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O le tala lenei e a'oa'o ai tamaiti i fa'aialoga va'aia e ono lapata'i ai se galulolo.

**Afai e te fa'alogoina se mafui'e malosi** (ua faigata ona e tū);  
**po'o se mafui'e umi** (pe ā ma se minute pe sili atu foi);

**A'o e latalata se matāfaga ia e fa'anatinati i se nofoaga  
maualuga po'o se a'ai tū totonu.**

This is a story that teaches children about natural warning signs of tsunami.

**If you feel a strong earthquake** (it's hard to stand up);  
**or a long earthquake** (that lasts for a minute or more);  
**and you are near the coast,**  
**then get to higher ground or go inland, quickly.**

O le gataifale atoa o Hawke's Bay e ono lamatia mai galulolo,  
pe a mana'omia fa'amaumauga tau galulolo, asiasi loa ile  
[www.hbhazards.co.nz](http://www.hbhazards.co.nz) pe vili se faufautua lata ane.

All of Hawke's Bay coastline is at risk from tsunami. To find out  
about tsunami evacuation zones visit [www.hbhazards.co.nz](http://www.hbhazards.co.nz)  
or ring your local council.



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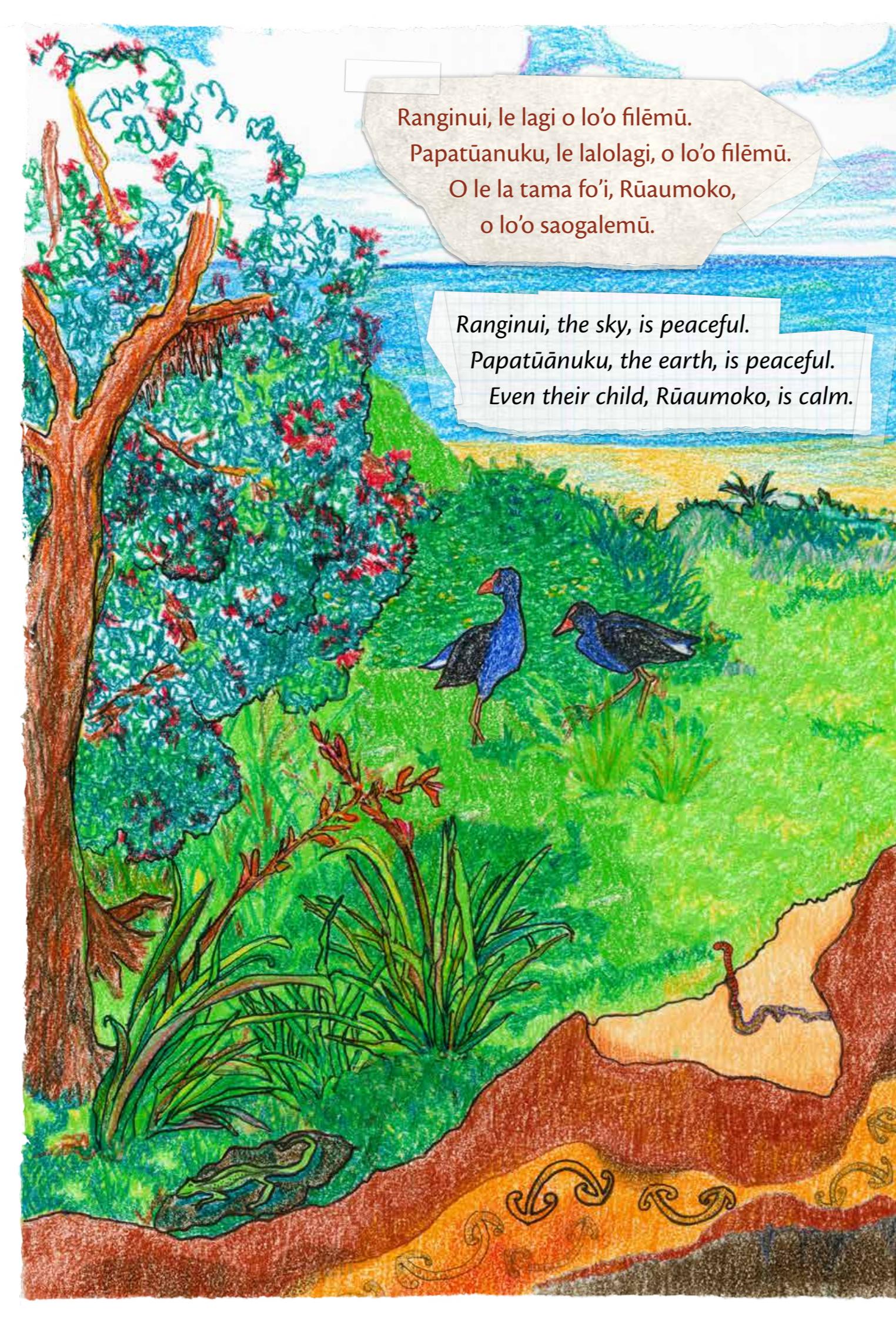
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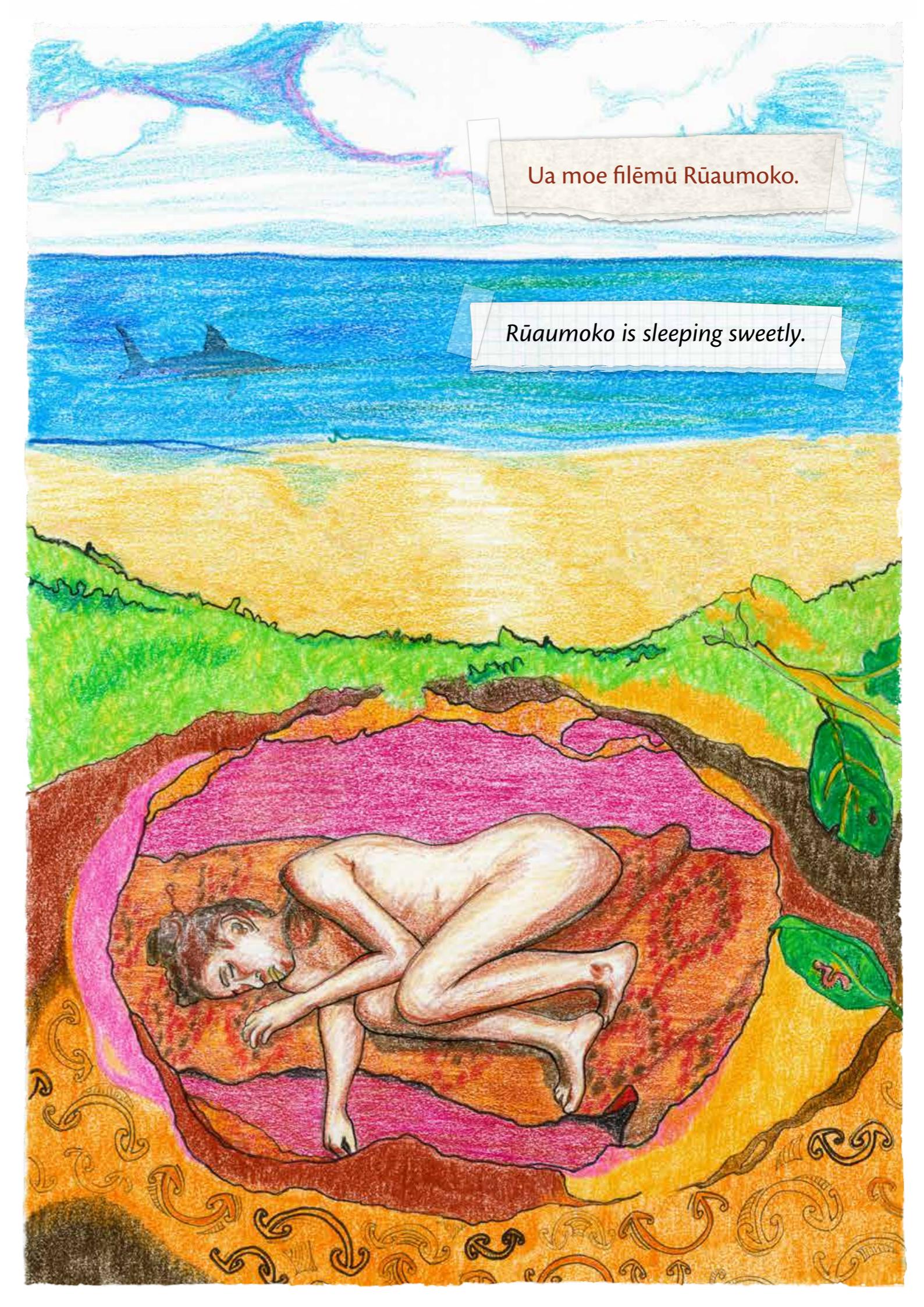
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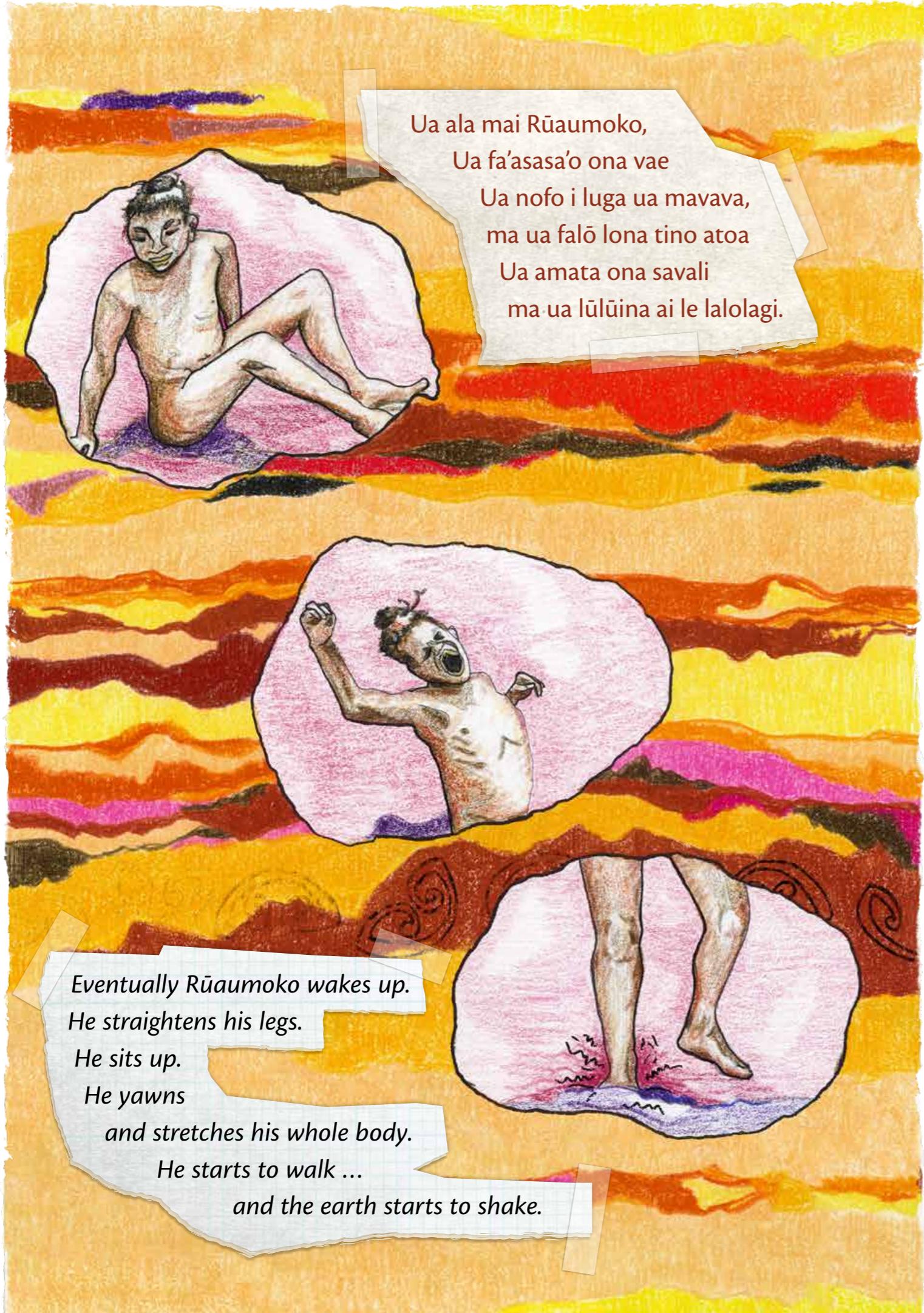
Ranginui, le lagi o lo'o filēmū.  
Papatūānuku, le lalolagi, o lo'o filēmū.  
O le la tama fo'i, Rūaumoko,  
o lo'o saogalemū.

Ranginui, the sky, is peaceful.  
Papatūānuku, the earth, is peaceful.  
Even their child, Rūaumoko, is calm.



Ua moe filēmū Rūaumoko.

Rūaumoko is sleeping sweetly.



Ua ala mai Rūaumoko,  
Ua fa'asasa'o ona vae  
Ua nofo i luga ua mavava,  
ma ua falō lona tino atoa  
Ua amata ona savali  
ma ua lūlūina ai le lalolagi.

Eventually Rūaumoko wakes up.

He straightens his legs.

