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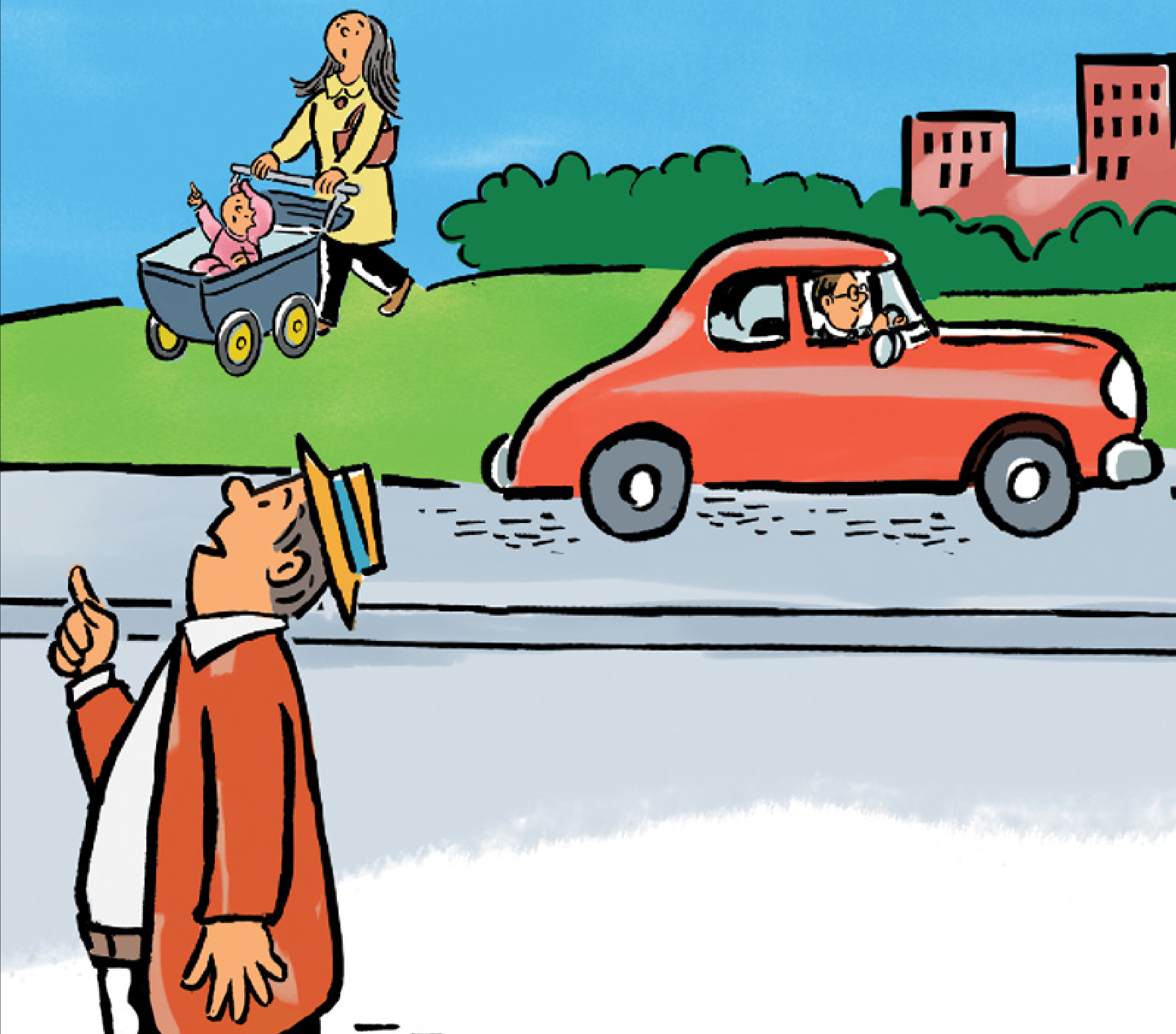
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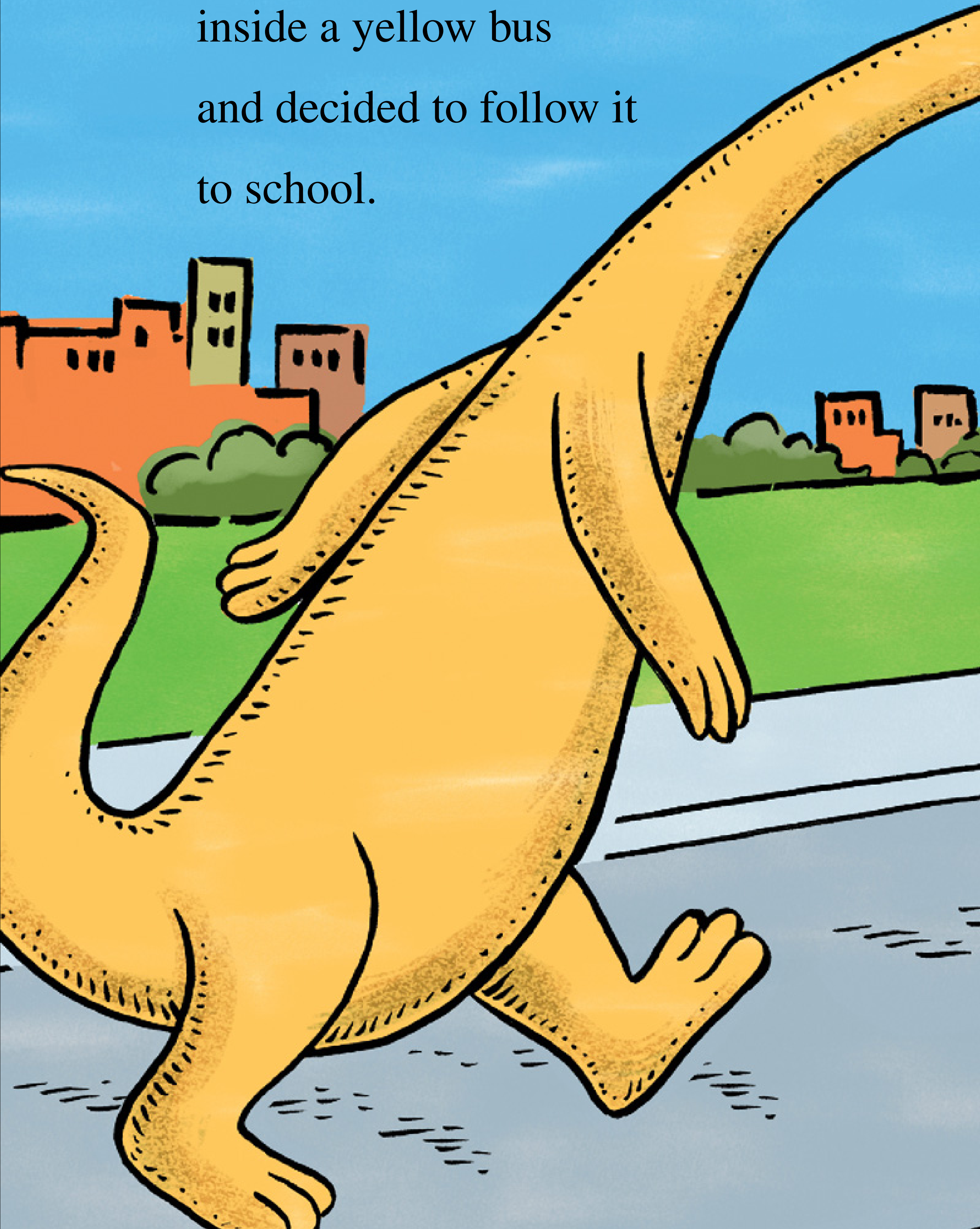
Why don't dinosaurs go to school?
the dinosaur asked himself.



