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Class 4 Universe
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Boom! Cate, Joy, Jacob, Matthew and Shauna materialised on a dragon's back. The dragon flew down to a beautiful city filled with dragons of all colours, shapes and sizes.

Cate nearly screamed. Jacob clamped a hand over her mouth and hissed, "Do you want to get us into trouble? Everyone knows dragons love to eat humans! This dragon may roast us with its fire or freeze us with its ice and eat us! That may be the end of us and we may never see the light of day ever again!"

The dragon heard all this. She raised her head and glared at the children for a few long moments before finally roaring at them, "That's true. I may eat you but what are you doing on my back? I will take you to Shockbolt and Queen Iceberg. They will deal with children like you." All the children shivered in fear as thoughts raced through their heads. What if Queen Iceberg and Shockbolt were cruel? What if the Queen ordered them to be burned at the stake? What if the Queen ordered them to be slaves for life? The children were nervous and thought of the many dreadful things that could happen to them.

"What if Shockbolt and the Queen are bad?" Cate whispered. The rest gulped, clung on for their lives and started praying.

After what seemed like an eternity, they finally arrived at the palace. Shockbolt was at the castle gates. When she saw them, her mouth dropped wide open at the sight of the children. "What are these intruders doing here?" she demanded. "Frostbite, you should have known that anyone who is not a dragon will face one of these three things - being eaten alive, burned at the stake or locked up in the castle dungeons for life. This is for our protection so that no one will be able to escape and tell the others about this world! How many times do I have to tell you that?" Shockbolt snapped.

When the children heard this, their faces turned as white as a sheet. At the same time, they could not believe their eyes or ears. Right in front of them, there were dragons in the flesh - living and breathing! Not only that, but they were also talking dragons and they were currently talking about their fate! The children were dumbfounded and could only observe the conversation unfolding in front of them.



"But Shockbolt, they seemed trustworthy to me. They appeared out of nowhere and seemed just as taken aback at finding themselves here. They did me no harm as I brought them here. It is safe for once perhaps? Never judge a book by its cover," Frostbite retorted.

So maybe Frostbite is good? Maybe Queen Iceberg is good too? At least I hope so, thought Jacob.

"Even though they are children, they might still be dangerous!" Shockbolt barked.

"Can I at least let them in for the Queen to decide what is going to happen to them?" asked Frostbite.

"Fine, fine, but if you see any suspicious activity, they are going to share the same fate as the humans who came before them!" Shockbolt hissed menacingly.

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Shockbolt took out a keychain shaped like a dragon blasting ice and chose the correct key. She fitted it in and the gate swung open with a loud creak. They entered the palace grounds. Inside, there was a wall with a round ice blue mirror decorated with icebergs on the wall.

Frostbite turned to that wall and lightly rapped her talons on the mirror. "Queen Iceberg, are you there?"

The mirror started to spin and a dragon emerged.

Hmm... looks like some newcomers. I sense something different about them. They... they might be the heroes that were prophesied to come and make peace between the blood dragons and us," she hissed.

"What do you mean heroes? I thought they were just some insignificant children," Shockbolt said spitefully.

"Not really. The legend foretold that a band of five children would come and save us. Have you ever heard of the Legend of Dragon Island?" Queen Iceberg looked at her audience. Everyone was shaking their heads.



"It all started when only dragons existed. Then, one day, there was a humongous explosion which created other realms. After learning about our island, other animals and people started to infiltrate our land. So, we built defense mechanisms. We evolved and had deadly weapons of our own but in response, they also built weapons of their own. That was when they were brave enough to venture into our world and start attacking us. They blamed the attacks on the blood dragons. Then, the humans killed a few of the blood dragons and blamed it on the ice dragons. That is when the war started and we have been fighting ever since with no end in sight - all because humans were greedy and wanted our world for themselves. However, the legend also says that a group of children will come, displaying moral values that will stop the war between the blood and ice dragons once and for all!" Queen Iceberg explained to them.

"Wow. I had no idea that not all humans are bad unlike the ones that started the war in the first place," Frostbite exclaimed. "Queen Iceberg, do we let all the children that we have since captured go?" asked Frostbite.

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Queen Iceberg replied, "No way, they may tell others about us. The humans seem to have forgotten about us. By revealing our existence, they may attack us and kill us all! We will test this group to see if they are indeed the chosen ones to stop the war between the ice and blood dragons."

What are they going to do with us now? wondered Joy. Are they going to ask how we got here because none of us also knows? Will the dragons force us to work for them and help them carry out evil plots? We must stop them if the dragons want to use us for any piece of mischief that they want to carry out.

"What are we going to do with these children?" asked Frostbite.

