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“I’m not going to go to school!”



“It’ll be nice.”



“No it won’t. I won’t know anybody.”



“You’ll soon make friends.”



“School dinners will make me sick.”



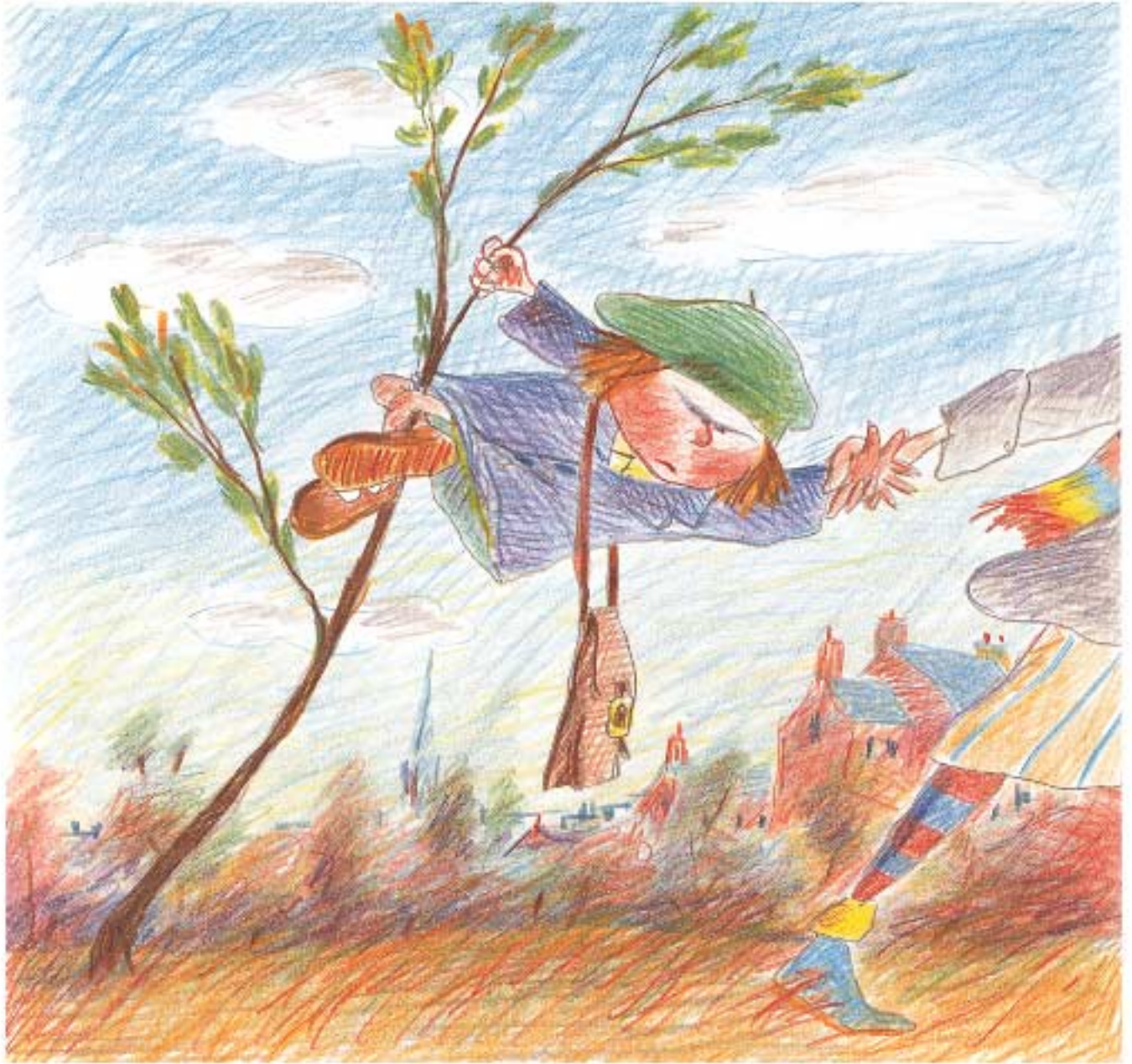
“No they won’t, school dinners are lovely.”