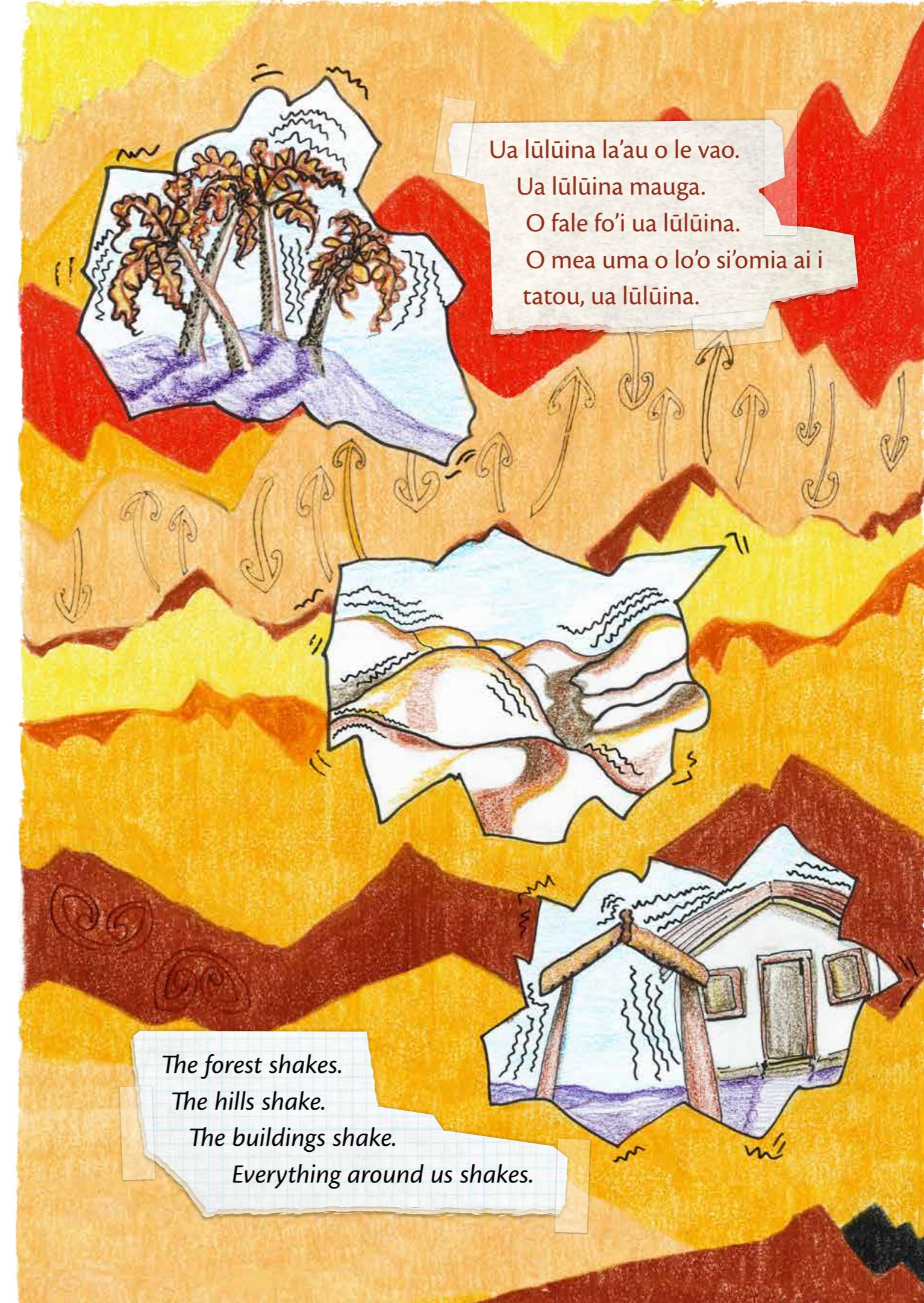
He sits up.

He yawns

and stretches his whole body.

He starts to walk ...

and the earth starts to shake.