"Hmm, they're children. Bring them to the nearest school to be tested," the Queen answered.

"The nearest school," Frostbite thought, "is Fairfield Methodist School (Primary). I will send them there!" declared Frostbite.

The children just stood there, flummoxed by the dragons' conversation.

A flight on a dragon's back later, Frostbite exclaimed, "Here we are! Fairfield Methodist School (Primary)."

"Wow!" the five students of 6K gasped as their jaws dropped as they looked at Fairfield.

"In this school, there are no humans, only dragons. We teach our young ones what it means to be a good person – that your character is more important than anything else. If you succeed here, it will show that you have a dragon's heart and confirm that you five are indeed here to help and not harm," shared Frostbite.

"The teachers and students are also dragons? So cool!"

"The only way for you to save us, to know how or why you got here and go back to where you belong is to show the five school values. Love and Reverence for God, integrity, serving and giving, resilience and lastly respect," Frostbite continued.

How would we show them?" muttered Shauna. "Is there a quiz or something?"

"Don't interrupt me when I am speaking! That is certainly disrespectful," warned Frostbite dangerously.

Just then, an ice blue dragon with aquamarine scales on its underbelly stormed towards them and thundered, "Who are these people, Frostbite? If they are not dragons, shouldn't they be at the palace waiting for the Queen to see them?"

"Lynx, you're always as cold as ice and as harsh as an ocean during a storm! Queen Iceberg has commanded that you and other teachers teach them how to show the core values we expect of our young ones! Now, you better start teaching them before I report to the Queen, who is also the principal, about your inappropriate behaviour and your rudeness to the Queen's general – me!" Frostbite declared.

"Fine, fine! Come with me kids. I'm going to split you five into five rooms. At the end of the day, you will have to show the value you learnt which means each of you will show one value. Do you understand?" Lynx explained.

"Okay, Matthew, you will learn about respect so you will proceed to the fifth room. Joy, you will learn about serving and giving and you will go ahead to the third room. Cate, you will learn about integrity. Proceed to the second room. Shauna, you will learn about resilience so proceed to the fourth room. Lastly, Jacob, you will learn about love and reverence for God so you will be in this room here," Lynx instructed.

"Okay, before I let you humans go, be sure to meet me at the Multi-Purpose Hall at 4:30 pm sharp! If you don't reach there in time, there will be dire consequences!" Lynx warned them.



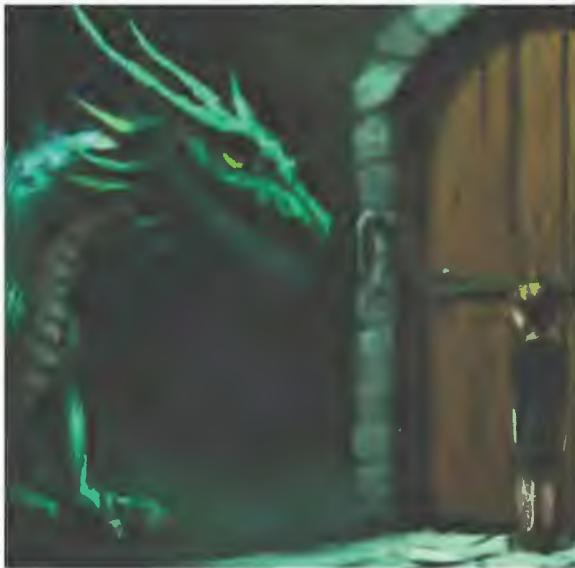
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The students then each proceeded to their allocated rooms. "Hi, my name is Isadora, your formal instructor for today," Isadora introduced herself as Matthew entered the room. Matthew greeted Isadora.

"Today, the value that we are focusing on is respect. I will teach you how you can obtain the artefact for respect. You cannot talk back or be defiant as that is very rude. For example, I am your English teacher. You lost your English homework. What will you say?" Isadora demanded.

"My little brother stole my homework and then lost it! Do you really have to ask? He does that all the time!" Matthew blurted out defensively.

"See what I mean? You cannot hold your tongue. You have a long way to go if you want to get back to your world," Isadora warned. So, the two spent the rest of the day practising how to behave in a respectful manner and what it meant to be respectful. By the end of the day, Matthew was very well-mannered. Isadora finally uttered a sigh of relief, "You are dismissed!"



Matthew was loitering around Shauna's room when a cleaner came by. "Thank you for mopping the floor, sir. The area would be very dirty without you," Matthew said heartily. Suddenly, out of nowhere, a green dragon appeared beside Matthew. Matthew instinctively jumped away but when the dragon said, "Good job", Matthew inched closer, slowly but surely. As soon as Matthew was within reach, the dragon reached out a hand that held a shiny, glittery green stone.

