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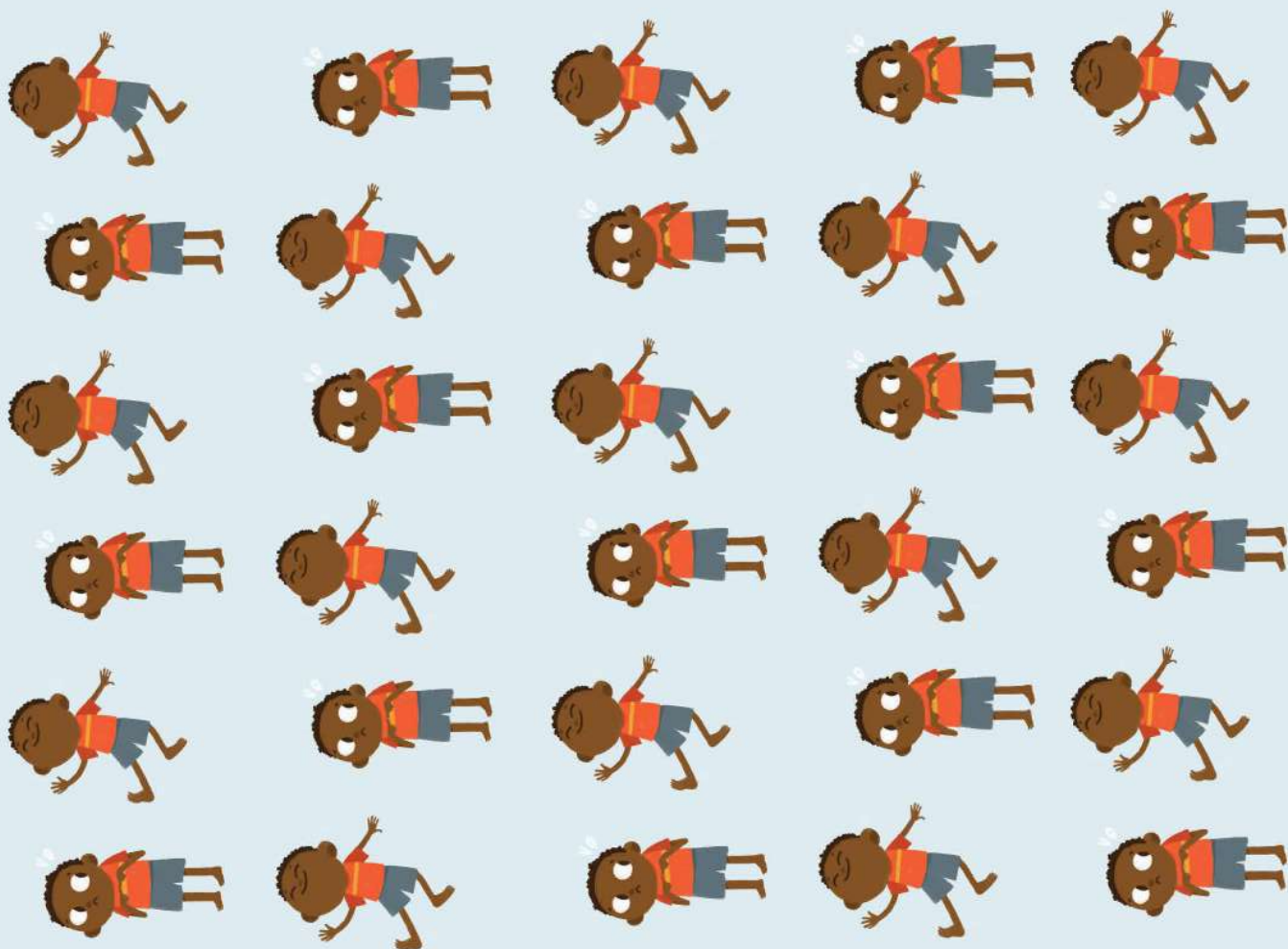
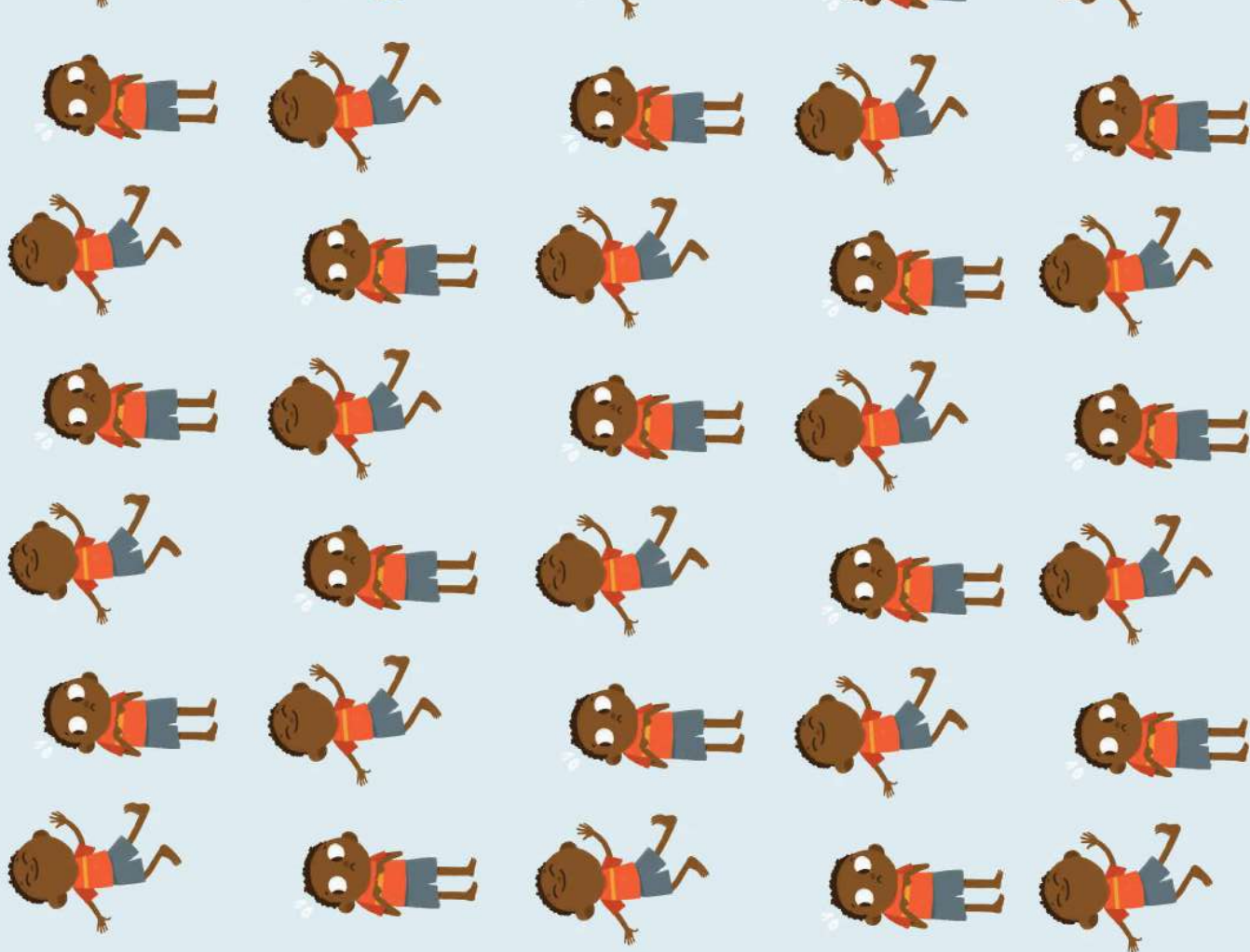
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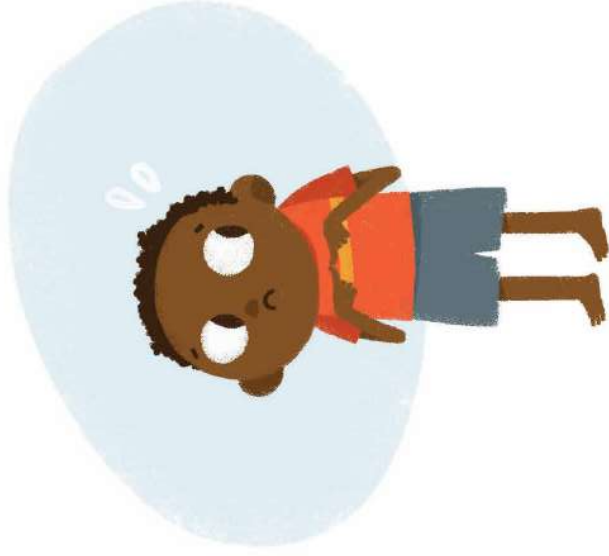


