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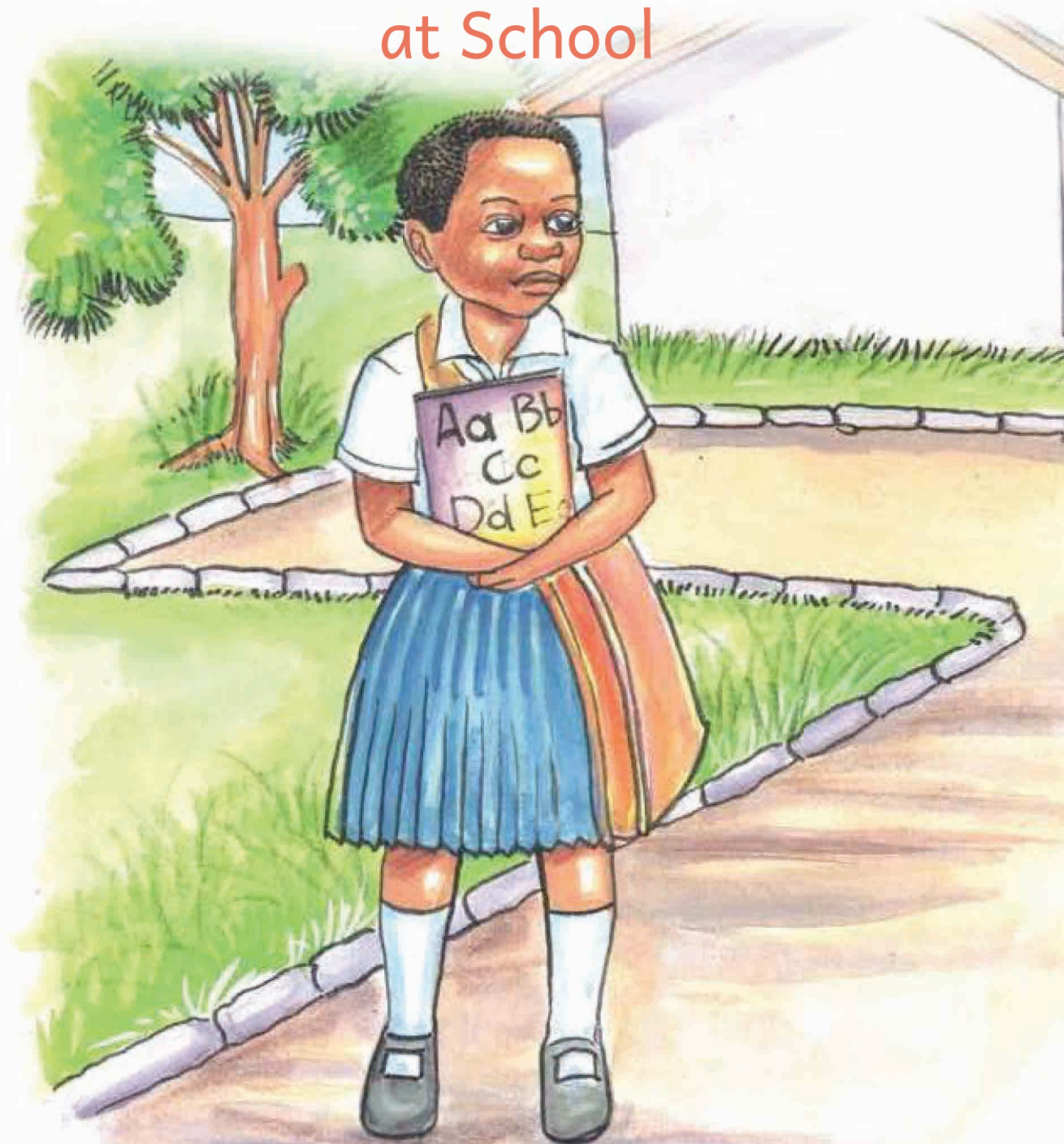
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Sesi is six years old and lives with her parents in Turiani. After her first day at school, she came home and told them something funny that happened at school. Her parents laughed so hard, what do you think happened at school?



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