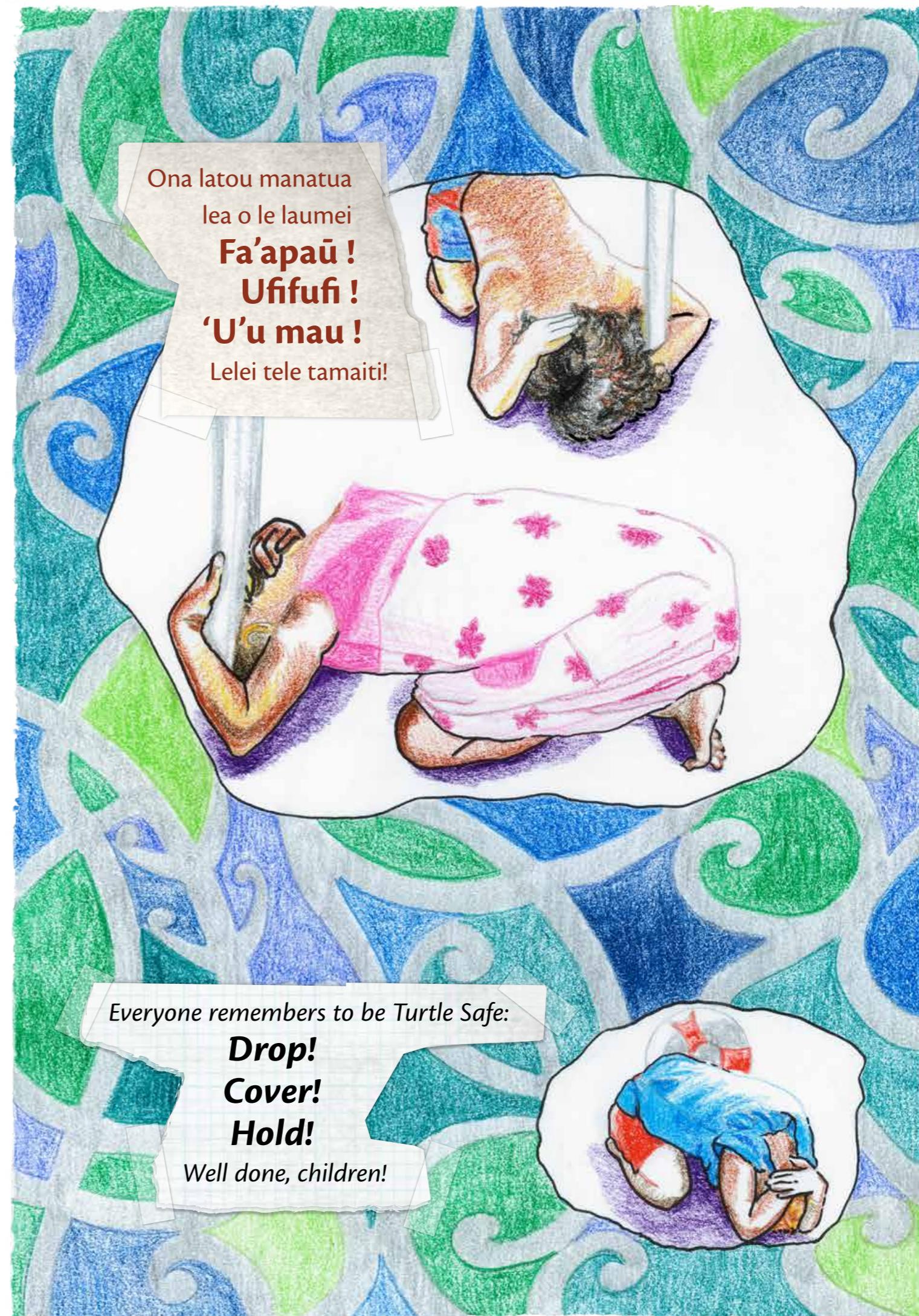
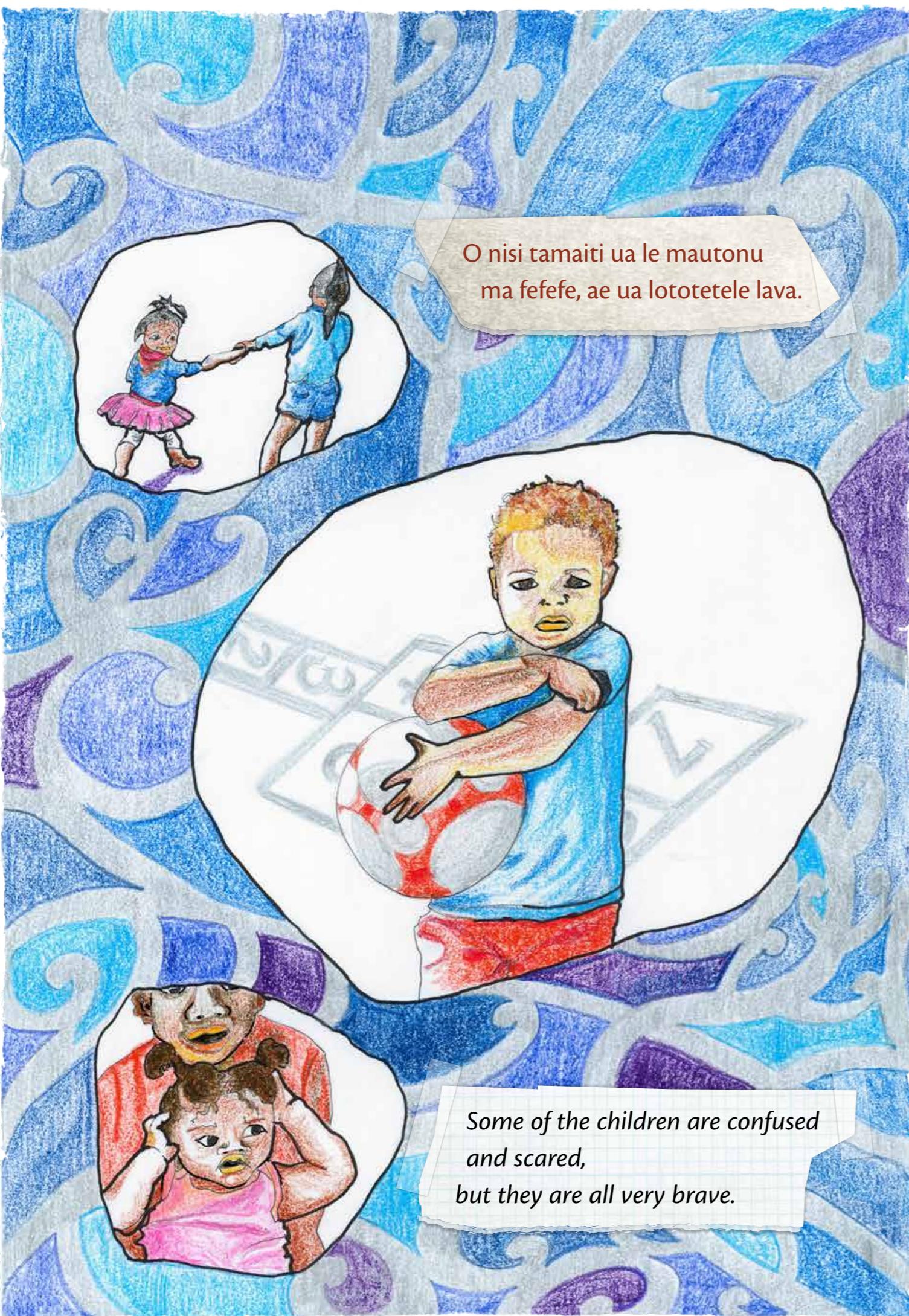
Ua lūlūina la'au o le vao.  
Ua lūlūina mauga.  
O fale fo'i ua lūlūina.  
O mea uma o lo'o si'omia ai i  
tatou, ua lūlūina.

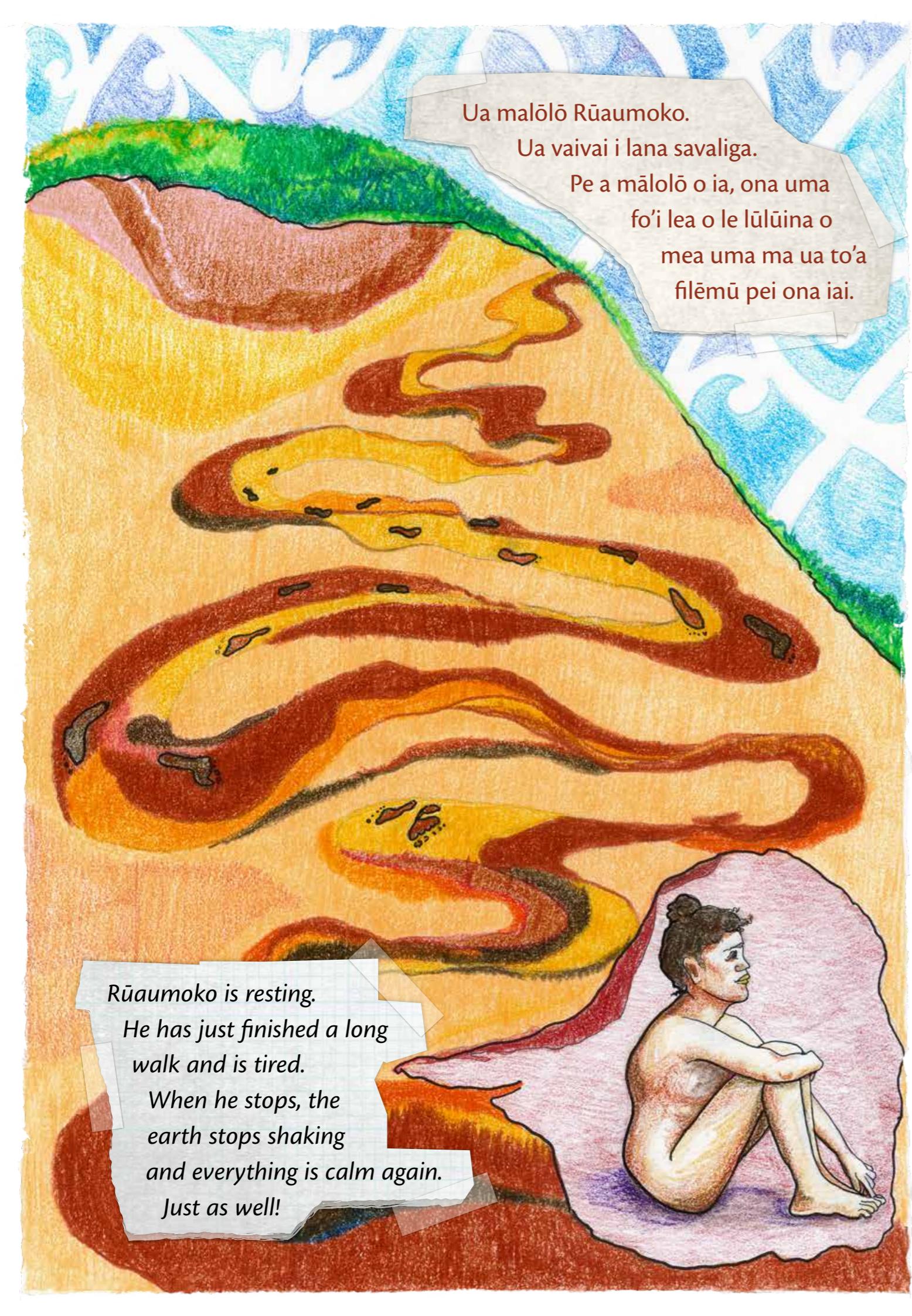
The forest shakes.

