

Mom, Dad,  
may we have  
a pet?

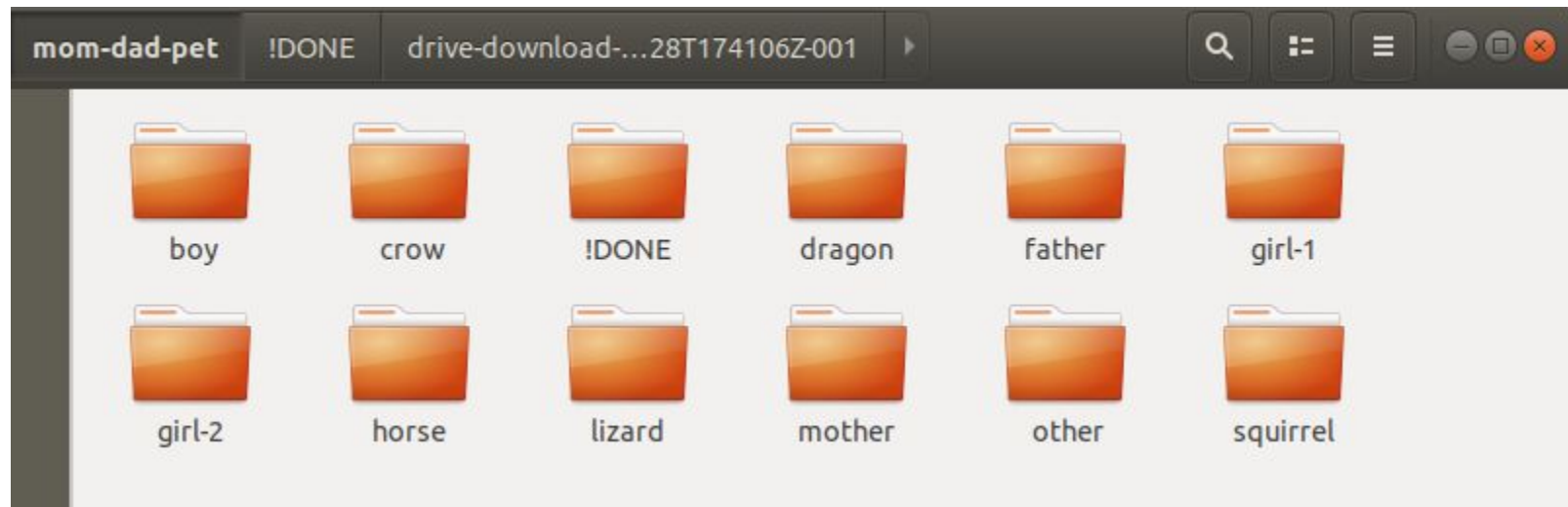


Drawing a  
children's book  
using Midjourney  
and ChatGPT

June 06, 2023

1. Decide what to draw (the idea, scenario, characters)
2. Generate the content (Midjourney, ChatGPT)
3. Process and combine the content (image upscaling, graphics and text editing in Photoshop)
4. Publish/print (optional)

1. Decide what to draw (the idea, scenario, characters):
  - a. Illustrate an existing story (e.g. fairy tale)
  - b. Generate a story with ChatGPT
  - c. Use your own story (imaginary or real)



2. Generate the content (Midjourney, ChatGPT):

a. Generate the dialogs in ChatGPT

b. Generate the images in Midjourney

1-2. We want a pet [opening #0]

Mom, Dad, may we have a pet?

Tell us, oh little adventurers, which marvellous creature would you like to join our family and bring joy to our hearts?

3-4. Horse [1]

Oh, gentle parents, may we have a majestic horse to gallop through meadows and embark on magical adventures?

Oh, dear ones, a horse's size is grand indeed, but their needs are vast, and caring for them requires more than we can provide.

5-6. Crow [2]

Oh, dear parents, if a horse is too grand, may we keep a clever crow as our feathered friend instead?