Everyone knows that  
Khuzwayo loves to dance.  
When the village leader  
chooses him to be the  
next Ingoma dancer, no  
one is surprised.



Ingoma is a dance to  
celebrate the first crops at  
the beginning of the year.  
uzwayo's family is proud.





But Khuzwayo is worried.

How will he dance in front  
so many people  
from so many villages?

He normally only performs  
a few neighbours.

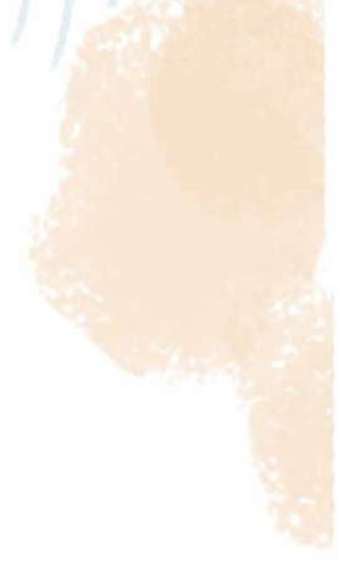
"I can't do it!

It's too scary.

He

runs

away







Everyone wonders where he is.  
No one can find him.

But Khuzwayo's best friends  
know exactly where he would be!









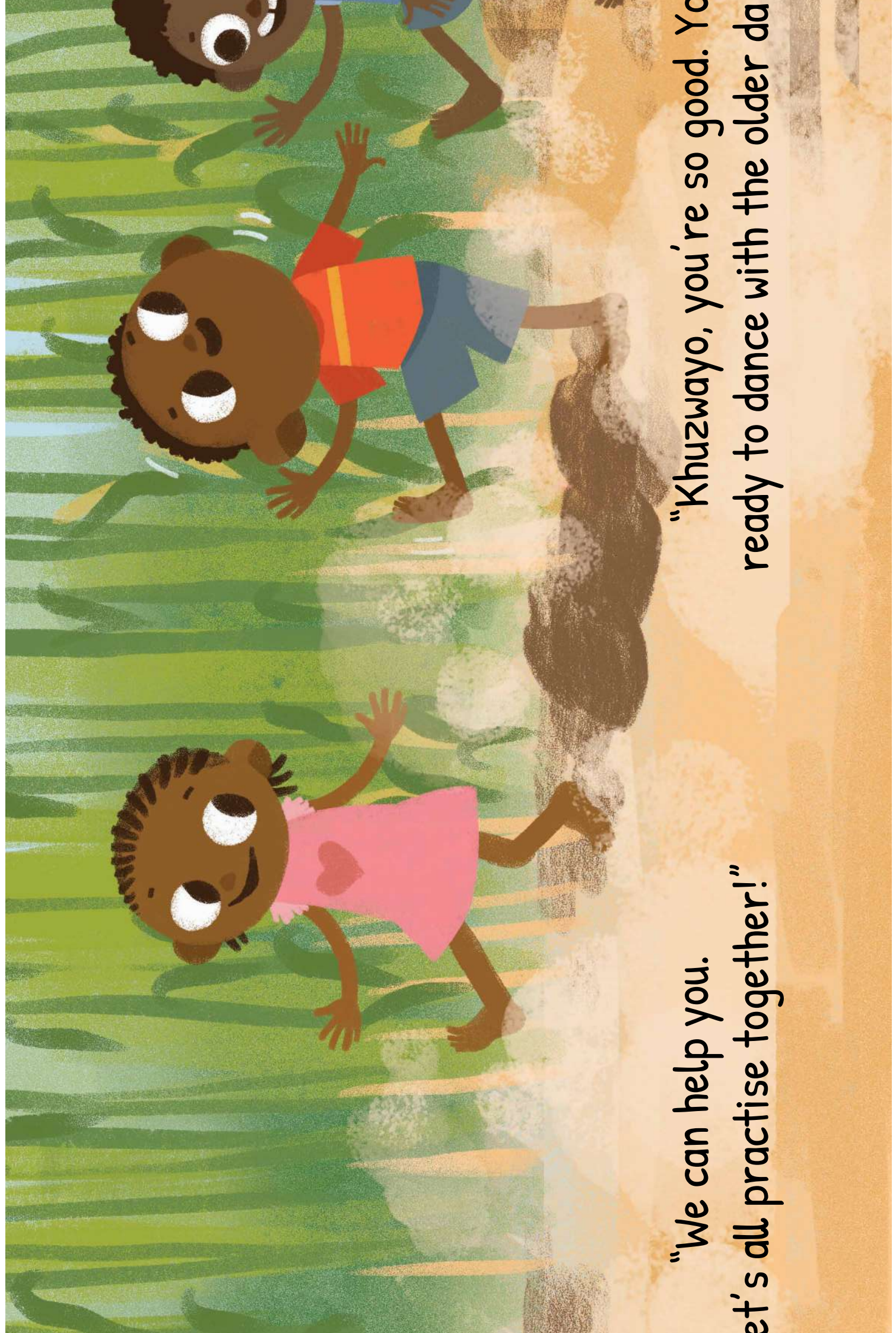
Why did  
you run  
away?"