Matthew widened his eyes in disbelief. Was he seeing what he was seeing? He took the artefact and clutched it tightly. He thanked the dragon profusely and just as it had appeared, the green dragon disappeared. Soon, Shauna, Joy and Cate joined him, each clutching in their hands a different coloured stone.

While the others were outside, Jacob was learning about love and reverence for God. An instructor sat at the other end of the room with a table separating them. "Please sit down. You must be Jacob. You may call me Instructor Kaeleb." Instructor Kaeleb gestured to the seat across the table. Jacob quickly sat down on the wooden chair.

"You must display the core value 'love and reverence for God,'" Instructor Kaeleb explained, "You must respect God. Even if there is a great temptation to do something that is wrong, you must resist it."

Without warning, Instructor Kaeleb began firing scenario after scenario at Jacob, pressing him to make decisions. Some were easy enough but many took great effort and soon he was weary and all he wanted to do was leave. Suddenly, all the furniture in the room were replaced with a dragon that was covered head to toe with crimson red blood-stained scales. "To pass and attain freedom, you must swear in your God's name," the dragon snarled.

"No!" Jacob told him, his voice quivering, "I do wish to exit but I am not to say my God's name in vain."

"You have done surprisingly well," praised the crimson-red dragon producing a crimson-red stone from his clenched fist. "Here is the artefact. You may exit."



Jacob sighed with relief as he opened the door to find his friends waiting for him. "I just got my artefact," Jacob told them.

Suddenly, Frostbite appeared behind them. "Well, well, it seems it is as Queen Iceberg had guessed. It seems you five might be the chosen ones that we have been waiting for. Thus, in three days, you will speak with the Queen of the Blood Dragons, Queen Ruby. Under her reign, the Blood Kingdom just became... gorier. The boys will speak to Queen Iceberg and the girls..."

"... will speak to Queen Ruby. Got it!" Joy piped in, thinking she was being helpful. Frostbite stared at her. Joy turned red and apologised sheepishly.

"May I continue?" Frostbite growled softly. All five children nodded their heads. "After you stop the war, you will still need to find the capsule that will take you home. A complication is that to do so, you will have to find the correct one."

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A day before the meeting, the children were nervous as they had not met the Blood Queen before. According to Frostbite's description, she was a mean, bloodthirsty queen who did not care about anyone or anything other than her kingdom and her subjects. And they were about to talk to her. Who could have imagined that they would be talking to dragons - a vicious one and another that might reject the proposal, about stopping a war. On top of that, if and only if they were successful, they would then have to find the correct capsule to get back to their world.

They drifted into an uneasy sleep that night.

It was THE day. They opened their eyes to see Frostbite above them. "Time to wake up. It is time for you know what, he reminded. They got up and went to the hall. There, the girls and boys were separated.

"Good luck!" Shauna whispered as they went into the rooms.

The Queen of the Blood Dragons was huge. Coils of smoke from her nostrils enveloped her snout and her eyes were red. "What do you want?" she growled.

"W-w-w-we would like to talk with you," Joy stammered.



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"A talk!" the Queen barked, coupled with a ragged laugh. "That's why that wretched Iceberg invited me here? I thought it was for serious matters. So, what is this talk about?"

"It's about-um, making peace with the ice dragons," Shauna informed her.

"WHAT?" Queen Ruby roared. "I would never make peace with them! They're just a dull tribe with no brains! They started this war and it has led to thousands of dragons being killed on both sides. Now, as we are at a stalemate, they suddenly want to end it? Nev..."

"It was not the Ice Dragons!" Cate interjected.

"If you truly care about your subjects, you will listen to us. Please listen to us and meet with Queen Iceberg," Shauna pleaded.

Meanwhile, in the other room...

"Queen Iceberg, you organised this in the first place so you need to pull yourself together and do it! You need to stop worrying and get on with this!" Matthew said firmly.

Queen Iceberg took a deep breath and said, "Okay. I'm ready."

The talks lasted all night. The two queens talked and talked until they had reached an agreement. The children breathed sighs of relief. The most difficult part was over. Now, all they had to do was find the correct capsule. As they combed through capsule after capsule, their hope started to diminish.

Ninety minutes later, they finally found it. They waved goodbye to the dragons and opened the time capsule.

"Good luck, children," Queen Iceberg said, "Hope you find your way home."

Blinding light enveloped and then... nothing. They rematerialised in the past of the dragons ...

"Uh, guys? This is not Fairfield. This is not even our world! Did we choose the correct capsule? We're the only people here. They turned and noticed that they were standing alone in a graveyard filled with bones. The eerie sound of the wind howling over the sand echoed around them. Then, there was roaring in the distance. It sounded like two dragons arguing.



