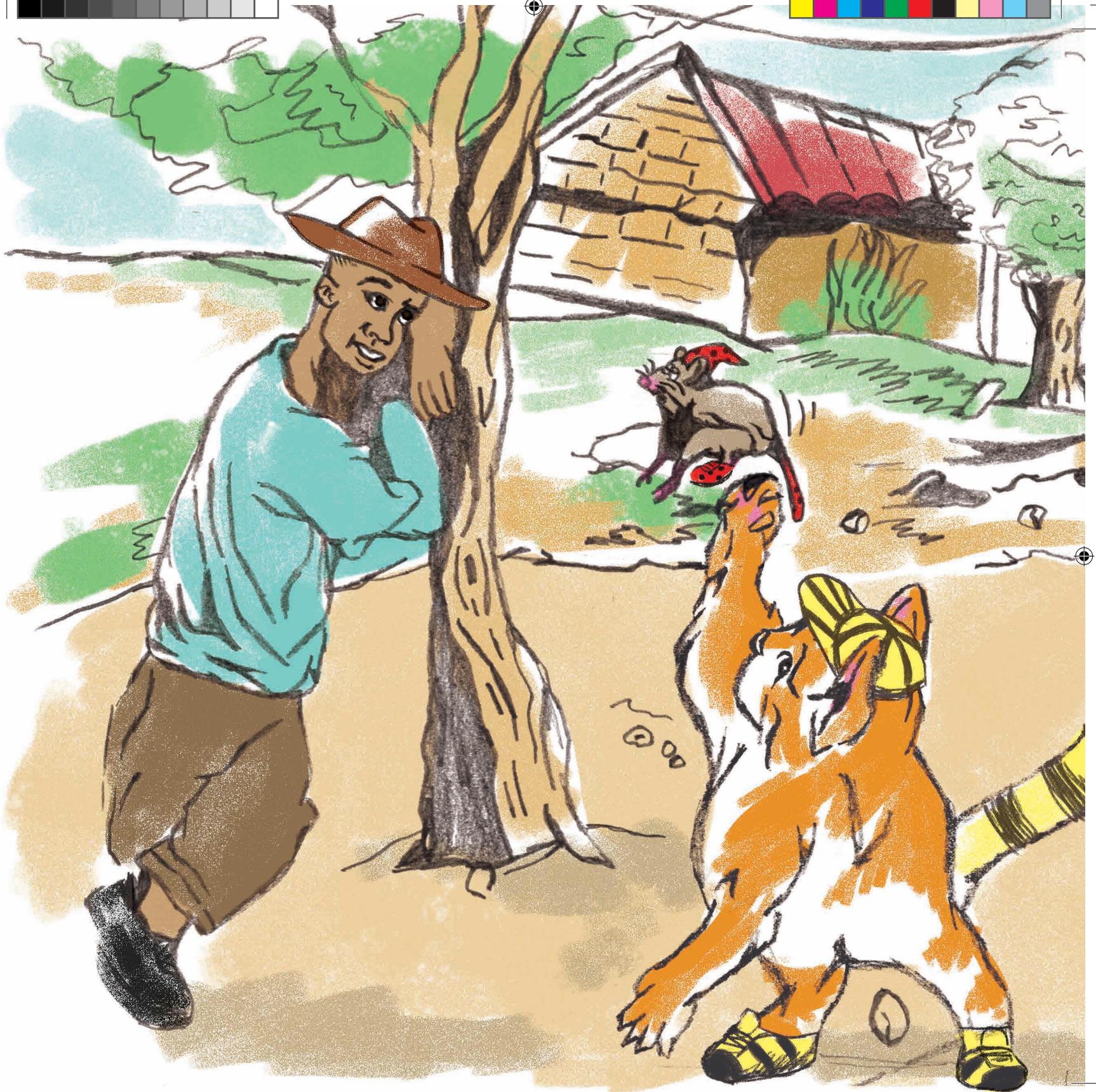