Sweet darlings, while crows are wise and clever, they prefer soaring freely in the sky, and being petted or walked is something they don't desire.

7-8. Lizard [3]

Oh, wise parents, may we have a slithery lizard as our extraordinary pet, its scales shimmering like jewels in the sun?

Oh, precious little hearts, a lizard's cold touch and slithering ways might frighten friends, so let's find a pet that fills our days with warmth and laughter instead.

9-10. Dragon [4]

Oh, beloved parents, may we have a fiery dragon as our extraordinary pet, soaring through the skies and illuminating our nights?

Oh, little dreamers, dragons are magnificent creatures of tales and legends, but in our world, their fiery presence is only found in the realm of imagination.

11-12. Degu [5]

Oh, dear parents, may we have a playful degu as our furry friend, with its boundless energy and twitching nose, bringing endless delight wherever it goes?

Oh, little ones, degus are mischievous and chatty, and to keep them happy and content, we would need a lively group, for they thrive in the company of their fellow furry friends.

13-14. So what pet? [6]

Oh, wise ones, what magical creature shall we welcome as our cherished pet, filling our days with endless love and delightful memories?

Oh, dear ones, we hold a secret in our hearts, a special pet that will fill your days with joy and laughter, but let it be a surprise, for its arrival will make our family's love soar even higher.

## ChatGPT dialog:

<https://chat.openai.com/share/bf1d391a-7aae-41c9-ac85-77a39e252b47>

ID

write me one sentence in the style of a children's book about kids asking for a horse as a pet

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In a field of dreams, the hopeful children pleaded, "Oh, gentle parents, may we have a majestic horse to gallop through meadows and embark on magical adventures?"



ID

write me one sentence in the style of a children's book about parents saying that we can't have a horse as a pet because the horse is too big and needs a lot of food



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Gently, the parents explained, "Oh, dear ones, a horse's size is grand indeed, but their needs are vast, and caring for them requires more than we can provide."



🔄 Regenerate response

Send a message...

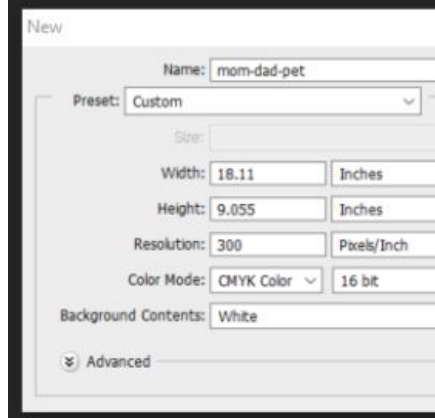


# Midjourney

[what is it](#), paid service - from \$10/m, Discord, main commands (imagine, settings), variations & upscaling, MJ versions, looking for examples