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"That is not true!" a voice shouted.

"Since you are so unreasonable, we will have no choice but to go to war against you!" another shouted. Horns were blown and the two dragons flew away.

An hour later, red and white covered the sky. The war had begun.

The children watched in horror as the scene began to unfold. A blood dragon raked her claws into an ice dragon's shoulder. She, in return, blasted ice at the crimson red dragon. The ice caught the tip of the blood dragon's wing and she fell to the ground. The ice dragon blasted ice down the blood dragon's throat and she collapsed on the pointy, sharp rocks beneath her. Another blood dragon attacked from behind, smashing his spiked tail on her head. She spun around and blasted ice on one of the dragon's talons. He quickly flew back to his partners and started smashing other ice dragons aside as he barrelled through the crowd of fighting dragons.

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Another blood dragon charged towards the ice dragons' forces, smashing dragons aside and slamming two ice dragons into a nearby cliff. They dropped down to the ground, as limp as paper dolls cut out from a book.

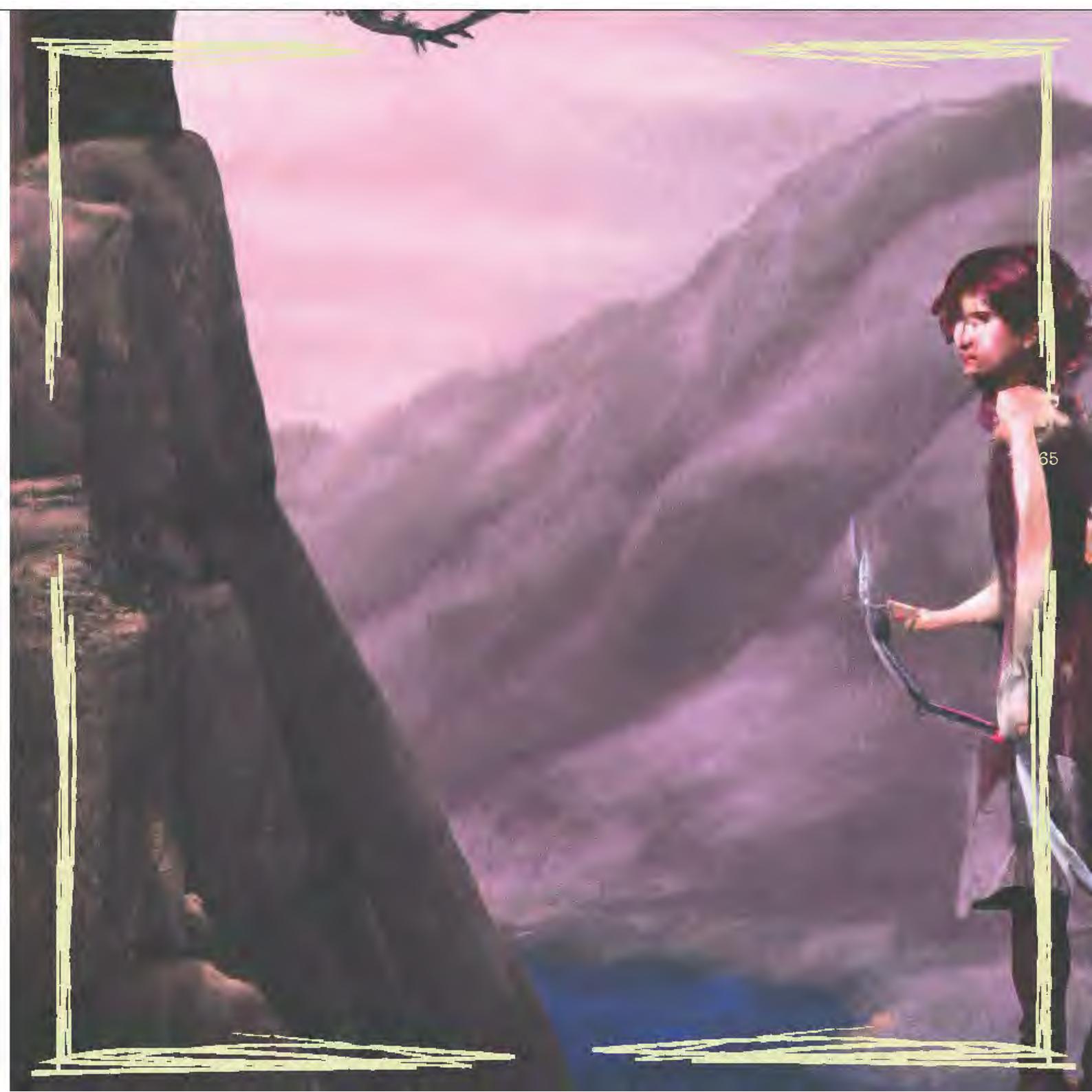
"Brother! Father!" an ice dragon shrieked. She threw herself aloft and left a long bloody scratch on the blood dragon's wings, tearing them in the process, causing him to crash into a cliff with brutal force. He then fell onto the rocks with his mouth open in an eternal scream.