nervous.  
if I make  
mistake?"







"We can help you.

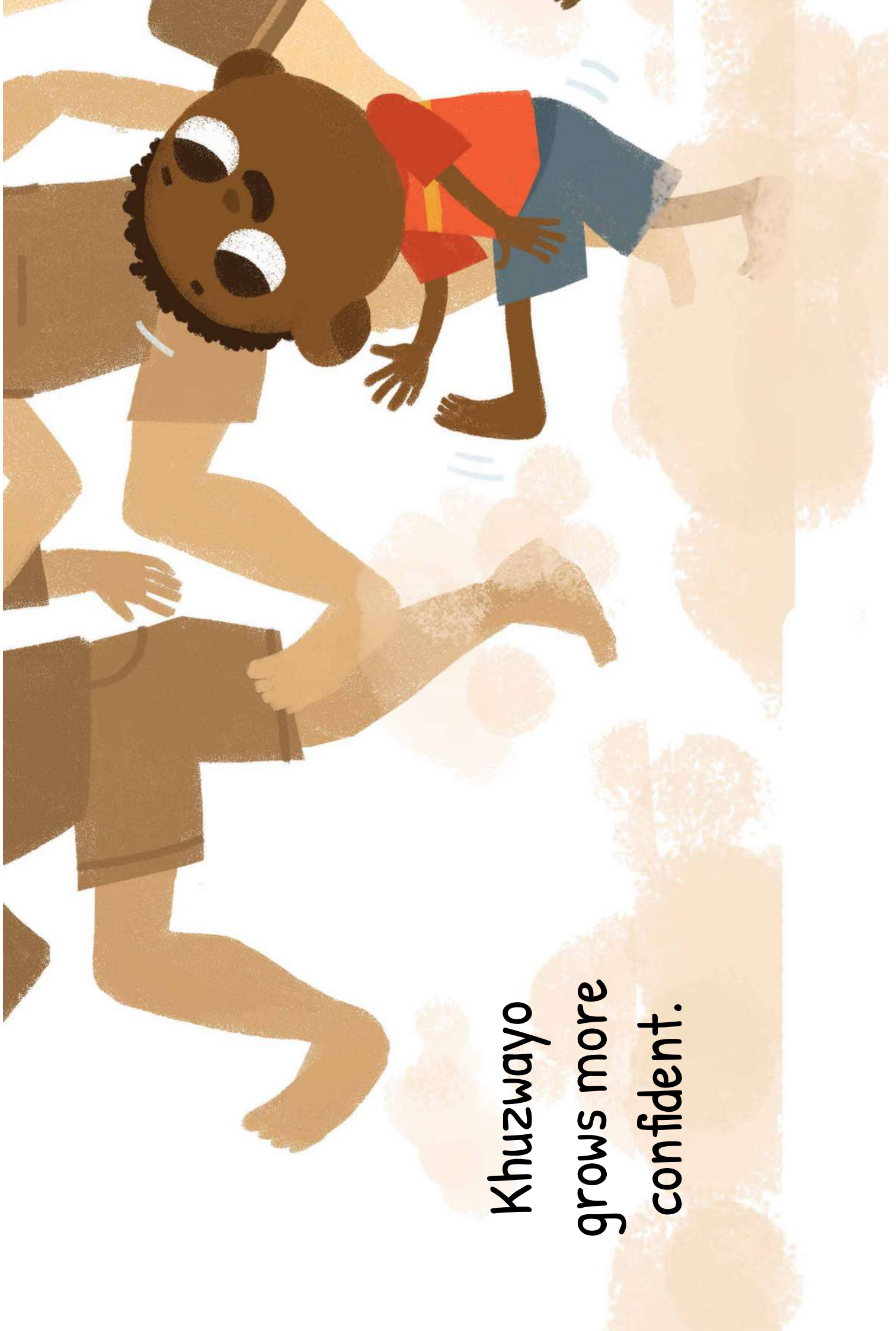
Let's all practise together!"