The hills shake.

The buildings shake.

Everything around us shakes.





Rūaumoko is resting.  
He has just finished a long  
walk and is tired.

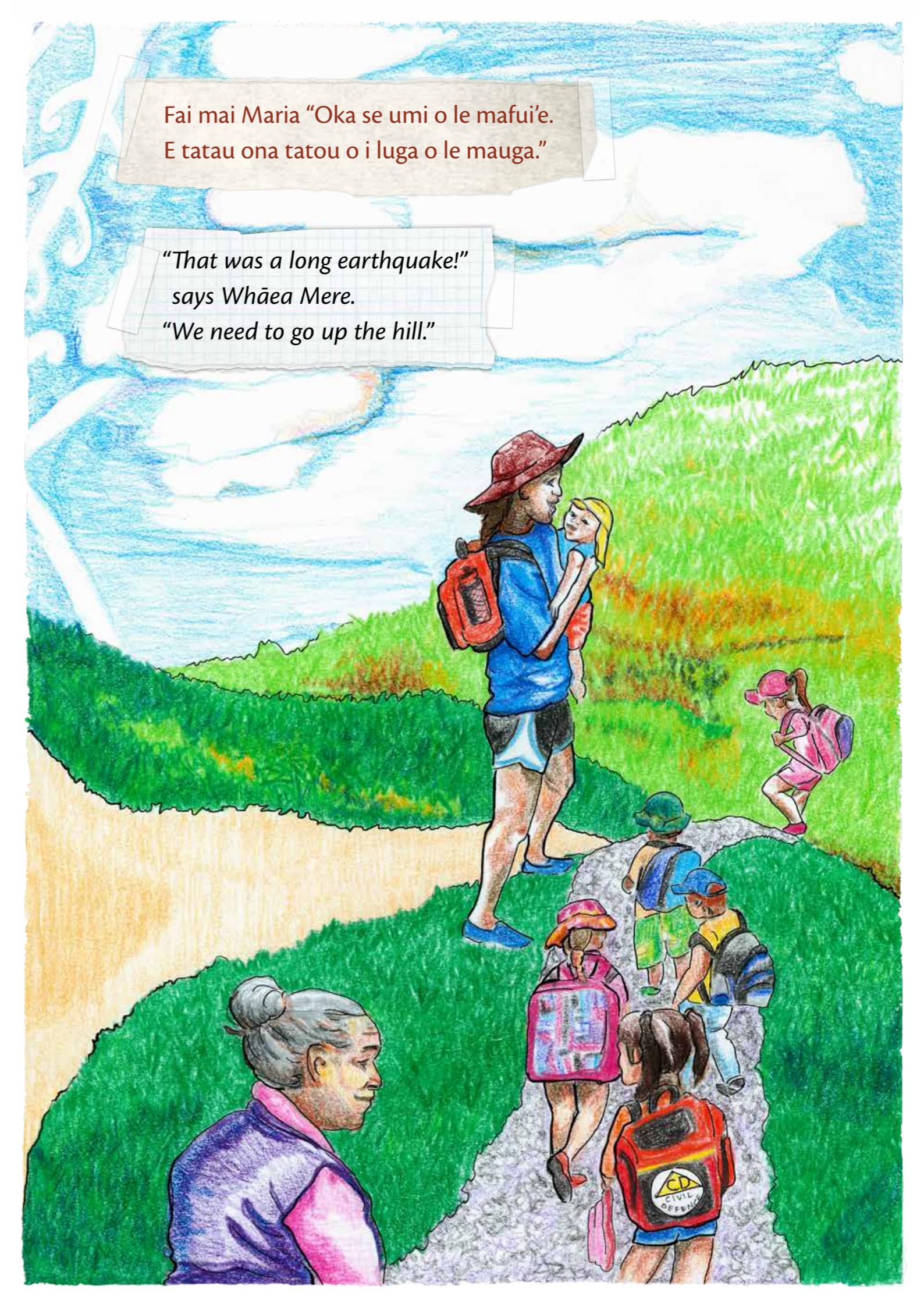
When he stops, the  
earth stops shaking  
and everything is calm again.

Just as well!

Ua malōlō Rūaumoko.