Red blood seeped out from his head. This, together with the blood of the dead ice dragons created ghastly violet puddles which dripped into every nook and cranny.

The children thought they saw a flash of something black and red, but a moment later it had disappeared, so they assumed that it was just their imagination.

The Queen of the Blood Dragons slammed five ice dragons into the cliff at once. They all dropped down one by one, into the canyon of fire, reduced to ashes in a split second. She shouted orders at her subjects. Soon, a wall of teeth and talons surrounded the ice dragons. The ice dragons looked at them in terror and anger.

The Queen looked down on them and roared, "You should have never started this war! Never! We are stronger than you! Give up now!"



Just then, the Queen of the Blood Dragons started clawing the air. With a roar, she fell with a thud. The whole battlefield was silent for a moment.

A girl with short hair stepped out, holding a blood-stained knife.

With a move faster than lightning, she also stabbed the Queen of the Ice Dragons in the back, turning the red-stained knife blue. She had driven it in with such force that even the handle had sunk in as it protruded out from the region of her chest. She started clawing the air relentlessly. With a roar, she too collapsed with a thud.

"This was to be the future but you five have ruined it! I did not set this in motion years ago only to have it been ruined by you," she hissed.

The children realised that it was not the past that they were witnessing but the future or rather a future... a future that would no longer come to pass due to their efforts. Shauna stepped forward and asked, "Who are you? We will not let you destroy the peace that the dragons deserve. We should let them have their world as we humans have ours."

"Doesn't matter. I only need to do one thing, to finish all of you!" she replied. Everyone cowered into a tight circle as the girl closed in on them. There was no escape from their fate. They knew what they had achieved was worth this sacrifice and gripped the stones in their hands, ready to pay the price.

Then, there was a flash of light and it seemed like the time capsule had been rebooted!



They shimmered. Particles zoomed all over the place as the capsule wobbled and shook, bright lights flashing. The time capsule rolled out of Matthew's pocket. The five stones zoomed from their clutches and fit onto the capsule. They were then enveloped in a bright light.

"You won't escape! I will find you all and kill you! I will stop you kids from wriggling out of my grasp!" She swung her sword at the light but her sword cut empty air. The girl shrieked in fury and that was all they heard as they seemed to hurtle back in time and space...

After a few tense moments, they rematerialised back in their classroom, better individuals than they had left. They now knew that not being apathetic, disinterested, indifferent and self-centred, the things they had previously been taught and rejected, was important.

Suddenly, a robotic voice said, "Con-gra-tu-la-tions. You-have-passed-with-flying-co-lours.

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Crash!

"Huh? Where am I?" Jack asked.

"Oh my! What are you?!" Tom replied, when had he set eyes on Jack. They had landed in the World of Plants.

"Are we seeds?!" Jack shouted, flabbergasted. They looked at one another, struck dumb by what they saw. Their physical body had been changed into the shape of a seed! Did this mean they were no longer human but a plant seed? Both realised that they were on a planet of plants with no way out.

"This brought us here. It must be able to bring us back!" Tom deduced as he picked up the heavy metallic object, the school's time capsule which turned out to be a time machine. However, the time machine had a cool down sequence on it. "What?! Four weeks? How am I going to survive that long here?!" Tom whispered in shock.

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"Are you guys new residents here?" a plant walking by asked.

"No. A time machine brought us here," Jack replied.

"Time machine? What is that?" the plant asked in confusion. Jack and Tom stared at the plant speechlessly. "Anyway, you are supposed to be in school now," the plant told them. They did not know where the school was and wandered around until they saw a huge sign that stated, "SCHOOL".

Upon entering the school, they noticed different exotic plant species in different classrooms. "Hey! Return to your classroom at once!" a sunflower shouted.

"Where is our classroom?" Tom and Jack asked.

"Hey, aren't you the new residents?" the sunflower asked.

"Yeah," Jack replied. The sunflower then led them to their class.

"This is the class for new plants. Please take a seat," the sunflower said. Tom and Jack sat next to each other as they did not know the other plants. "The teacher is coming!" a student announced.



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As the teacher came in, they realised it was the sun! "What? How is this possible?" Tom and Jack thought to themselves at the exact same time. They realised that the plant world could defy the laws of the human world. The sun was the English Language teacher. "Yes! It is English! I cannot wait!" a student, a poppy seed, exclaimed with joy.