"Khuzwayo, you're so good. You

ready to dance with the older da



Khuzwayo  
grows more  
confident.



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yo leads his  
to the arena  
a special outfit.  
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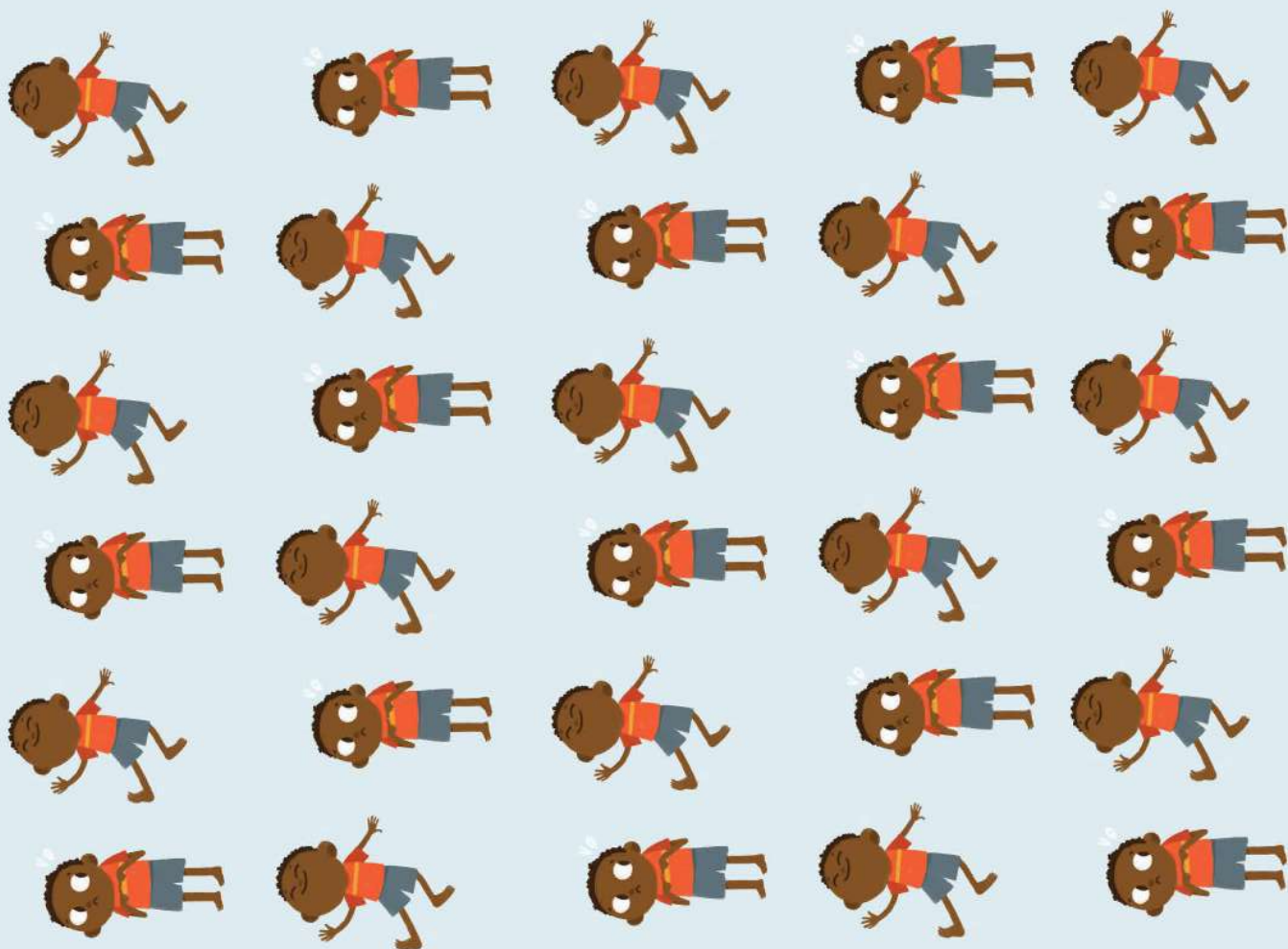
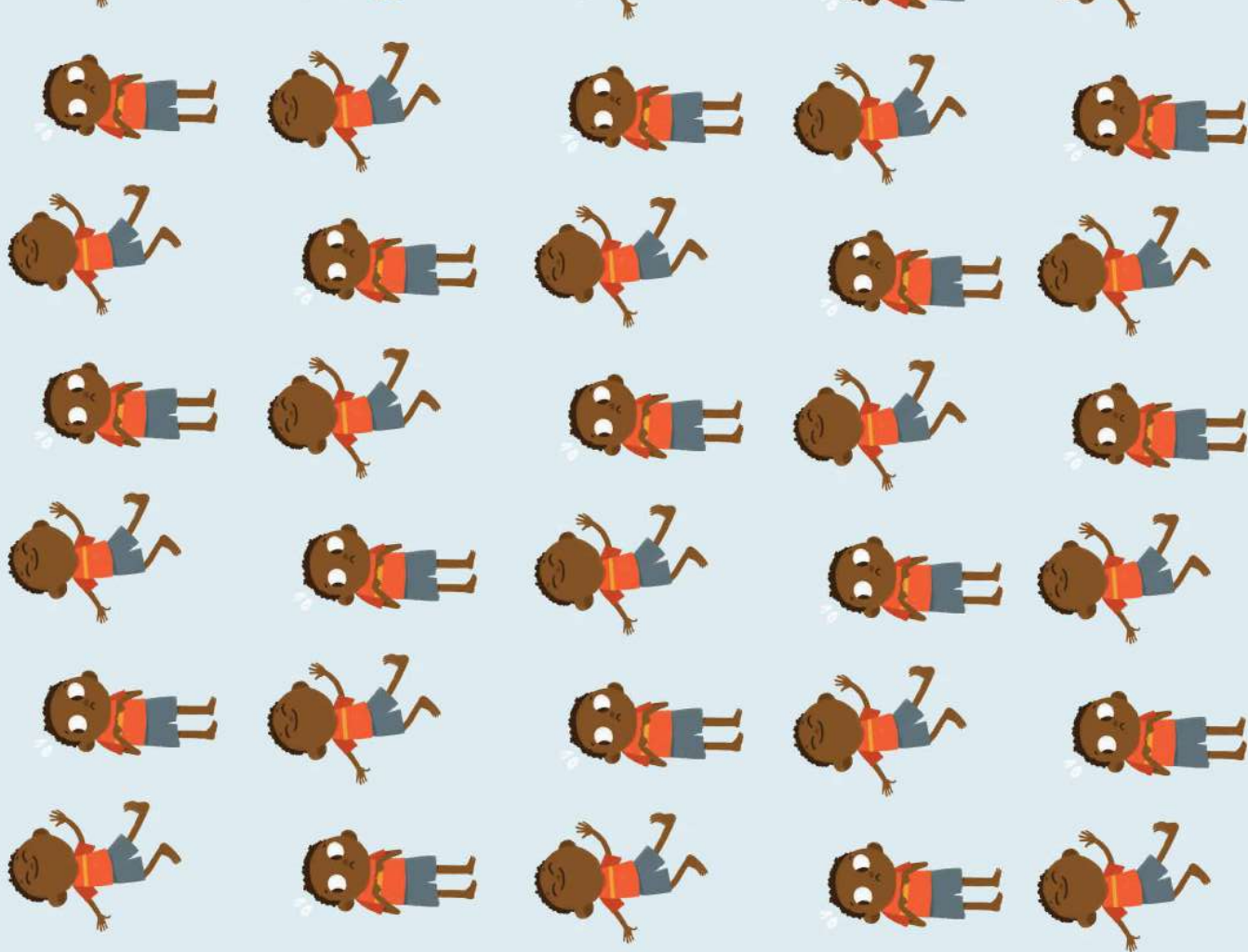
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one loves

wayo's dance!







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