# Photoshop (Gimp, pixlr.com, Canva...)

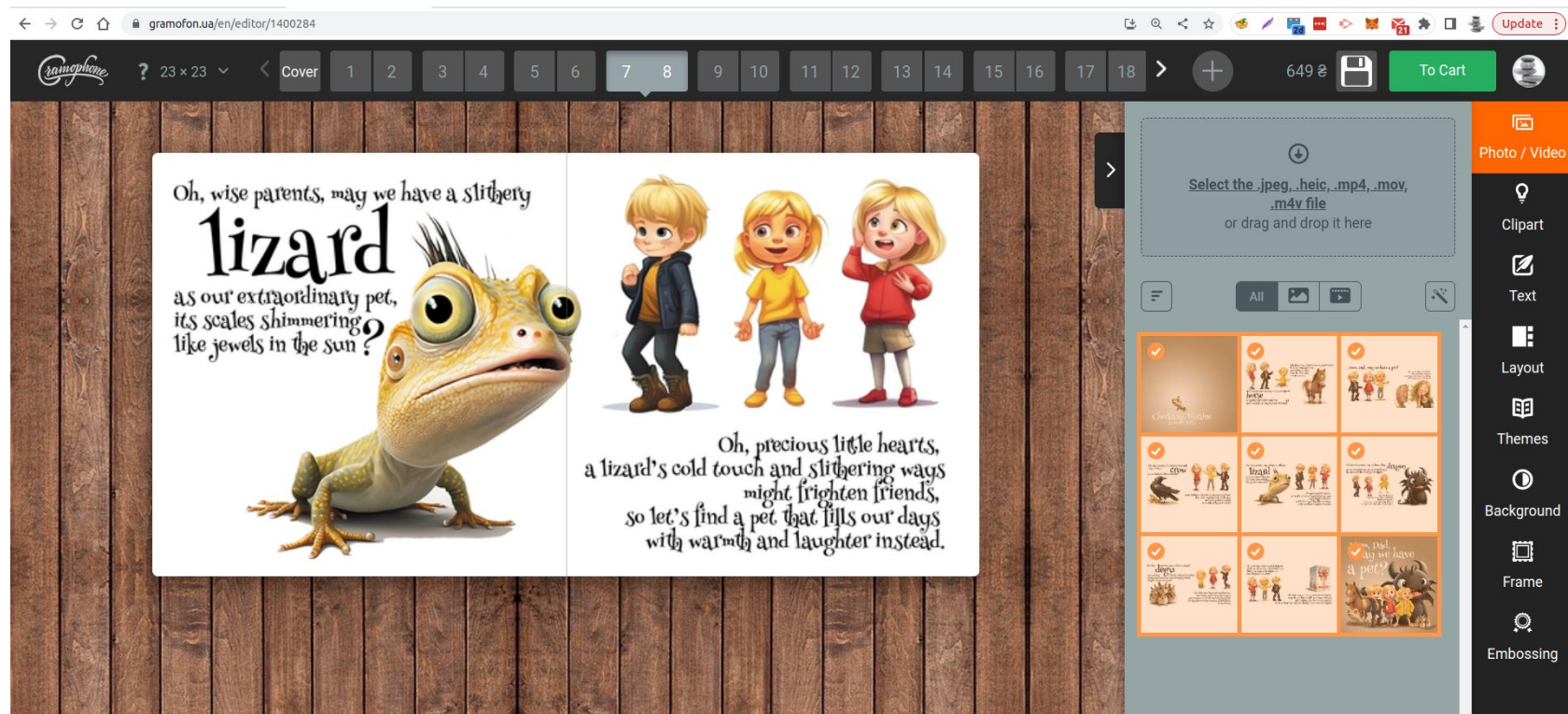
Removing the background  
Fixing eyes, fingers etc  
Scaling, mirroring  
Editing text  
General composition





# Publishing/printing (optional)

Photo book size, materials, other options - e.g. [Gramofon.ua](https://gramofon.ua)



# **The resulting book**



- Cherkasy, Ukraine -  
Summer 2023

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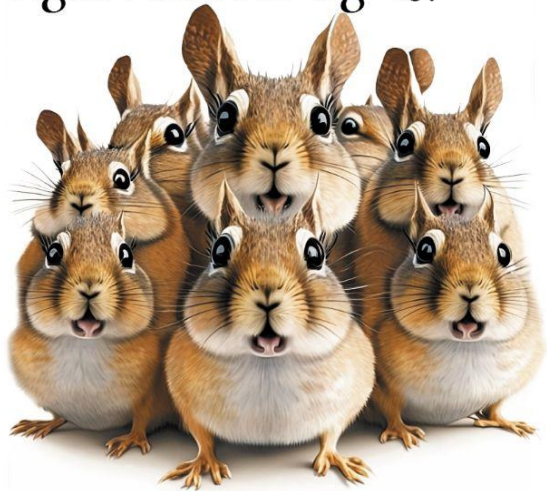
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