Both Tom and Jack felt sudden bursts of energy while they were near the teacher. It did not take long for them to realise that the sun provided warmth for them to germinate. They learnt how to keep their minds fit and how to germinate faster. "Finally, school is over! I did not know plants had to study!" Jack exclaimed.

Wheeee! Whoooooo! Wheeee! Whooooo!

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Both suddenly heard an ambulance passing by them. Tom and Jack did not think much of it though. They headed over to a nearby hotel for the night. "That would be three hundred plant dollars," the receptionist said.

"What? We do not have that kind of money right now!" Tom shouted at Jack. Since they did not have any plant dollars, they had to sleep outside for the night.

Plak!

A newspaper landed squarely on Jack's face. "Huh? What is this?" he asked. "A kidnapper?" Jack asked in confusion.

"What kidnapper?" Tom asked. "Remember that ambulance that passed by yesterday? That was the kidnapper's victim!" Jack shouted, waving the newspaper in Tom's face. Both walked to school warily so as to not get kidnapped like the poor victim. Suddenly, they saw a shady-looking avocado in a dark and narrow alleyway. They immediately quickened their pace and continued on their way to school.

Ring! The school bell rang and everyone went to their classrooms. This time, a water droplet went into Tom and Jack's classroom. They knew instantly that seeds needed water to germinate as well. They realised that the water droplet was their science teacher. The teacher nurtured them and taught them many useful things, one of them being that water is key to germination. "I am feeling so tired right now!" Tom exclaimed. It was just as the teachers had said - Learning is difficult but nothing good ever comes easy.



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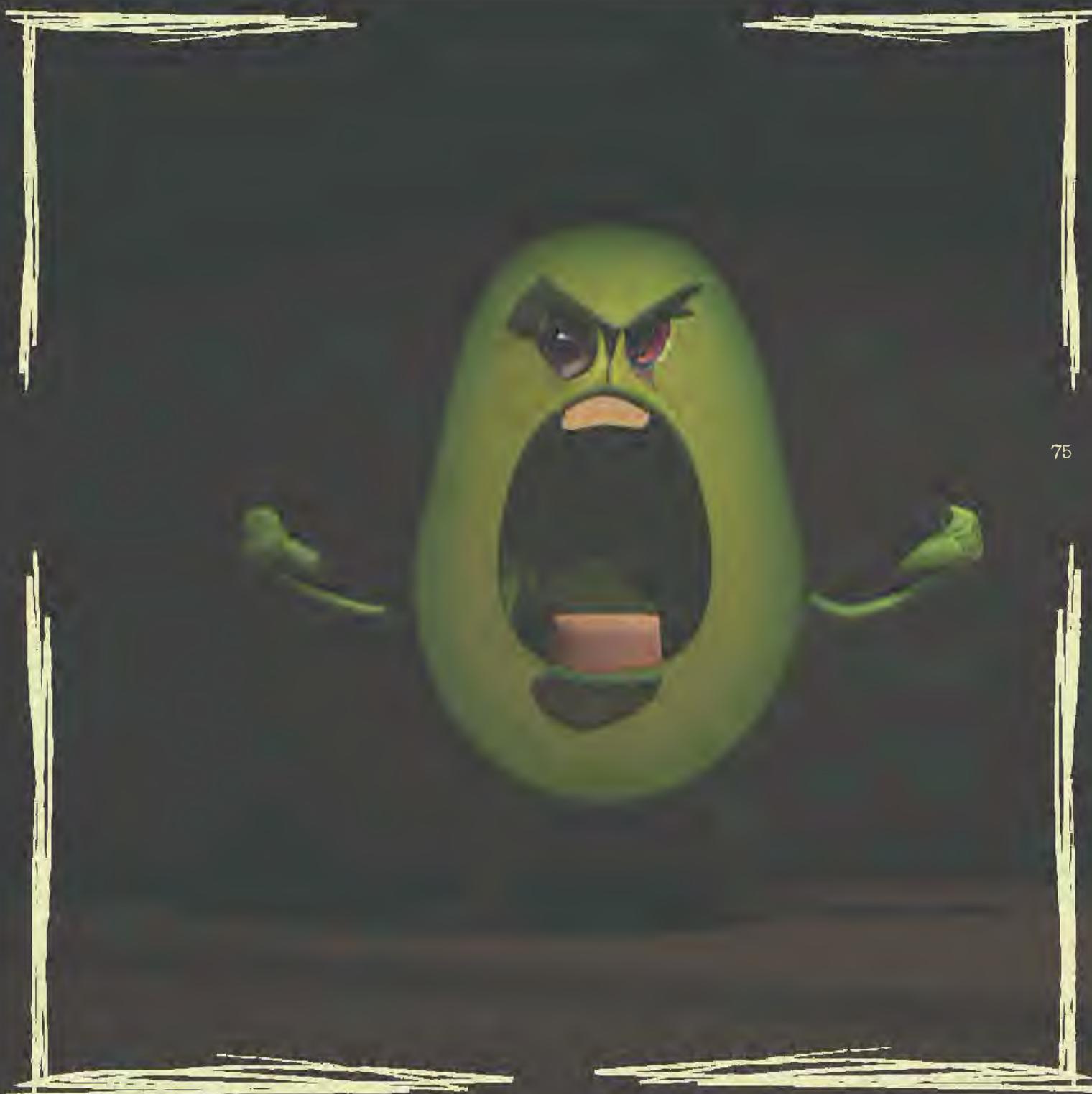
Finally, plant school ended and all the seeds headed home, exhausted. Ah! Help! "Hmm... That sounds familiar," Jack said. HELP! Both turned around and saw the kidnapper kidnapping the sunflower they had met earlier! "It is the avocado!" Jack screamed in fear. Tom and Jack were petrified. They were in a cold sweat as they did not know what to do.