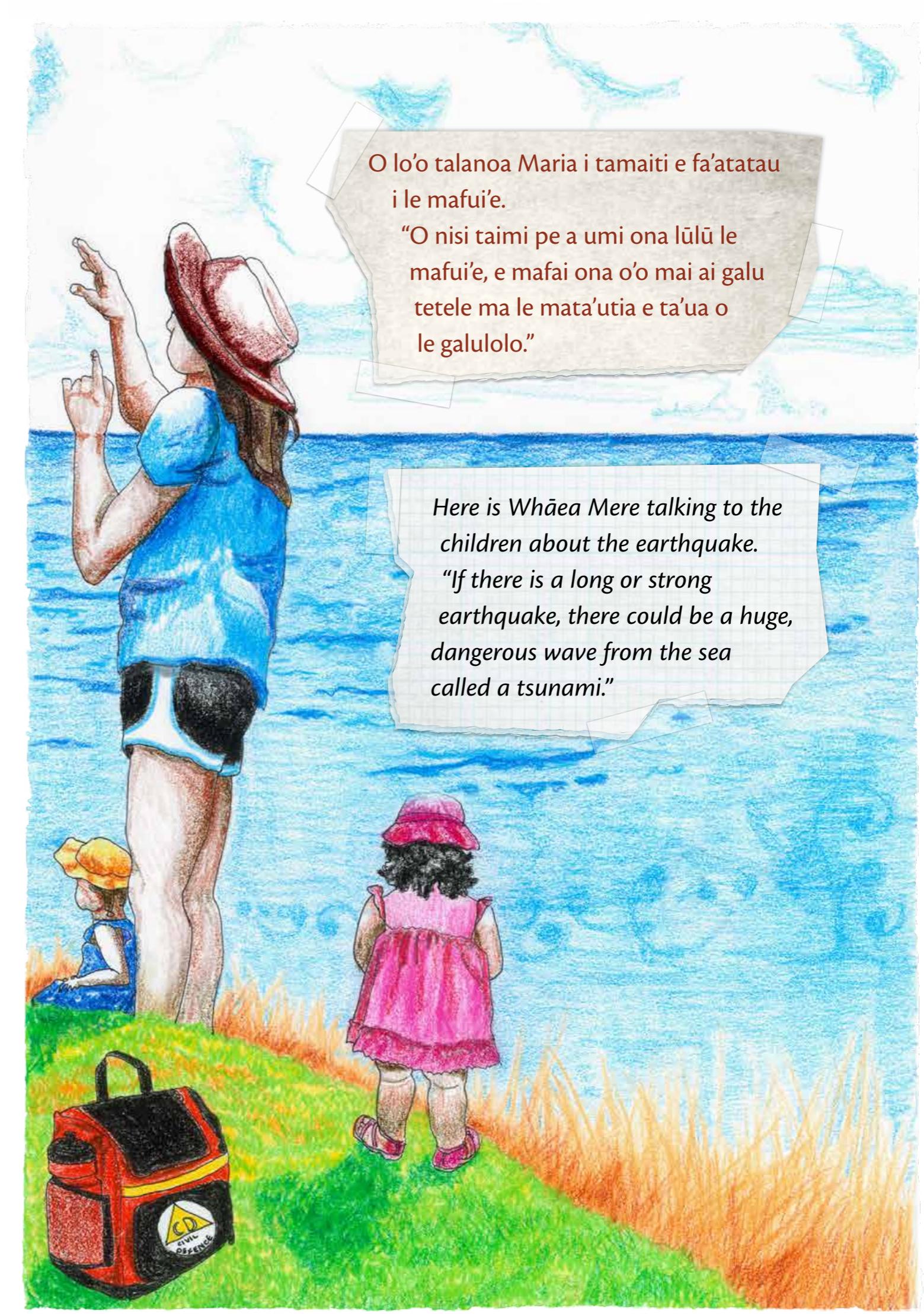
Ua vaivai i lana savaliga.

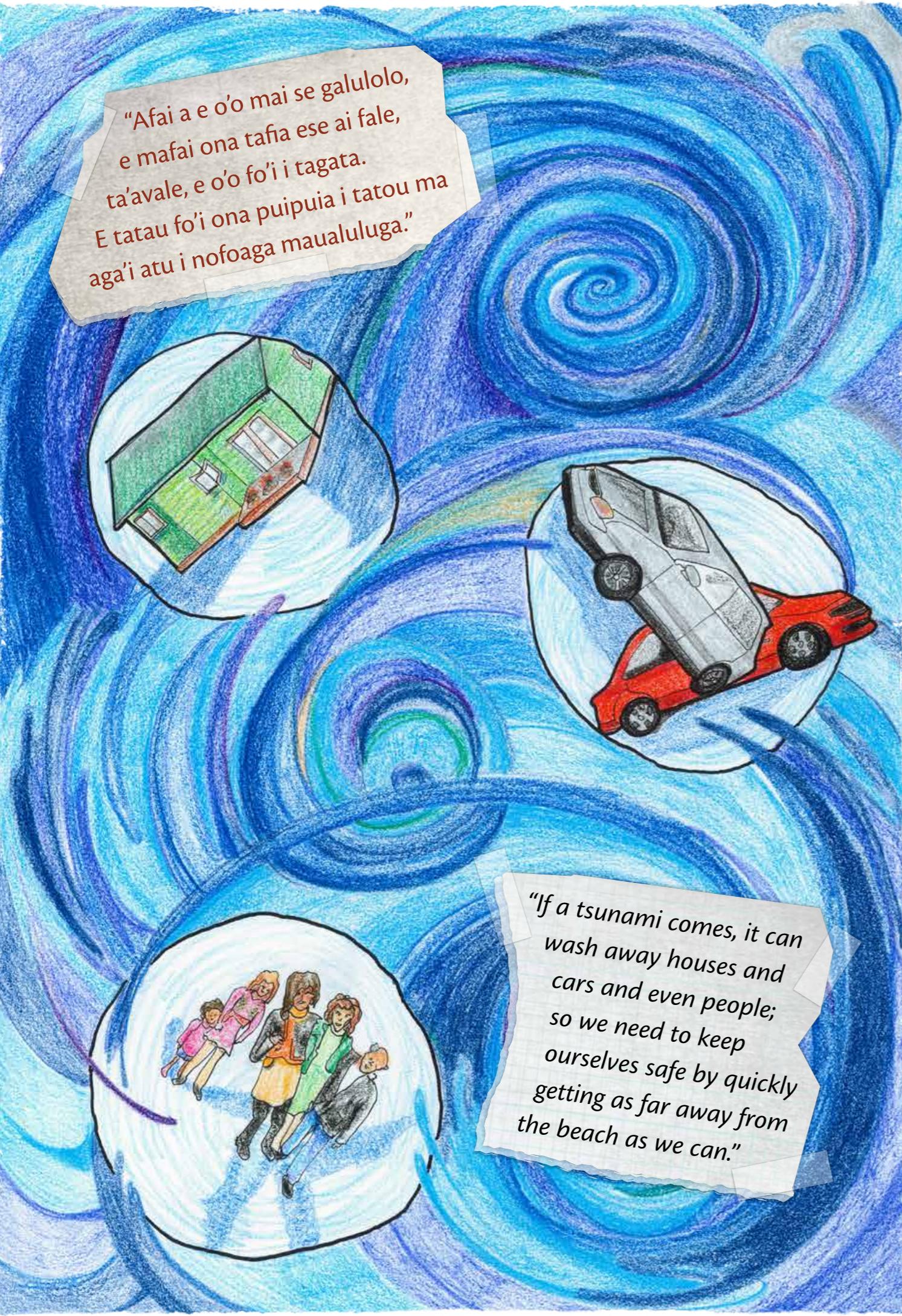
Pe a mālolō o ia, ona uma  
fo'i lea o le lūlūina o  
mea uma ma ua to'a  
filēmū pei ona iai.



Fai mai Maria "Oka se umi o le mafui'e.  
E tatau ona tatou o i luga o le mauga."