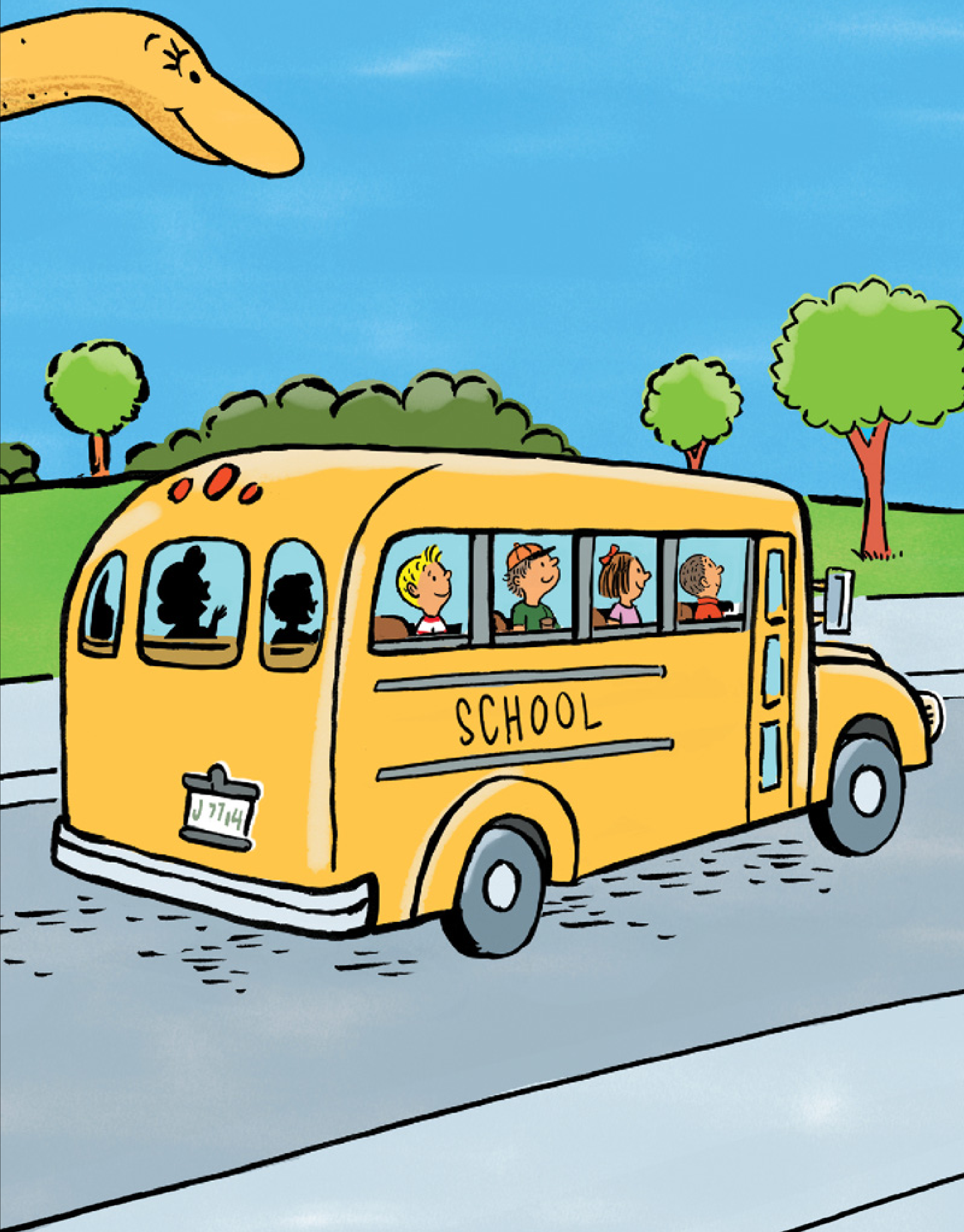
He knew his friend Danny
liked school,
so one day he left the museum
to see what school was all about.