As desperation overwhelmed them, they immediately charged to attack like headless chickens and got knocked sharply on the head. They lost consciousness immediately.

"Where are we?" Jack asked, exhausted. They realised they were in an empty black room. "How are we suppose to escape now?!" Tom asked in desperation.

"You are not supposed to escape! Hahahahaha!" the evil avocado laughed hysterically.

"He is a crazy fruit! Or is he a vegetable? I am pretty sure he is a fruit cos he has a seed!" Jack mumbled to himself. Slowly, both Tom and Jack stopped germinating as they did not have water or warmth. They soon lost hope of escaping until the plant police force smashed into the building. They immediately pinned the avocado to the ground. The police demanded that the avocado tell them where the kidnapped victims were. He had no choice but to do as he was told. He pressed a button on the wall and a secret chamber opened. The police rushed in and found a number of students and one teacher. The victims were escorted out of the building immediately by the police force and the avocado was arrested.



"What is that on your head?" a seed asked Jack.

"Oh, this is a scar I got from another planet called Earth," Jack replied.

"Wait. Are you Jack?" the seed asked. Jack was shocked by the seed's statement.

"How did you know?" Jack asked.

"I am Rai. We came through together through the time capsule, remember? I found myself here, alone, when I awoke," the seed asked.

Jack, Tom and Rai decided to check if they could go back to their world. To their relief, the cool down period for the time capsule was up and they could try to get home. So, they said their goodbyes, cherished the lessons learnt and hit the button...

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"It's great to be back! I am never ever using that time capsule again although we realise what Mrs Sim was trying to communicate to us earlier!" the three boys exclaimed. The boys realised that they are like seeds and the teachers are like the sun and water. The teachers give them the essential things they need for them to germinate, thrive and survive and thus, they should be more open to and thankful for receiving these gifts.