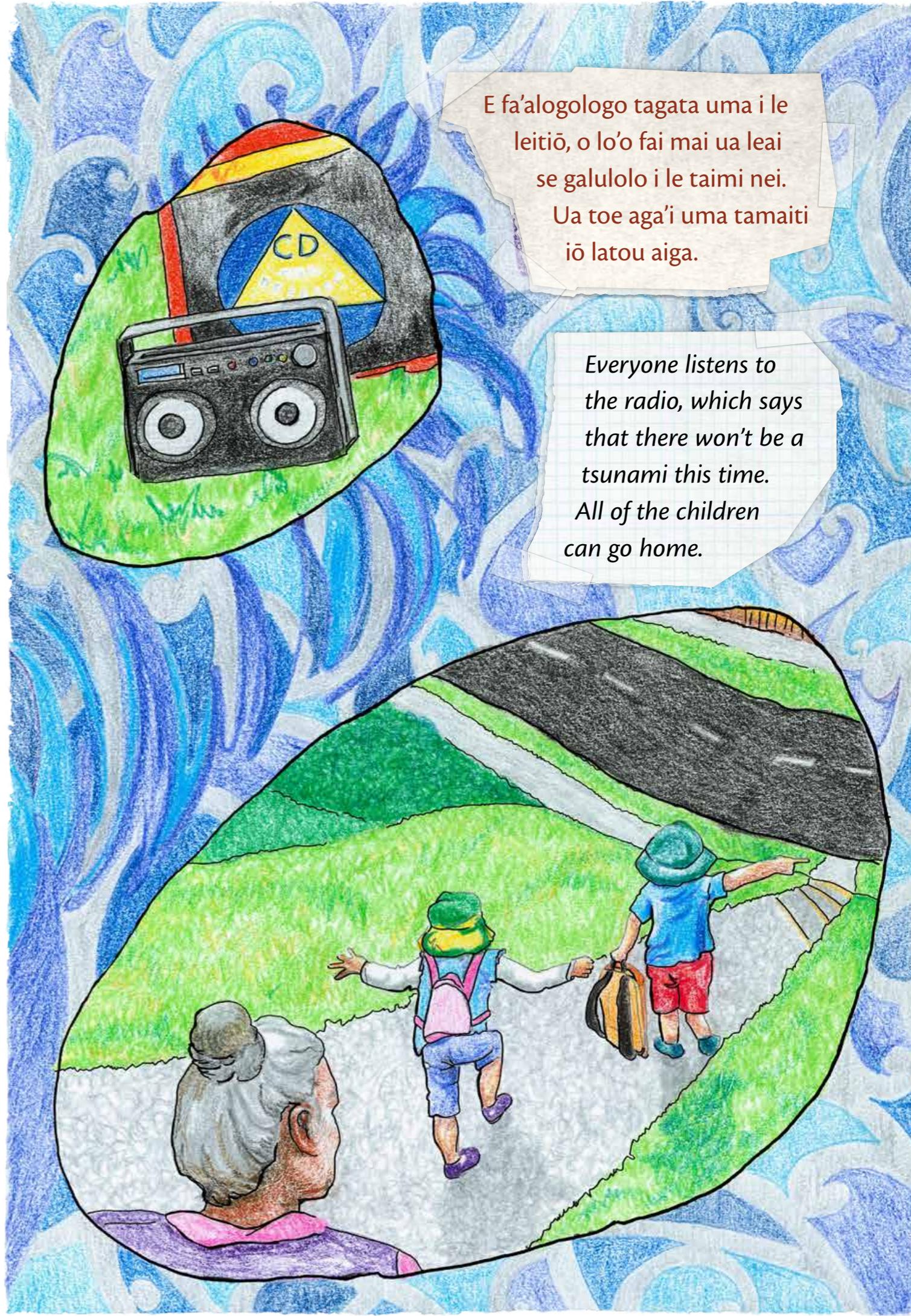
"That was a long earthquake!"  
says Whāea Mere.  
"We need to go up the hill."