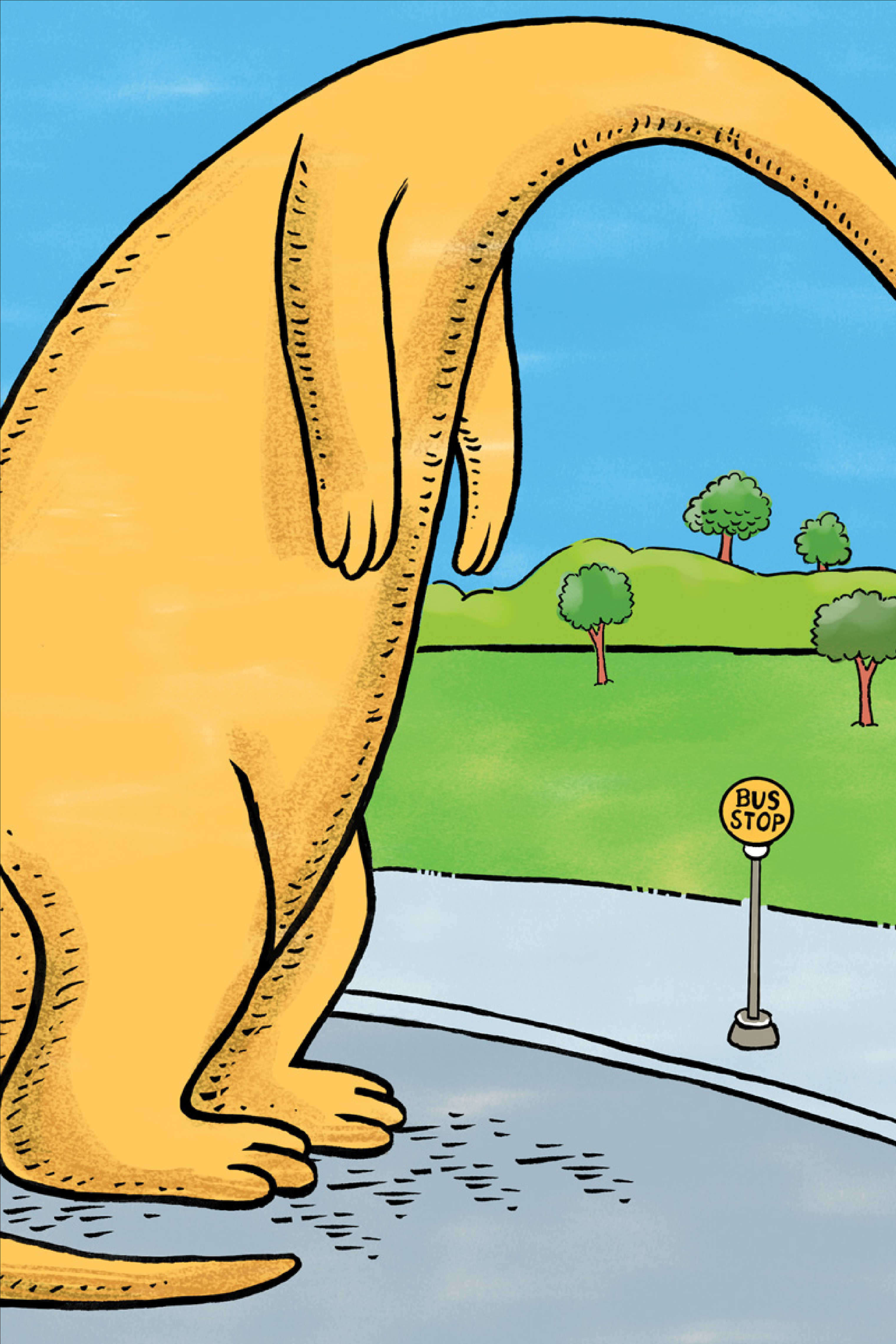


The dinosaur saw Danny
inside a yellow bus
and decided to follow it
to school.



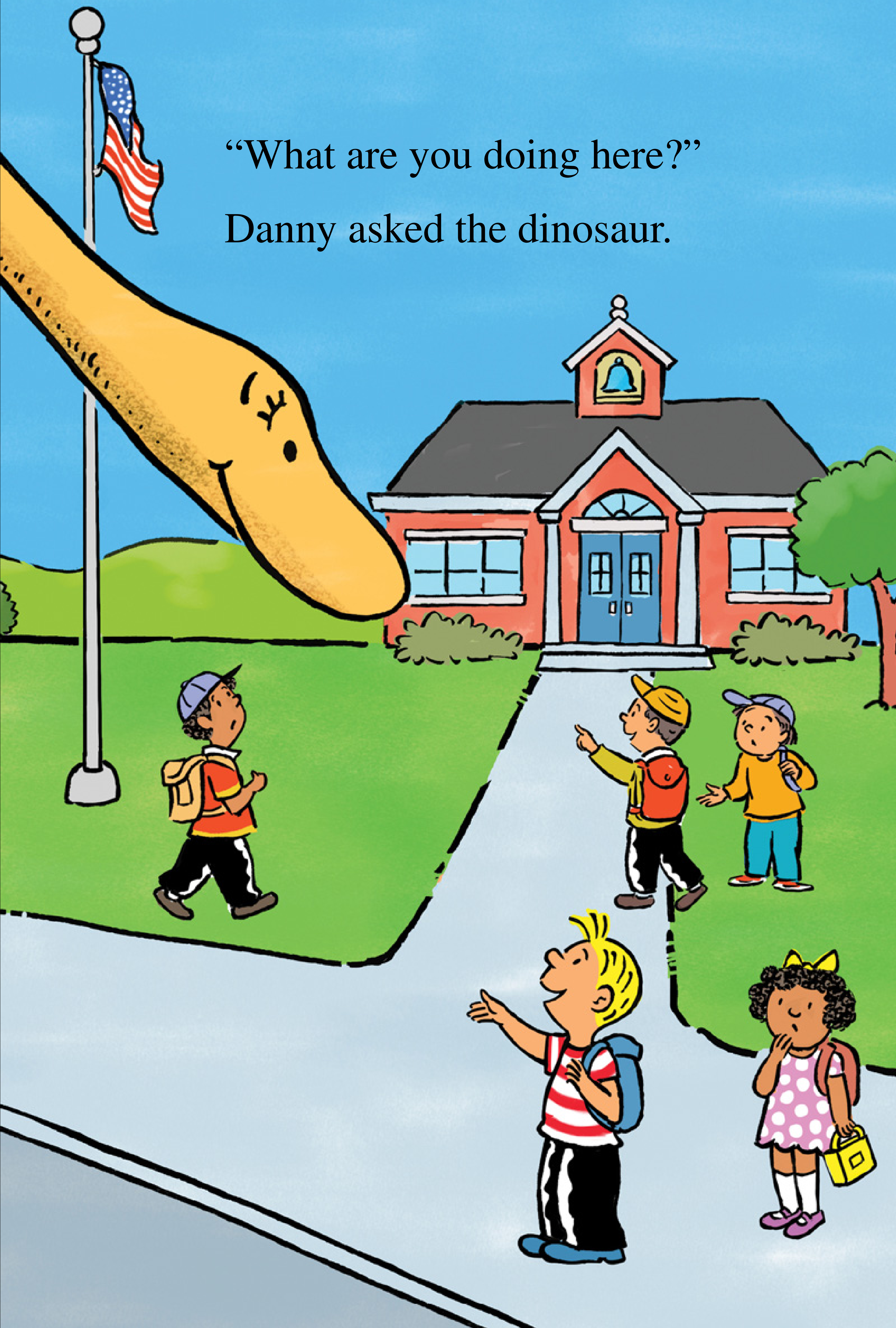
It was a beautiful day for a walk.