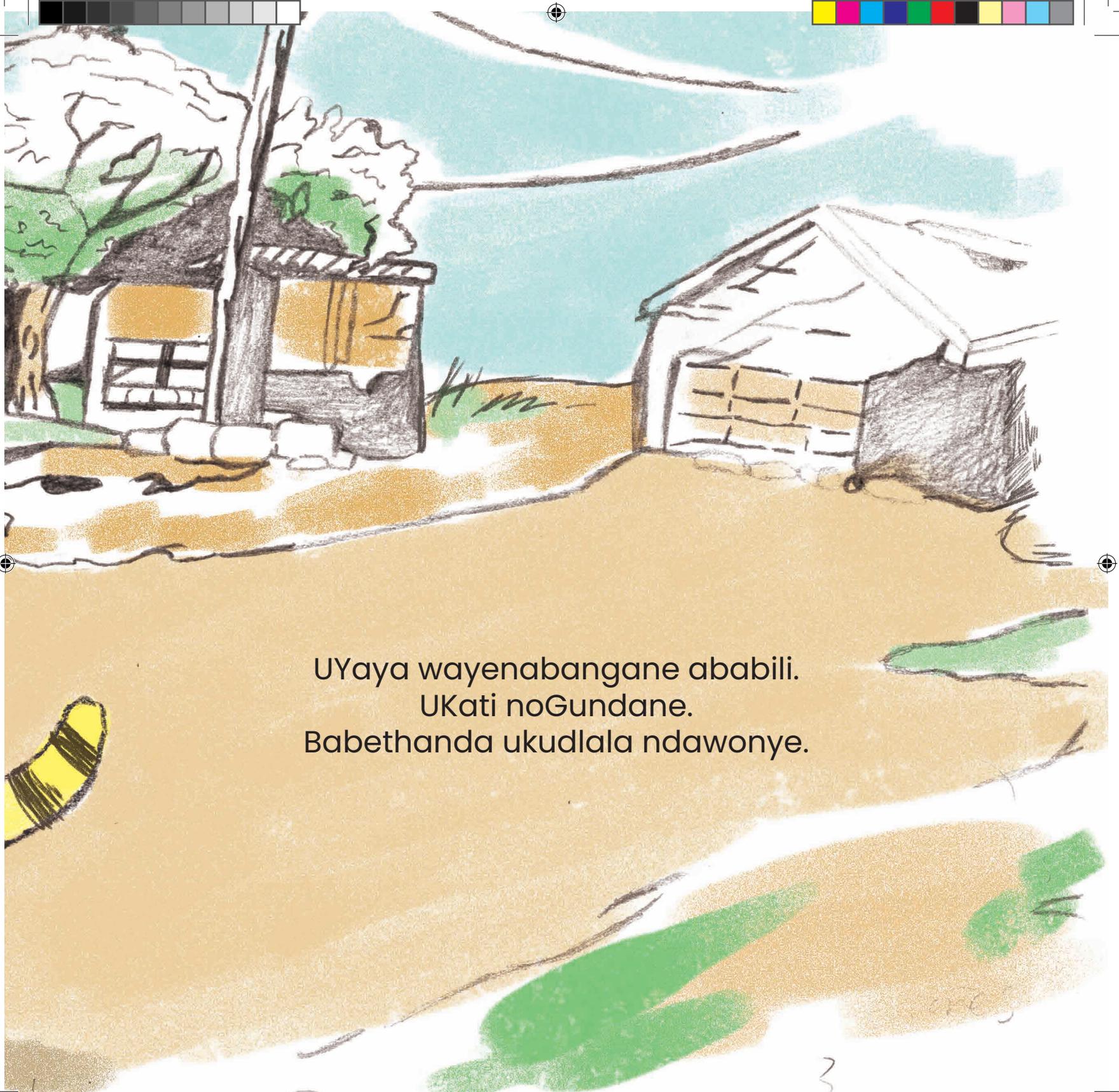
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