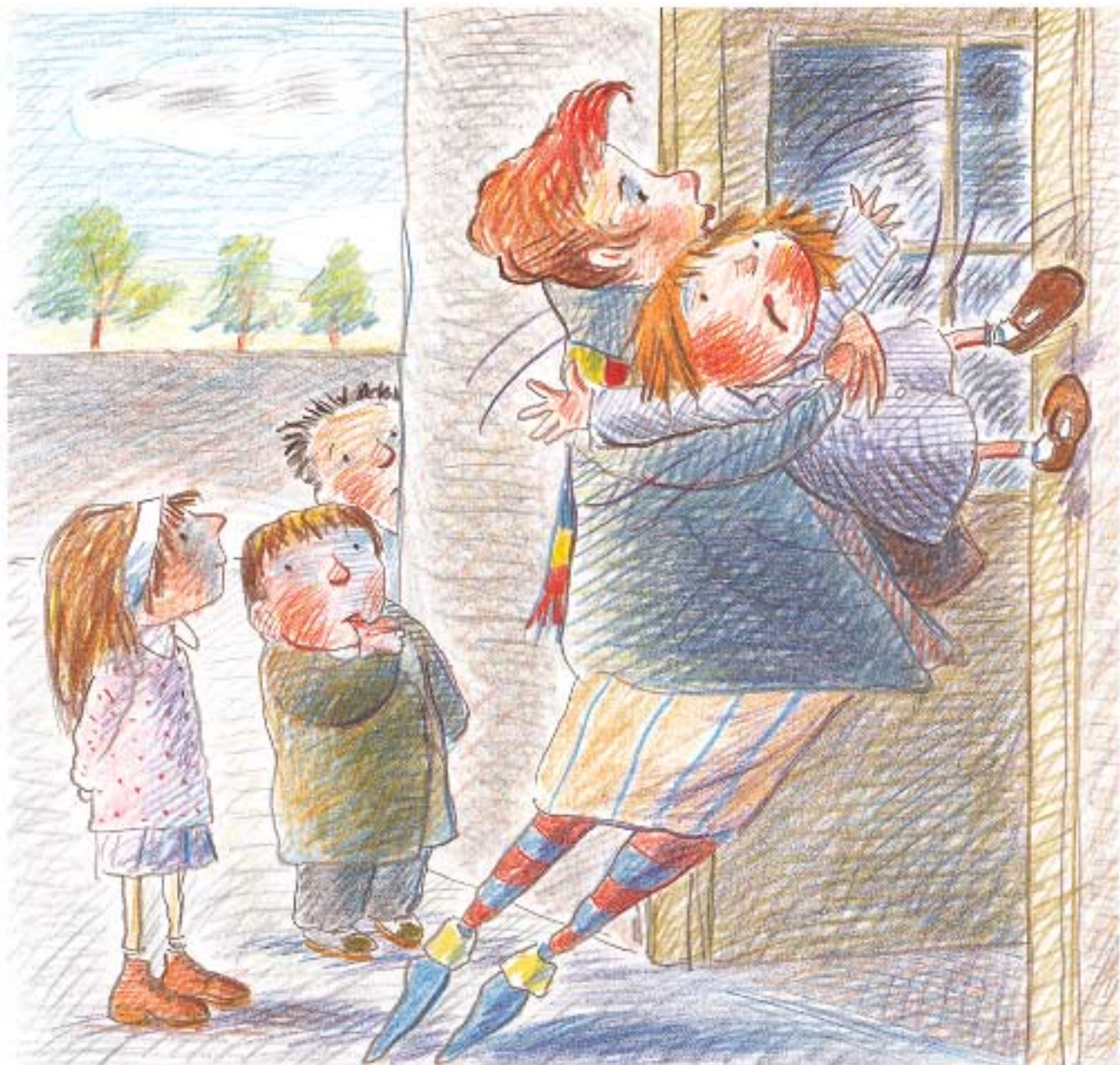
“Marcia says the teachers will bite me.”