“What are you doing here?”

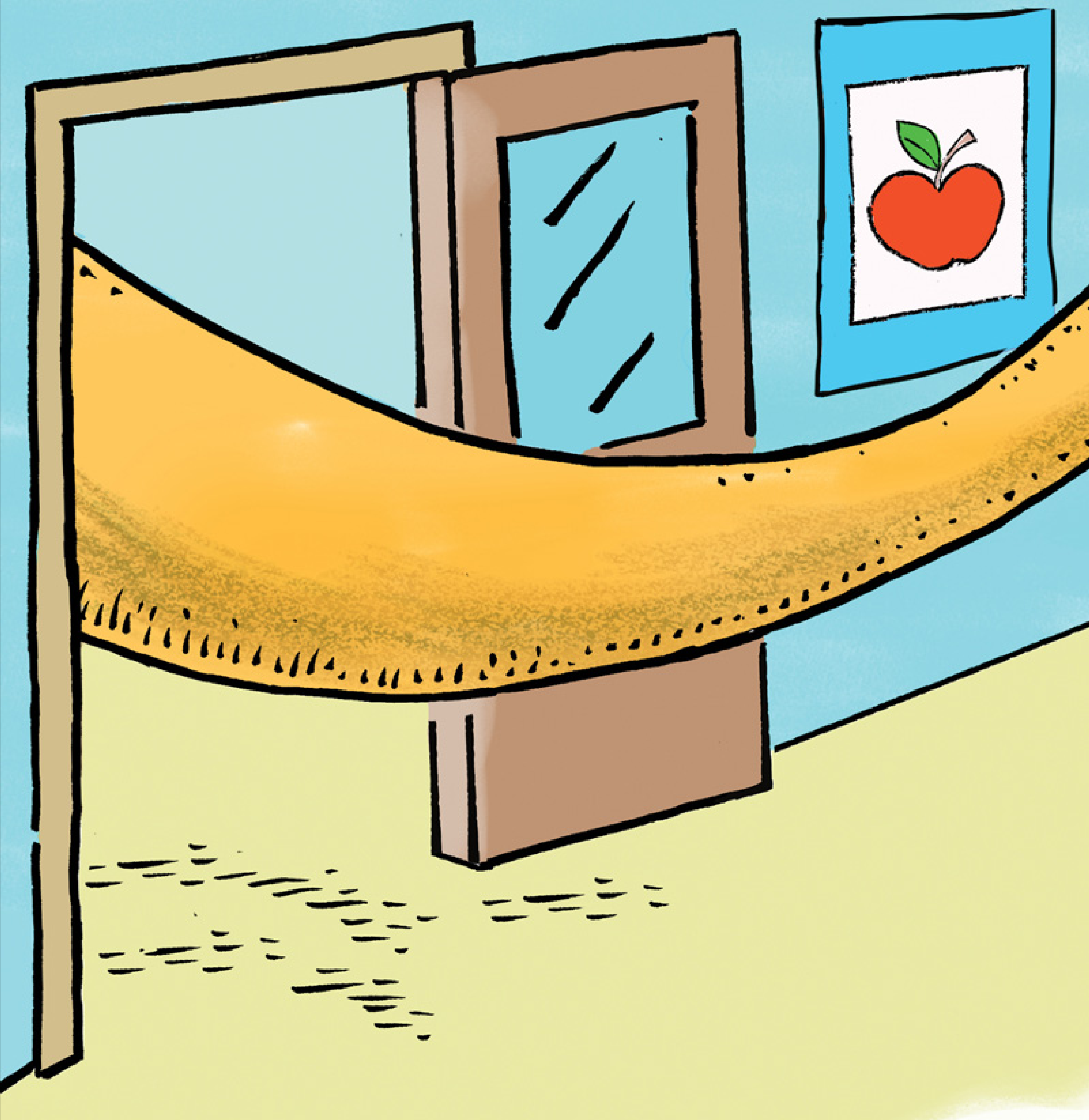
Danny asked the dinosaur.



“You made school sound like fun,”
said the dinosaur.