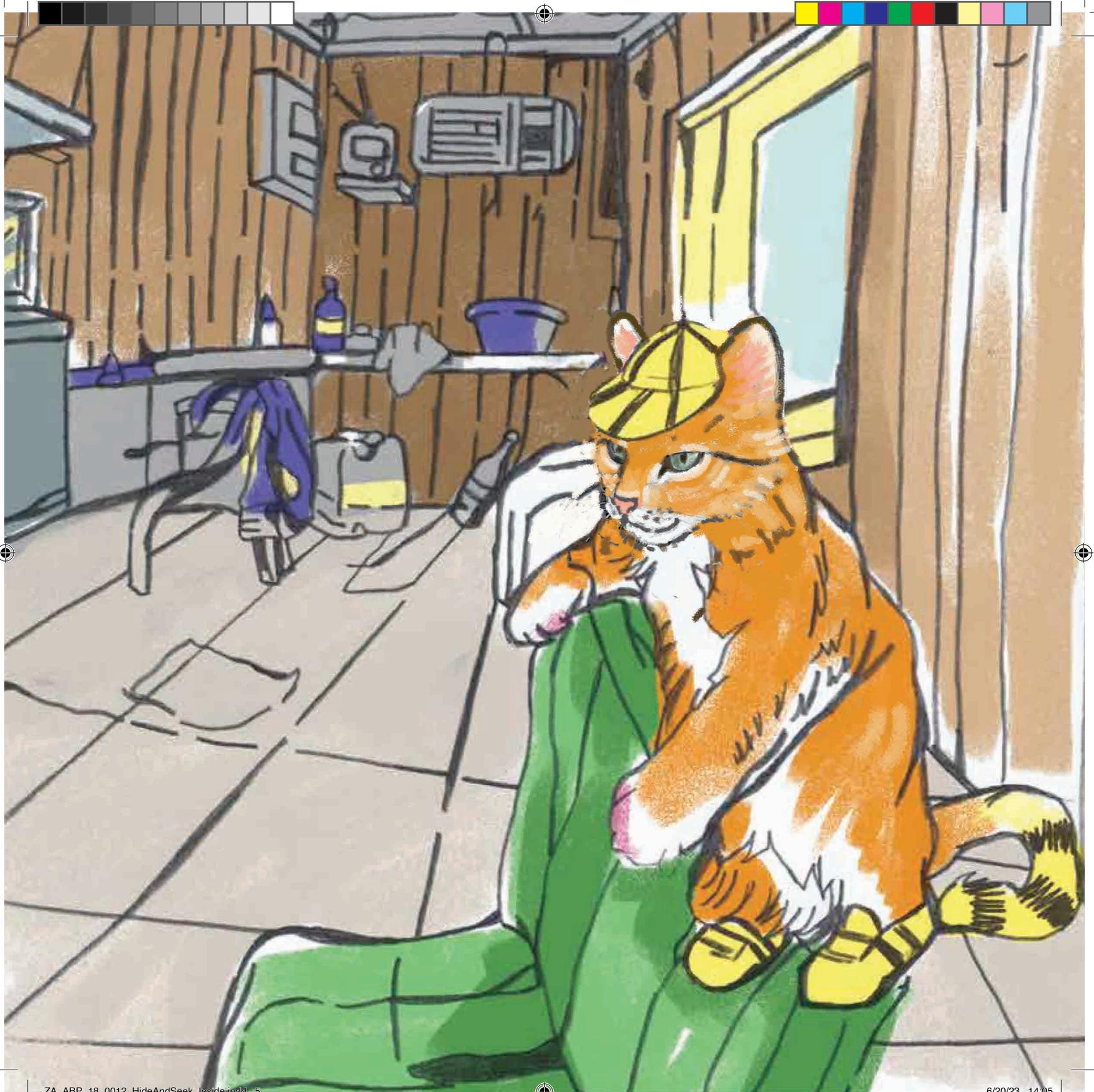