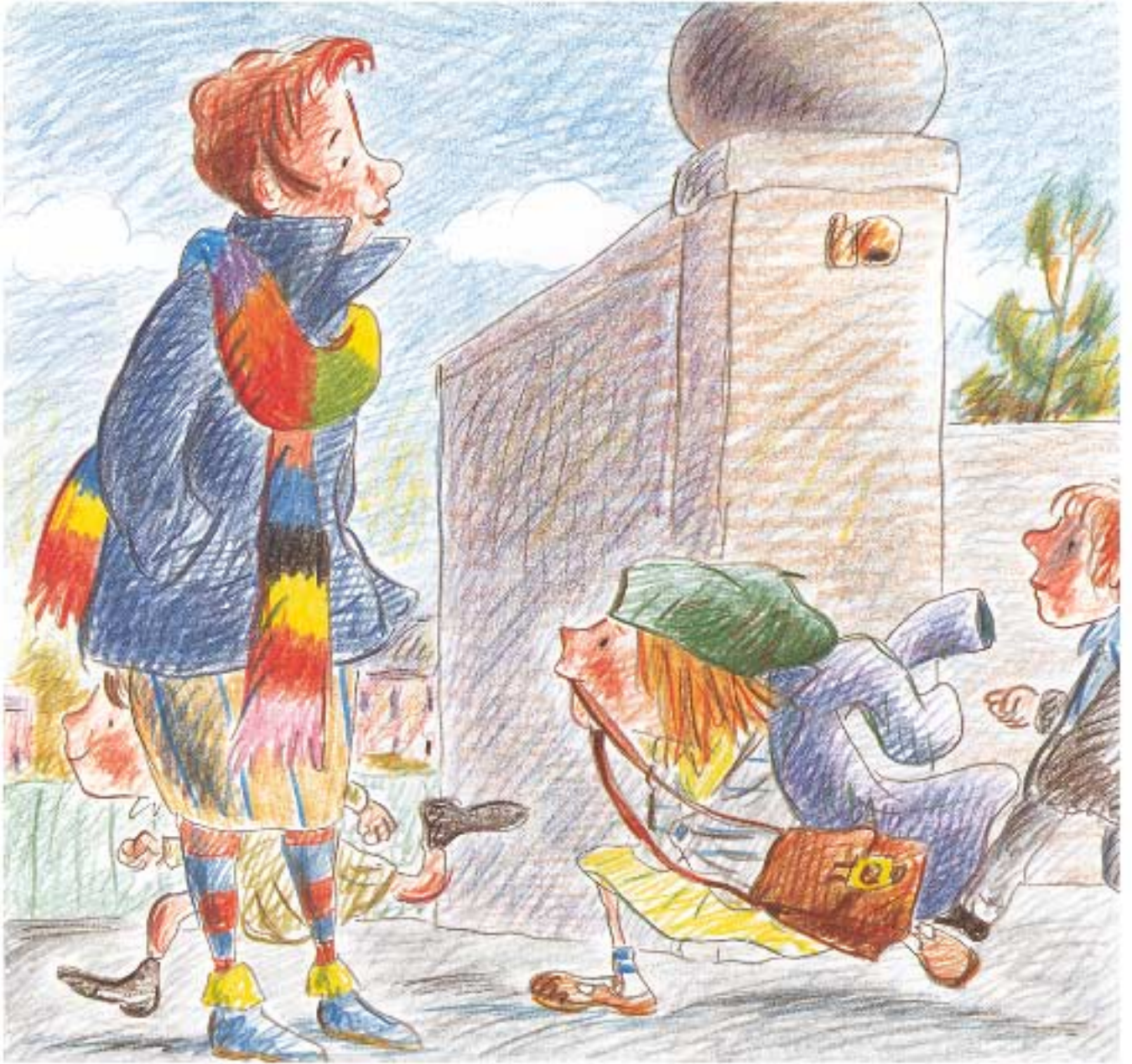
“No they won’t, they’ll tell you exciting things.”



“I’m not going to go in! I’ll be the littlest.”



“Everybody is little. They’ll love you.”



“Well, what was it like?”



“Wonderful, dinner was great, I wasn’t the littlest,



and I made a new friend called Nicky.”



“That’s nice.”





“Nicky has lovely hair.”