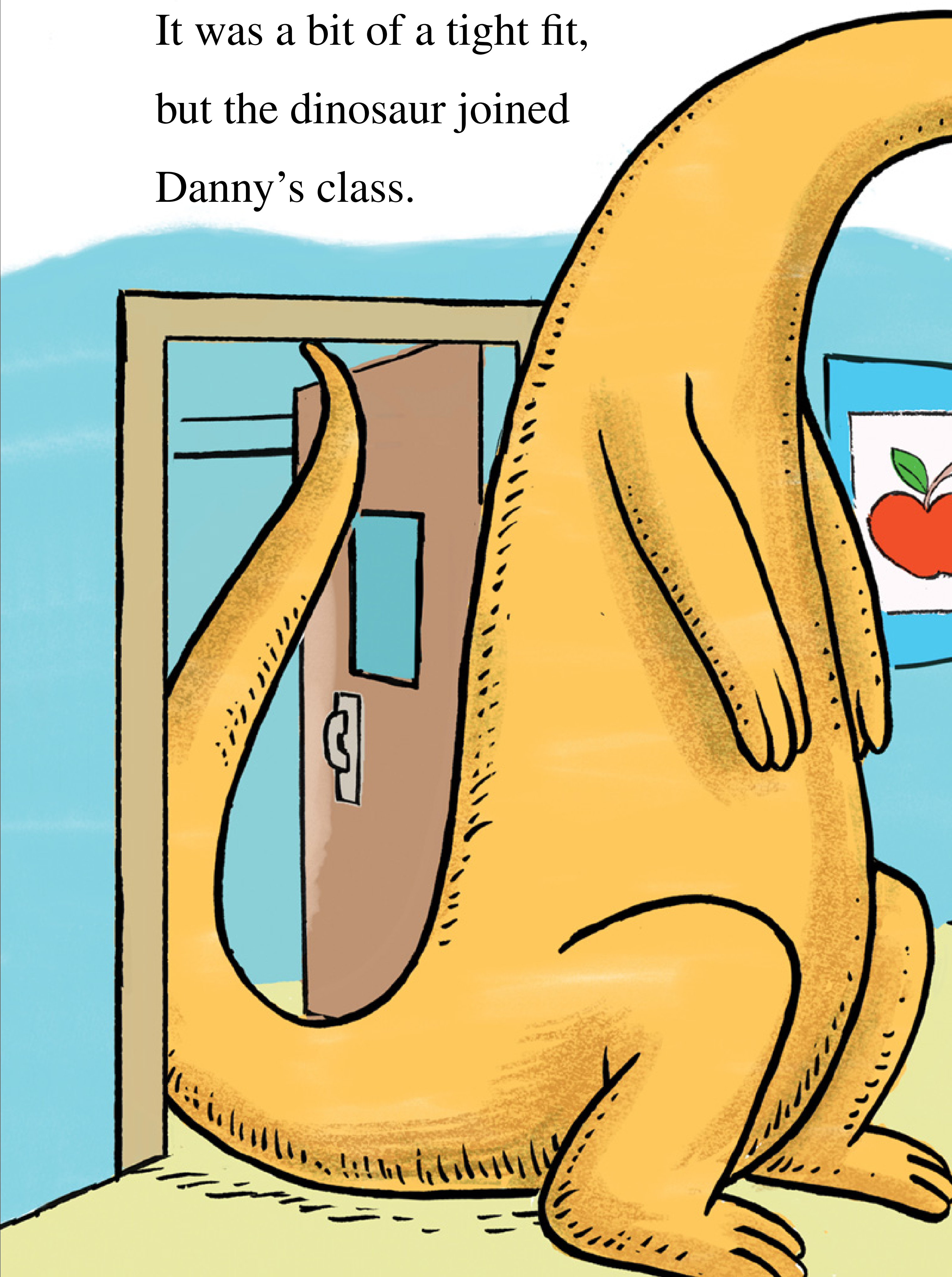
“So I wanted to come try it.”

“Welcome!” said Danny’s teacher.





It was a bit of a tight fit,
but the dinosaur joined
Danny's class.



The dinosaur loved
learning his ABC's.



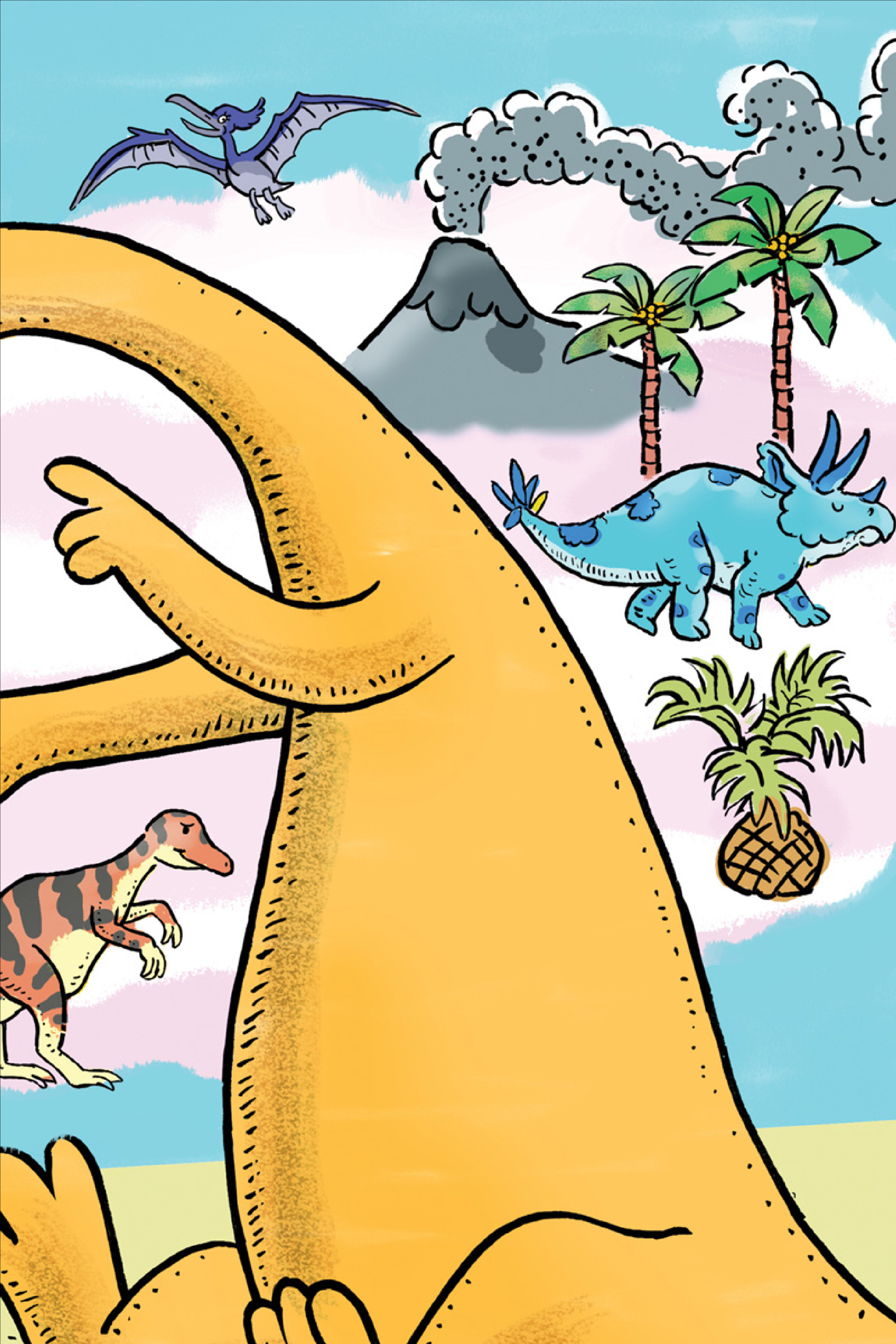
Danny's class learned
about math and measurements.