UYaya wayenabangane ababili.  
UKati noGundane.  
Babethanda ukudlala ndawonye.



Umdlalo owawuthandwa kakhulu uGundane kwakungumacashelana ngoba ephumelela njalo.

“5, 4, 3, 2, 1,” kusho uGundane. “Ngize noma ngingezi? Sengiyeza-ke!”





UGundane wamthola uKati.  
UYaya wamgona uGundane,  
embongela.







“5, 4, 3, 2, 1,” kusho uKati.  
“Ngize noma ngingezi? Sengiyeza-ke!”





UKati akamtholanga uGundane.  
UYaya wamemeza, "Sesiphelile isikhathi!"  
UYaya waphinda wambongela uGundane ngokumgona.





Kwaba yithuba likaKati lokuyocasha.  
“5, 4, 3, 2, 1,” kusho uGundane.  
“Ngize noma ngingezi? Sengiyeza-ke!”

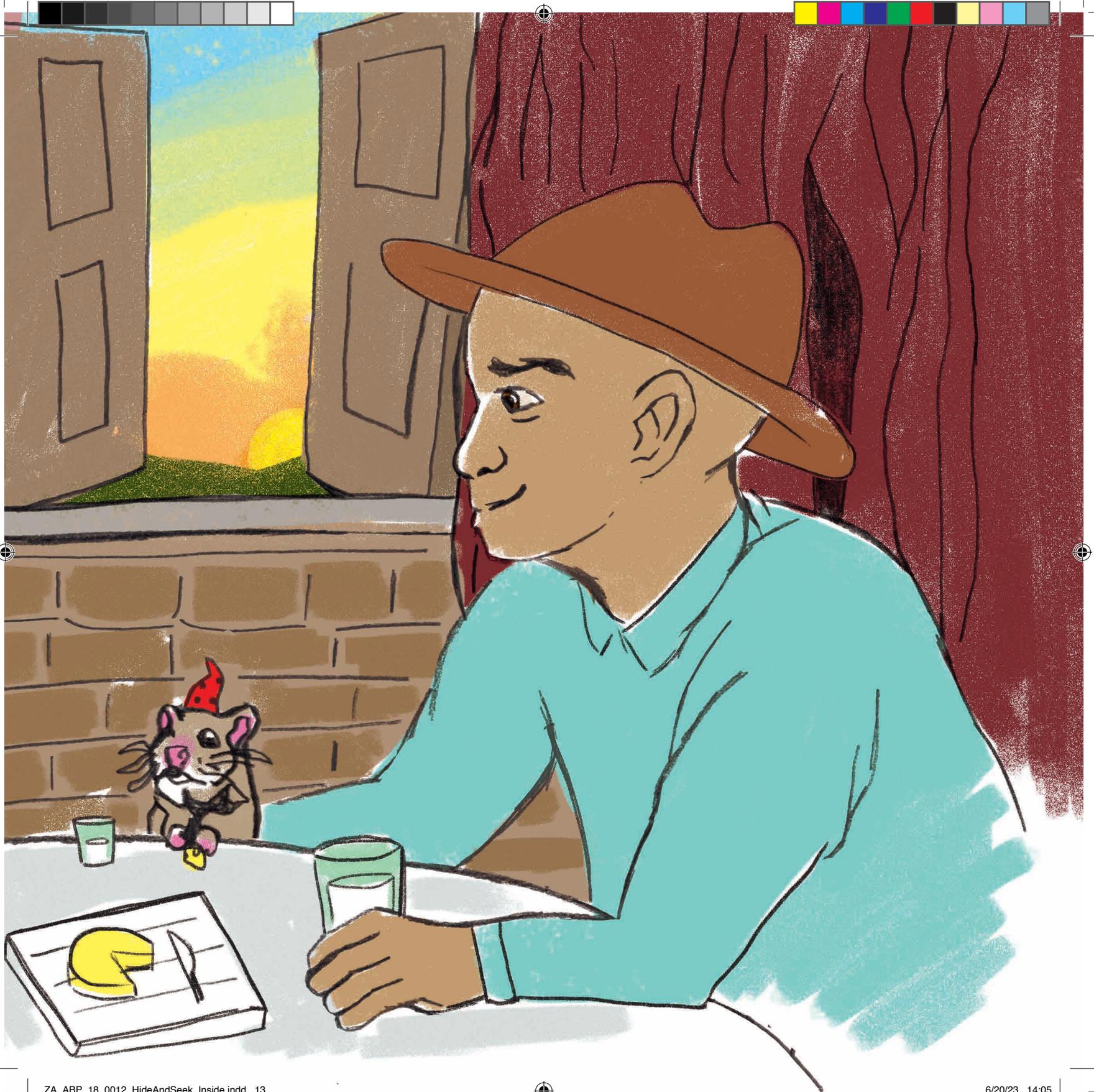
UGundane wamthola futhi uKati.