“Sweet.”



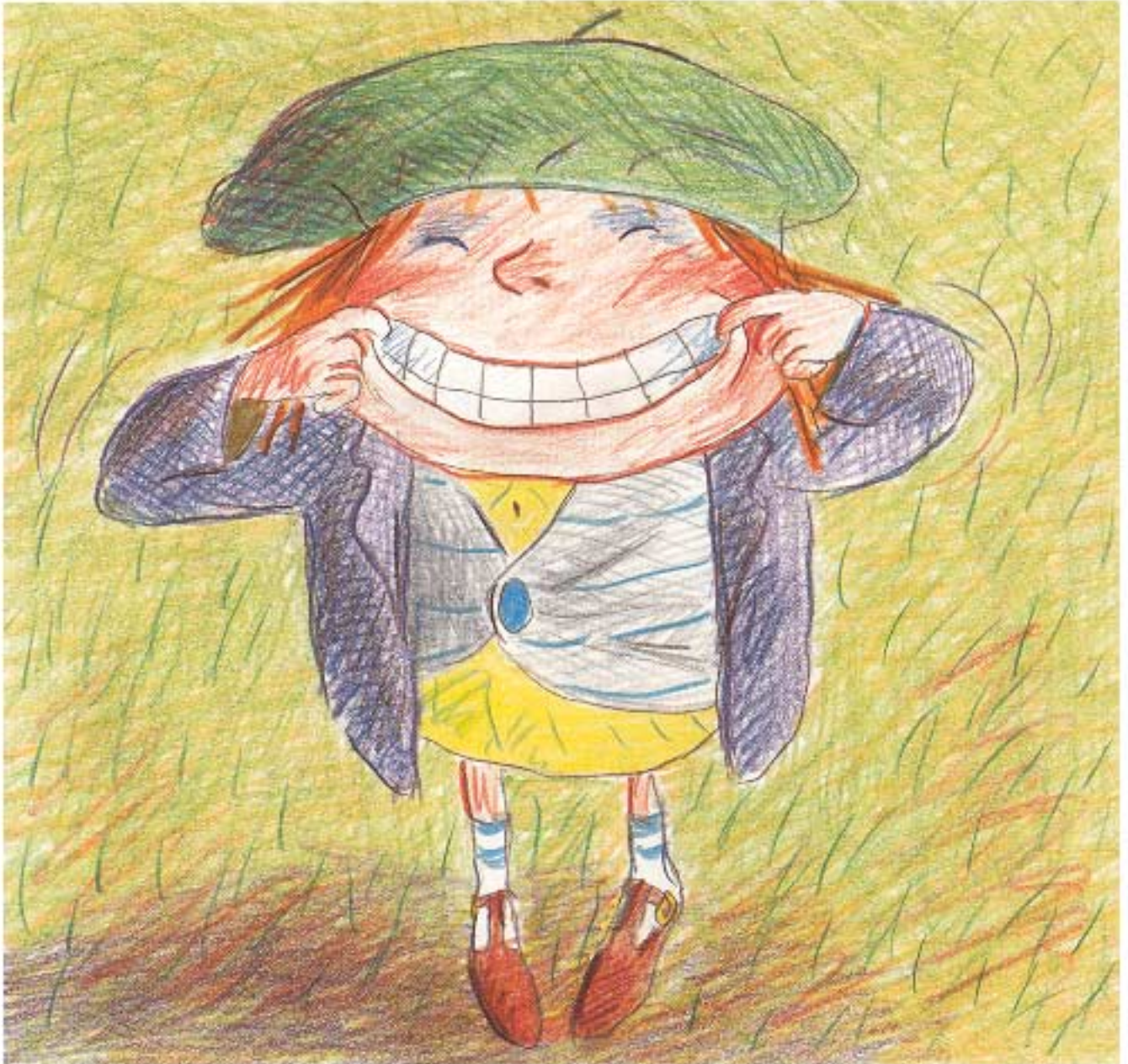


“Sometimes Nicky is a bit naughty...”



“Mmmm!”





“...but has a lovely smiley face.”



“Ahhh!”



“Nicky wears LOADS of pink...”