And the class learned what life was like
one hundred million years ago.





The students made dinosaur art.





Danny's class even tried
stomping like dinosaurs!

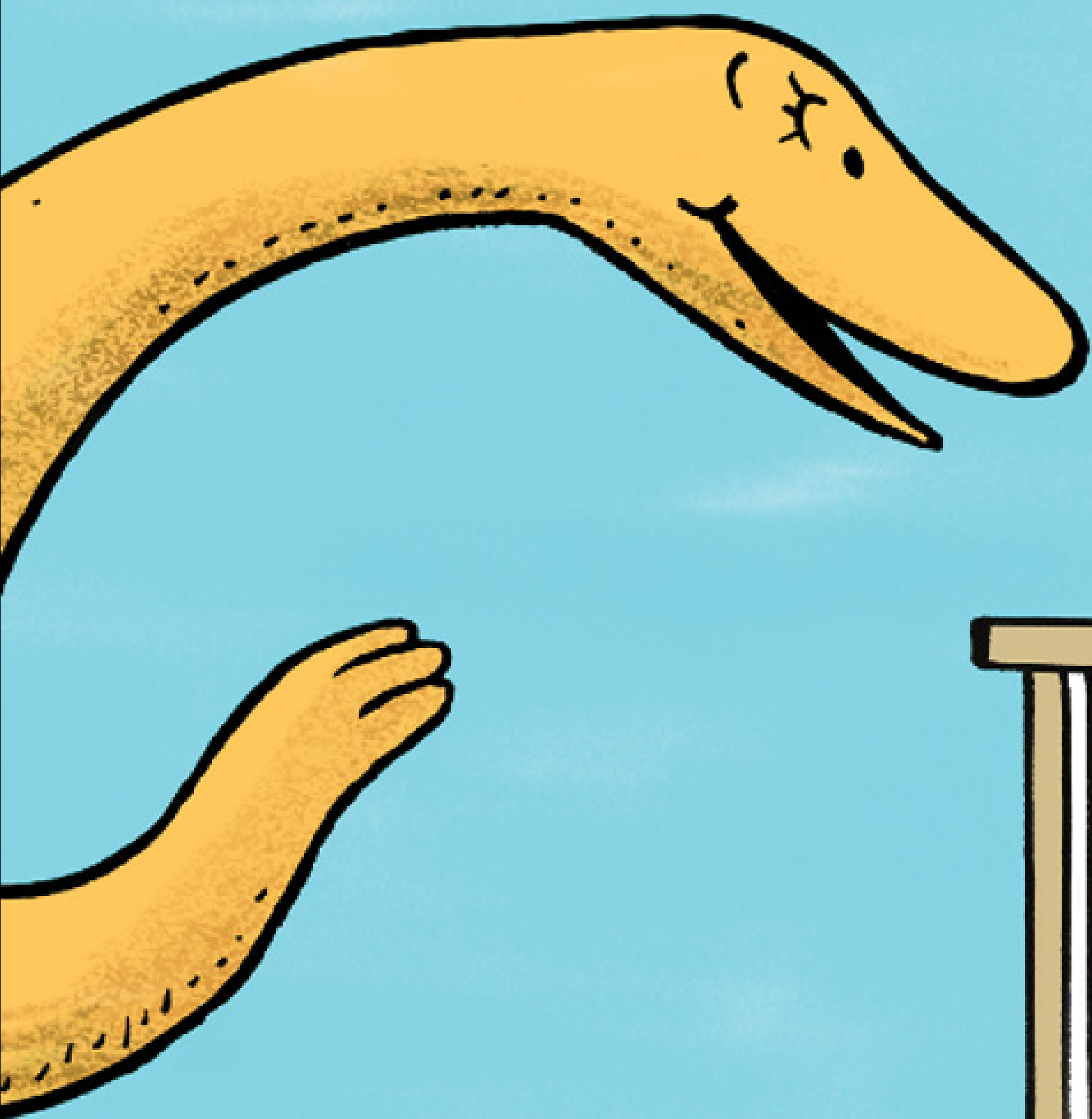




After a busy morning of lessons,
everyone was hungry.

When the bell rang,
they raced out the door.