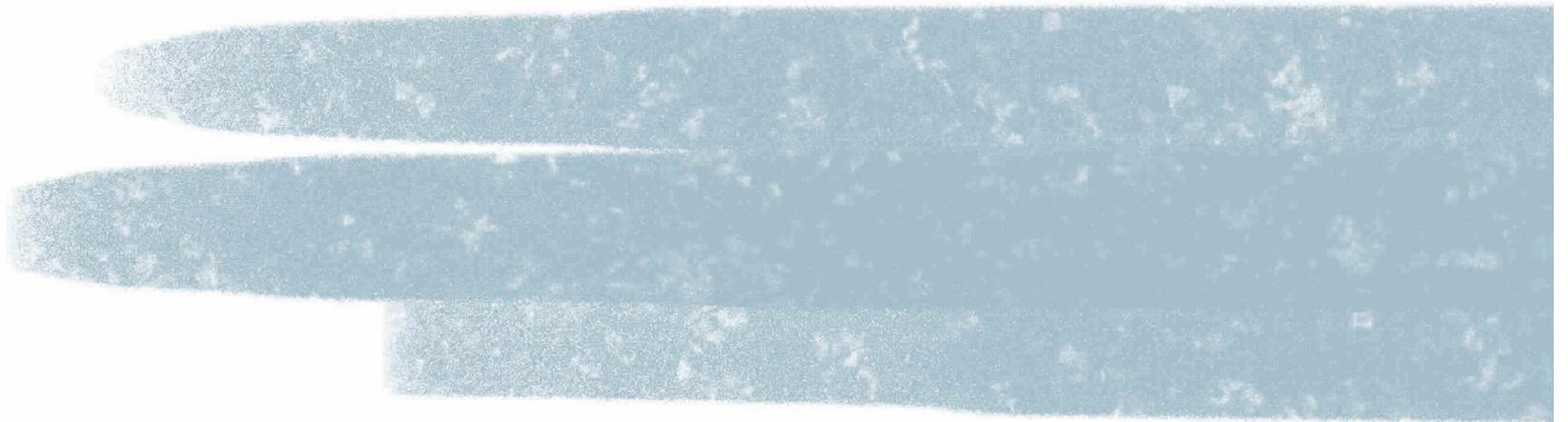
Bathi ukuphumula, besadla.  
UKati esahlafuna nje, wafikelwa  
elinye iqhinga!







UKati wakha ibhokisi. Wayeseya esitolo eyothenga i-glue  
yokunamathisela, nesibuko esikhulu.







Ngakusasa, uGundane wafuna  
futhi ukudlala umacashelana noKati.

“5, 4, 3, 2, 1,” kusho uGundane.  
“Ngize noma ngingezi? Sengiyeza-ke!”









Kanti izinyawo zikaGundane sezibhajwe emthini wokunamathisela, i-gluce. Kwangahambeka kuGundane. Wehluleka-ke ukuthola uKati. Wathi uGundane uyalunguza ebhokisini, wazibona yena nje kuphela.





Waqhamuka  
esememeza uYaya  
"Isikhathi sesiphelile!"







Thushu, uKati ephuma  
ebhokisini. "Ha! Iqhinga  
elihlakaniphe kangaka!"  
sekumemeza uGundane  
ehalalisa.

"Halala! Kati!  
Ungihlakaniphele  
kodwa!"







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