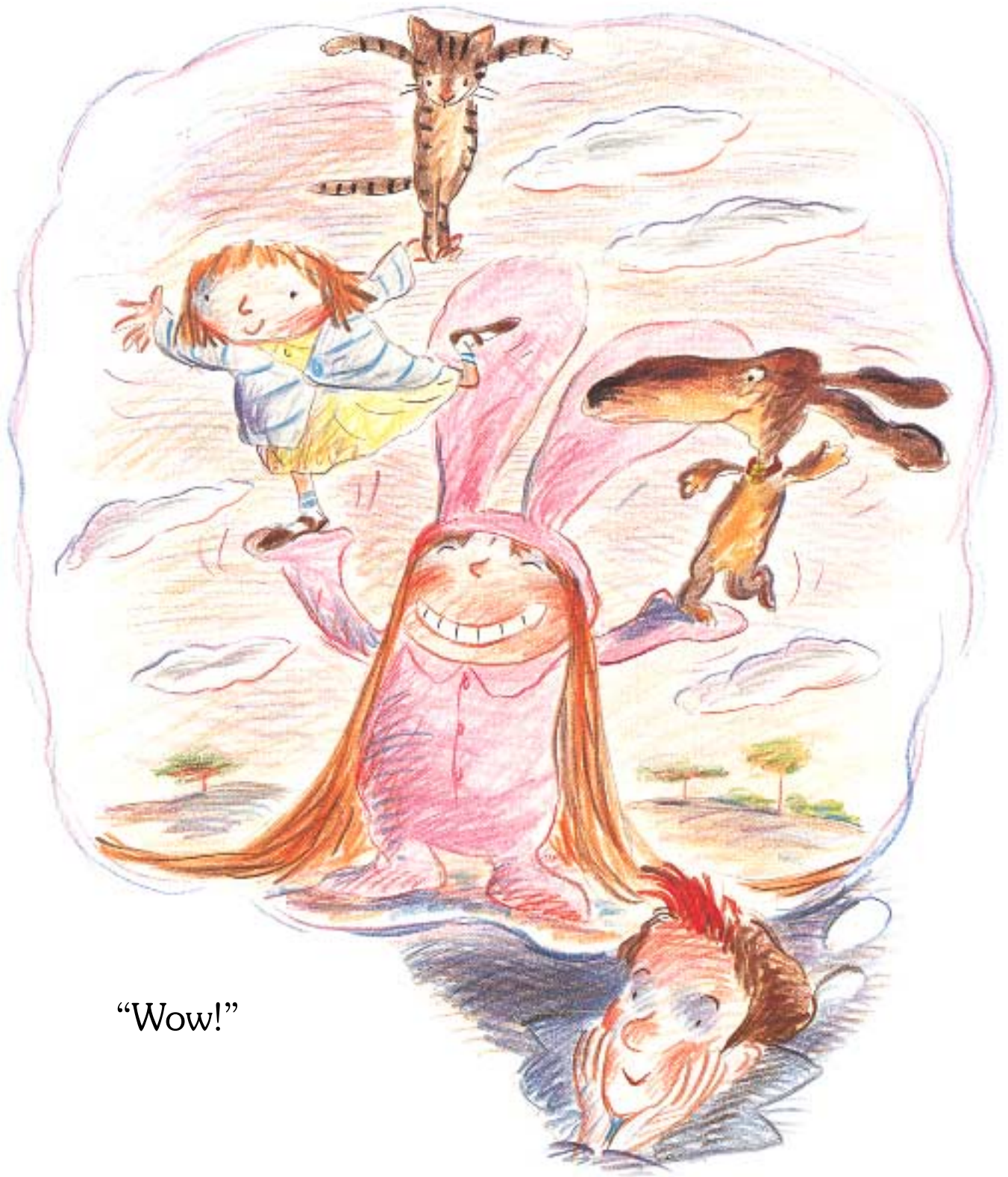


“Peachy!”





“...and is very strong.”



“Wow!”



“Can Nicky come to tea? And stay for sleepover?”



“Of course, and you can go to school together tomorrow.”



“Tomorrow? You mean we have to go again tomorrow?”