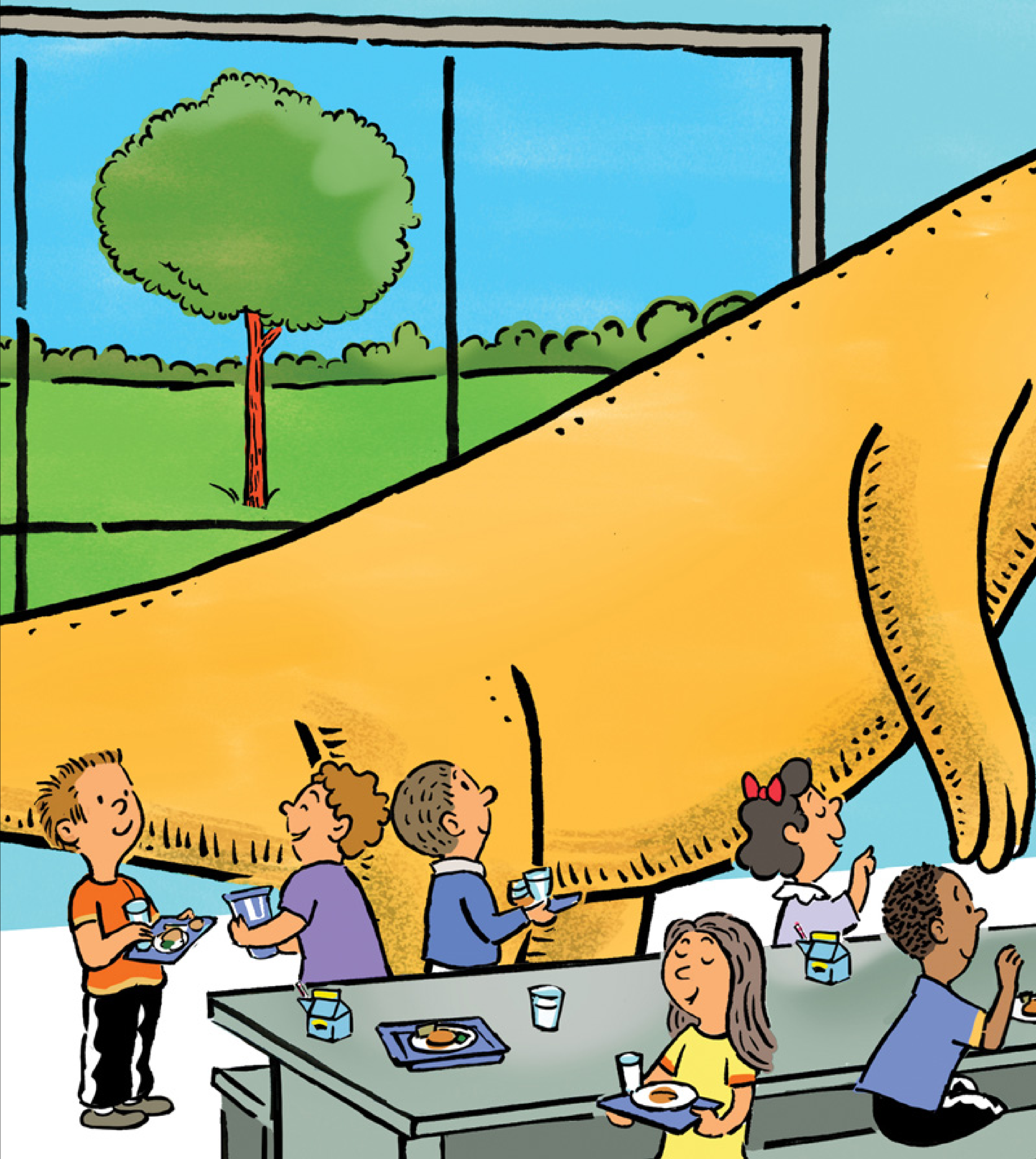




“Where’s everyone going?”
asked the dinosaur.

“It’s lunchtime,” said Danny.

“Let’s go eat!”

