



Mamepe

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Kopano le Lereko ba ne ba ja dikuku tse mmaabona a di bakileng.

Dikuku tseo di ne di elela ka mamepe.



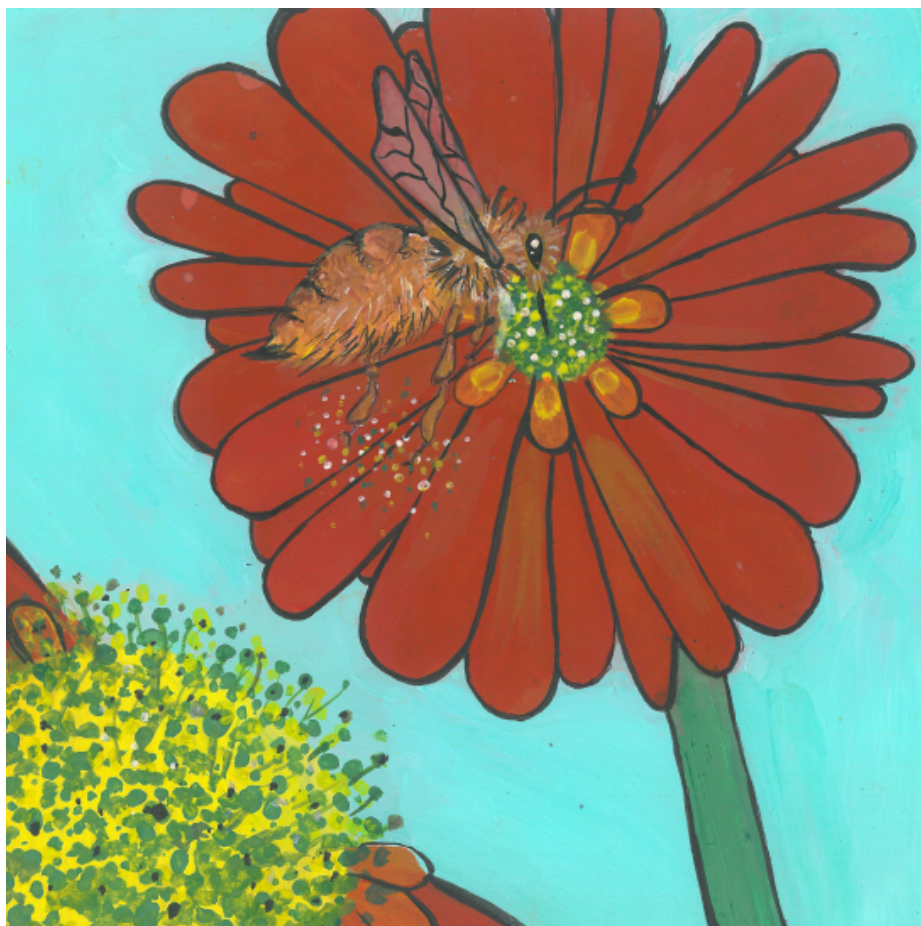
Lereko a botsa mmaabona, "Mamepe a tswa kae?"

"Ngwanaka, dinotshe di dira mamepe," mme a rialo.



“Dinotshe di dira mamepe go tswa mo ditšheseng. Di kgobokanya matute a a kgomarelang le modula go tswa ditšhešeng,” mme a tlhalosa.

“Dinotshe di phatlalatsa modula mo ditšhešeng tse dingwe.”



“Se se bidiwa modulafatso – go thusa
dijalo go ata ka go phatlalatsa modula.
Modula o dira karolo ya peo.”



“Dinotshe di tsamaisa modula mo dijalong. Di dulafatsa dimela tsa rona,” mme a rialo.

“Gape dinotshe di dira didiriswa tse di mosola.”



“Ke a itse! Re iponela mamepe mo dinotsheng,” Kopano a rialo.

“Tatso ya mamepe e botshe e bile e monate!” Lereko a tlatsa.



“Mamepe gape a dirisiwa mo melemong,” mme a rialo.

‘Dipilisi tse dingwe le lerojana la melemo tsa setso di dirilwe ka mamepe.’



“Mamepe a fodisa memetso e e
botlhoko, go gotlholo le mekgotlhwane.”



“Mamepe a thusa go fodisa dintho le phiso.”



“Fela mamepe ga a siamela masea. A ka ba lwatsa thata,” mme a tsibosa.



"Jaanong, a lo ntse lo reeditse? Goreng dinotshe a le botlhokwa?" mme a botsa.

"Di dulafatsa dijalo!" Lereko a rialo.

"Di dira mamepe!" ga bua Kopano.



Go tloga ka nako eo, Kopano le Lereko
ba simolola go tlotla dinotshe.



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