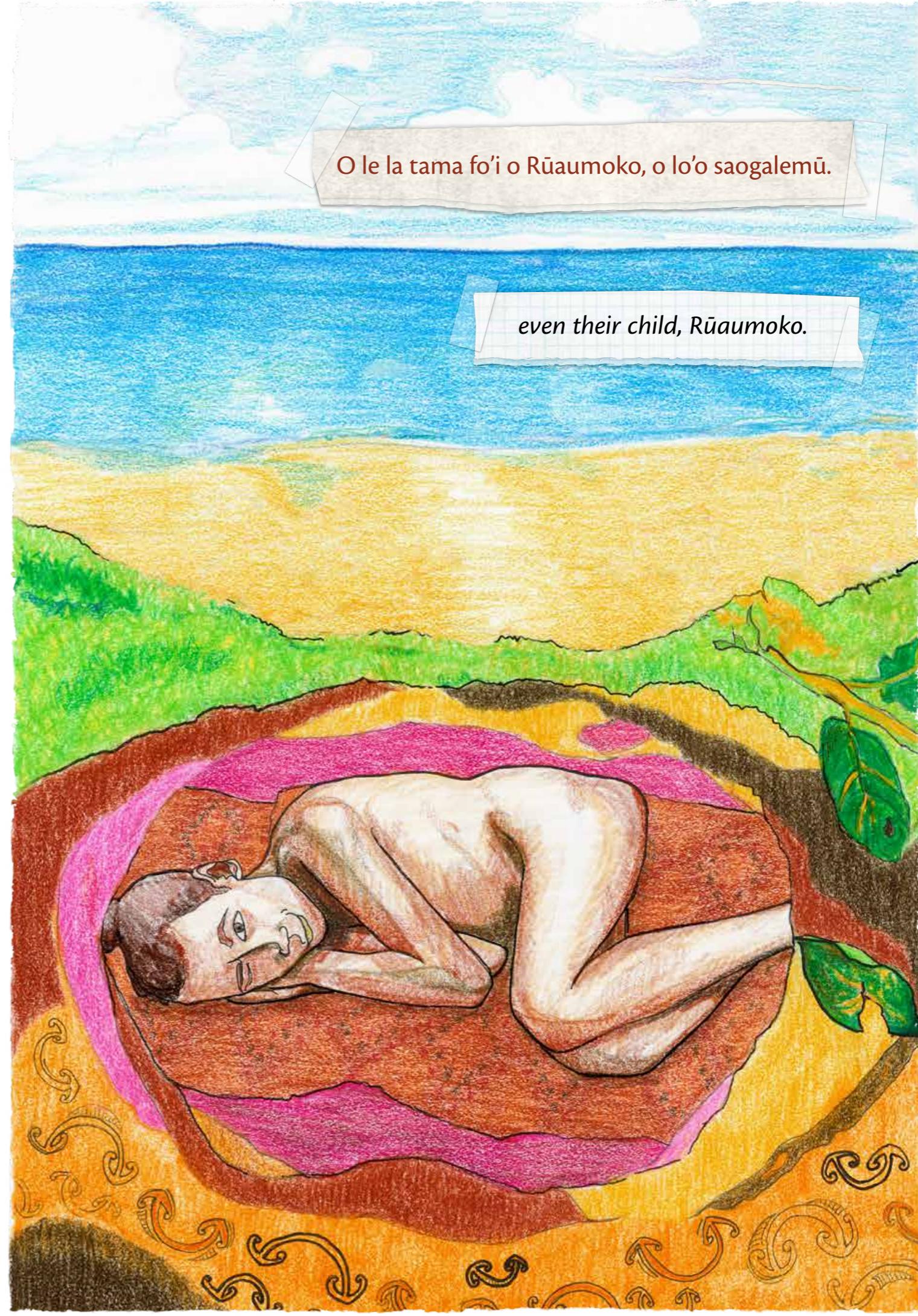
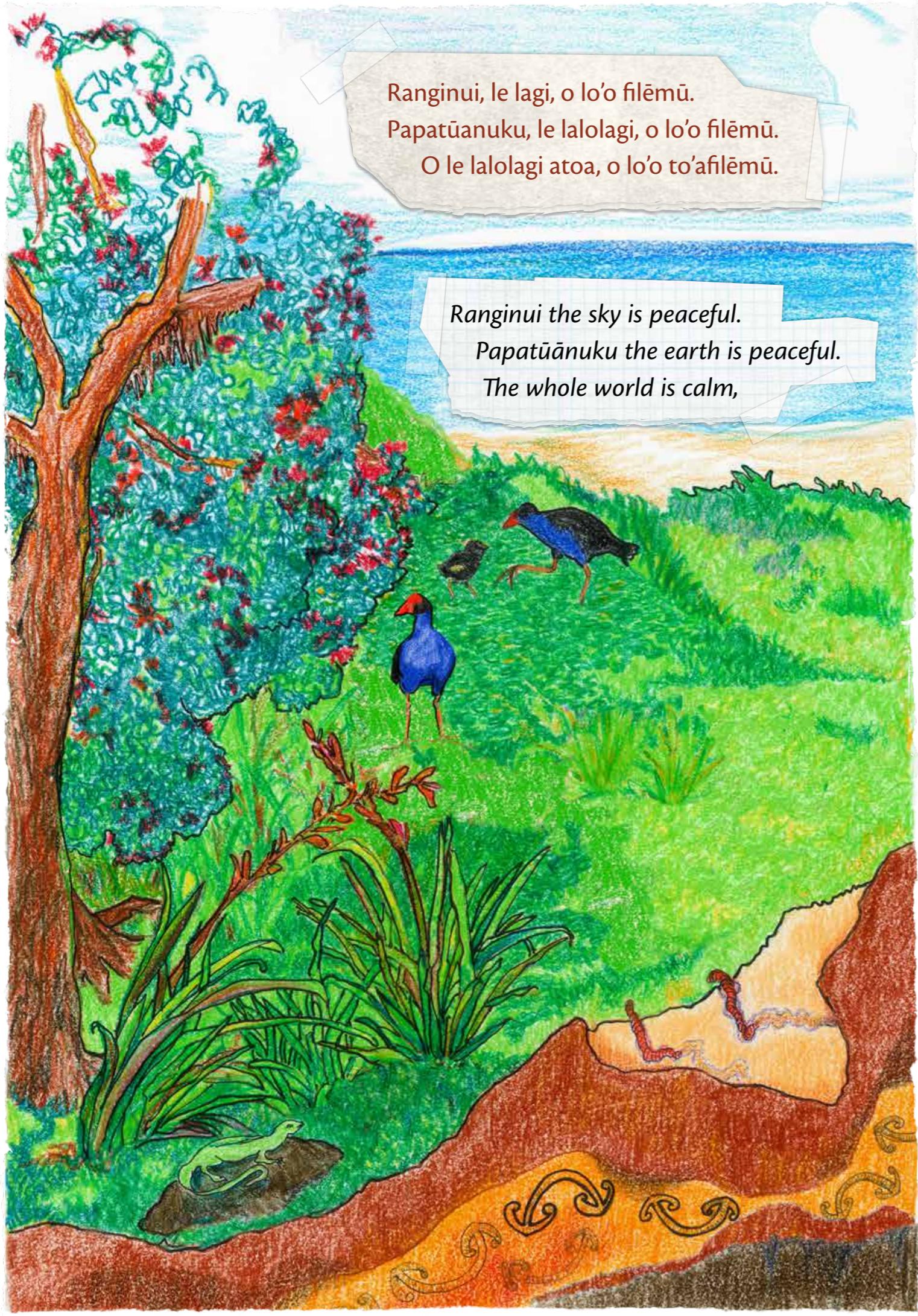
*"Afai a e o'o mai se galulolo,  
e mafai ona tafia ese ai fale,  
ta'avale, e o'o fo'i i tagata.  
E tatau fo'i ona puipua i tatou ma  
aga'i atu i nofoaga maualuluga."*

*"If a tsunami comes, it can  
wash away houses and  
cars and even people;  
so we need to keep  
ourselves safe by quickly  
getting as far away from  
the beach as we can."*



*E fa'alologologo tagata uma i le  
leitiō, o lo'o fai mai ua leai  
se galulolo i le taimi nei.  
Ua toe aga'i uma tamaiti  
iō latou aiga.*

*Everyone listens to  
the radio, which says  
that there won't be a  
tsunami this time.  
All of the children  
can go home.*



# Upega tafa'ilagi

## O ata ma tala fetufaa'i

O le savaliga Rūaumoko ua mafai ona maimoaina i upega tafa'ilagi o se ata faitino faileo ma musika. (Saili i le ulutala o le tusi luga le google po'o le youtube); o se tusi e fefa'aso'a'i ai le oa o gagana ([www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/](http://www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/)).

## O tala tuana'i

O le savaliga o Rūaumoko e tele ni tala tuana'i, ma ni fa'amatalaga e fa'amautinoa ai le malamalama mo tagata lautele. E pei o "Moremore the shark" i le fa'aliliuina muamua – pe aisea ua i ai i'i na? Mo se malamalamaga atili tala tuana'i ma isi, asiasi le [www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruamokos-walk-ebook/](http://www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruamokos-walk-ebook/) Po'o tala'aga faiaoga | le [www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/teachers/](http://www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/teachers/)

## Notes

# Online

## Video and interactive story versions

Te Hīkoi a Rūaumoko/Rūaumoko's Walk is able to be viewed online both as an animated video story with voice over and music (search for the book title on google or youtube); and as a bilingual interactive e-book for a richer immersive experience at [www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/](http://www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/)

## Back-stories and cultural references

Rūaumoko's Walk has numerous back-stories and explanations to enrich the understanding for the audience, such as Moremore the shark in the first illustration - why is it there? To discover these back-stories and more, visit the interactive e-book online at [www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/](http://www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/) or see the teachers reference at [www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/teachers/](http://www.hbemergency.govt.nz/ruaumokos-walk-ebook/teachers/)



## PE Ā LULUINA LE FOGĀELEELE



## WHEN THE GROUND BEGINS TO SHAKE

## Faa'apu

Fa'apau i lalo i ou lima ma ou tulivae (ae e te le'i pa'u i le mafuie) O le tulaga lea e puipui ai oe mai lou pa'u i lalo, ae fa'ataga se gaioiga talafeagai.



## Drop

Drop down onto your hands and knees (before the earthquake knocks you down). This position protects you from falling but allows you to still move if necessary.

## Cover

Cover your head and neck (and your entire body if possible) under a sturdy table. If there is no shelter nearby, get down near an interior wall (or next to low-lying furniture that won't fall on you), and cover your head and neck with your arms and hands.



## Hold

Hold on to your shelter (or your position to protect your head and neck) until the shaking stops. Be prepared to move with your shelter if the shaking shifts it around.

## Nofoaga saogalemū

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