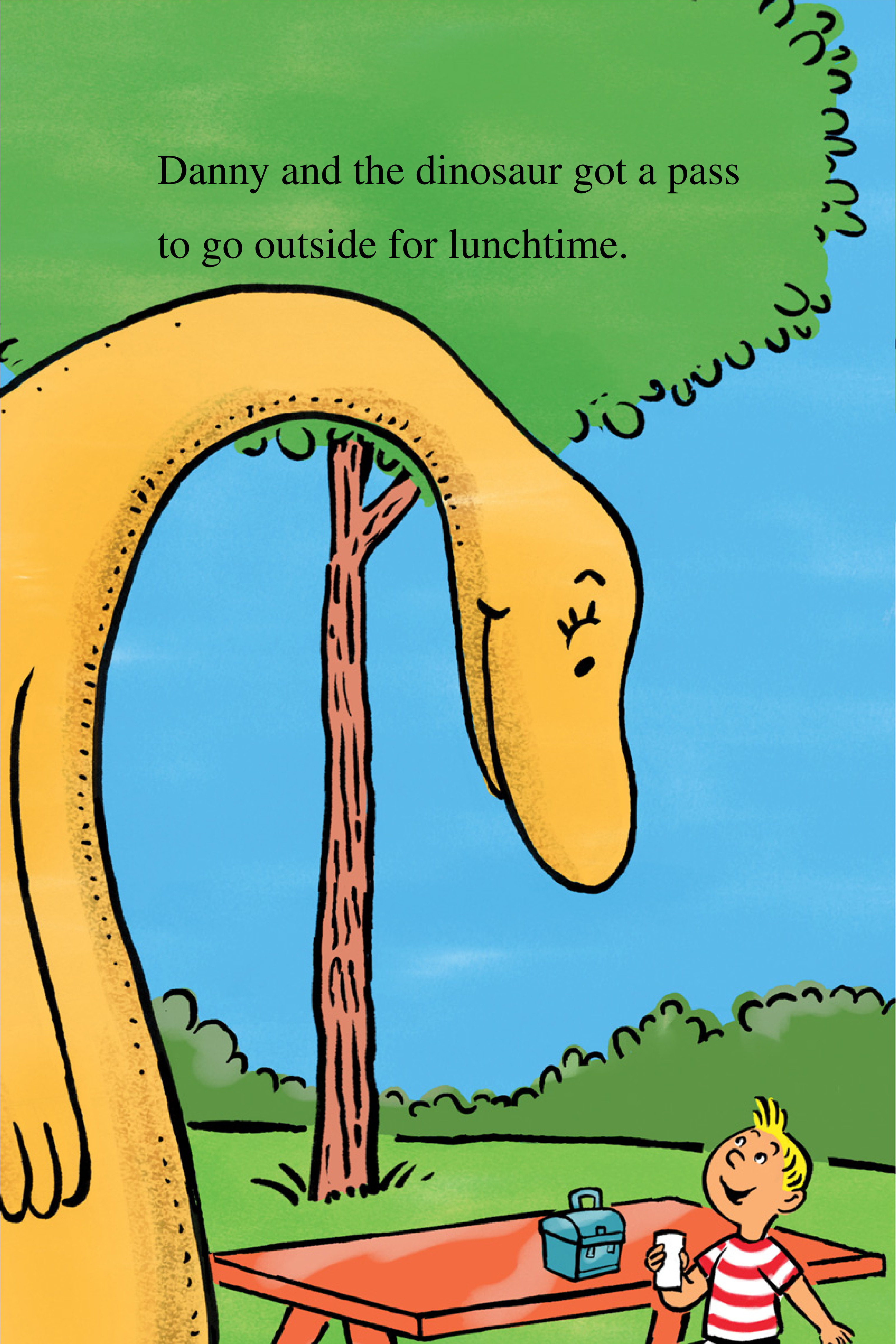


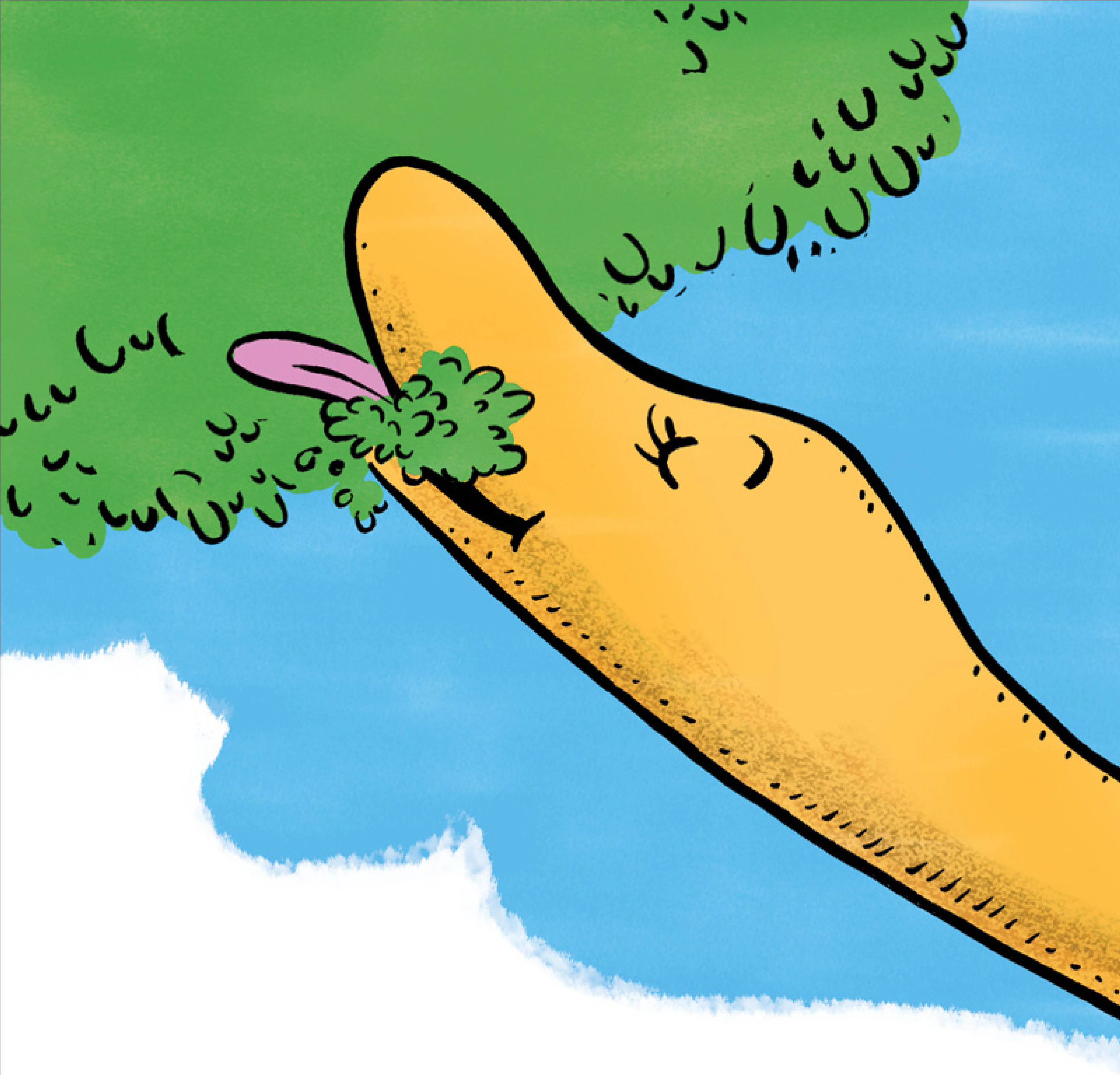
The cafeteria had sloppy joes.

“That’s not dinosaur food,”
said the dinosaur.



Danny and the dinosaur got a pass
to go outside for lunchtime.





Danny ate his lunch,
and the dinosaur ate his!



It looked like so much fun,
the whole class joined them.
Everybody played on the grass.





“School is fun!” said the dinosaur.

“Yes, it is,” said Danny’s teacher.

“And so are you!”



Danny smiled.

“Our class has a present for you.”

“Thanks!” said the dinosaur.

Everyone cheered.





Danny and his friends waved
as the dinosaur headed home.

“Come back anytime!”