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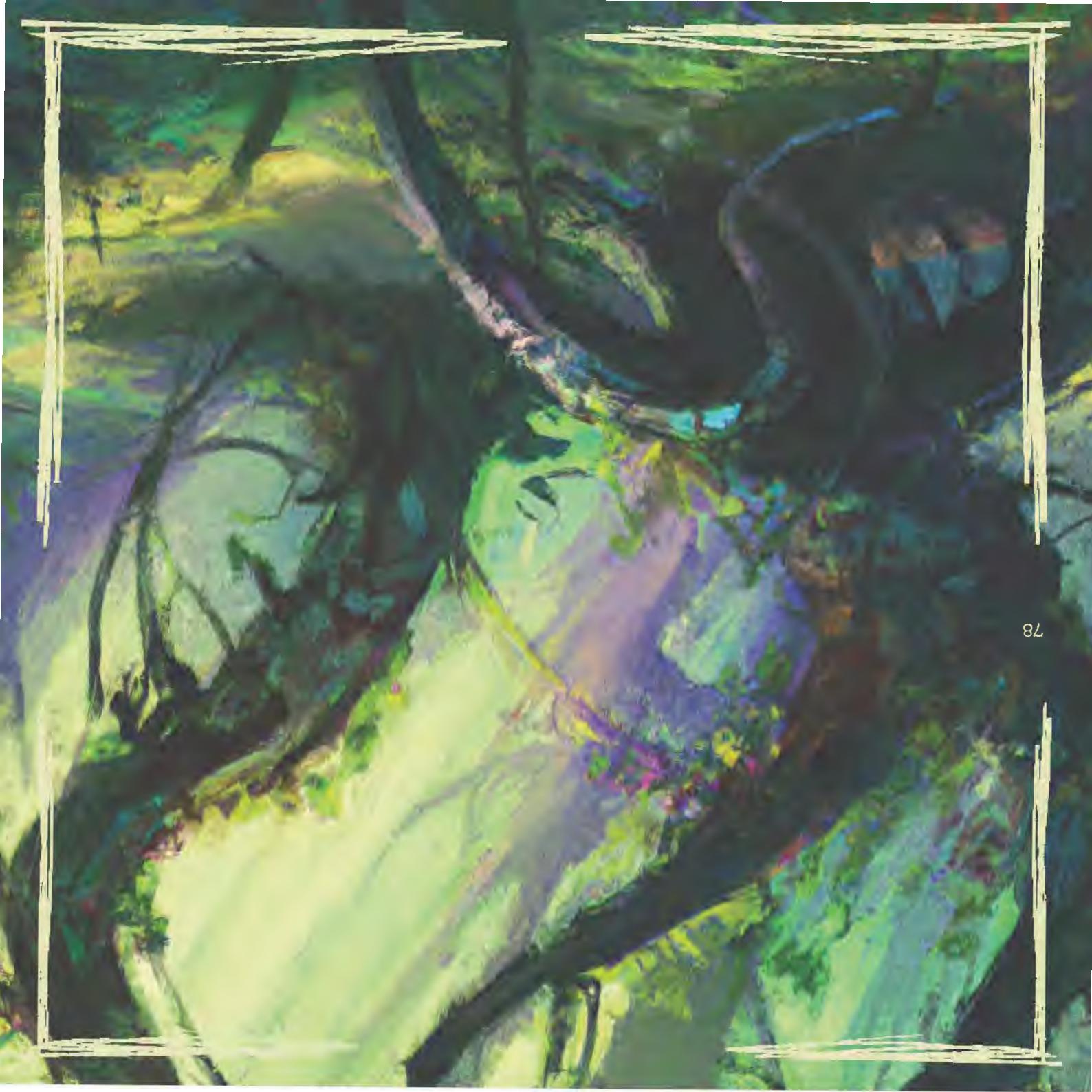
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"Where is this place?" gasped the students as they looked around in bewilderment. Everything was dull-coloured and their surroundings was silent. They were all in awe of the size and majesty of the oak trees. The trees' knotted arms rose upwards, as far as the students' heads could lift. Coils of vaporous mist enwrapped the shaggy heads of the oak trees. They writhed around them like a conjuror's milky smoke, sensuous and illusory. The morning stars peeped down at the students like silver asters, glinting and shimmering. The simpering wind carried a fragrance with it.

"This place must be... Supernova!" Hazel exclaimed in disbelief. The unfamiliar sight of Supernova left many students baffled. Hazel squealed in excitement that Supernova was exactly how one of her books had described. Her eyes lit up as she illuminated everyone on the wonders of Supernova. Everybody was amazed. No one had expected Hazel to be as talkative as a magpie. Hazel further commented that in this world, there was only one human and he was a scientist named Dr Drake.

Just then, Mrs Sim came up to Hazel and patted her on the back. "Wow! Hazel, this is the first time you've chatted like there is no tomorrow. That is lovely!" Hazel blushed and quickly returned to her quiet, reserved self. Soon, everyone settled down in the new world that they found themselves in.

"I have decided that we shall camp here till we figure out how to get back!" Mrs Sim said excitedly. The students looked around nervously but they were excited as they thought it would be as fun as their P5 Camp. At that moment, a loud growl could be heard. It was Ryan's stomach!

"Can we find something to eat? I am as hungry as a bear!" a quivering voice said. The students then busied themselves by gathering dry sticks for the campfire and finding edible items to cook. As the fire was about to get started, Mrs Sim saw from afar that a gigantic tree branch was about to land on the students. She was so far away from her students, so what could she do? Ear-piercing screams were heard, followed by dead silence. When the students opened their eyes, they saw... the tree flying? A beam of light shone like diamonds from Mrs Sim's eyes, and with that, she was controlling the tree with her eyes! Everyone was in disbelief!





Mrs Sim was in shock after realising that she had superpowers. "I have telekinesis! No way!" she chortled. She was over the moon! Soon, the students were charging towards Mrs Sim and bombarding her with questions. Where did you get it from? Can I have telekinesis? Can I have other superpowers?"

Mrs Sim stayed as calm as the sea. "If you all feel your inner power from deep within, you will be able to use that power easily," she advised. Hazel tried and suddenly she asked her friend, Ryan, "Why would you want to eat burgers now?" Ryan was flabbergasted.

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"How do you know what I am thinking? Can you read my mind?" Ryan asked in astonishment. Suddenly, fire and water came out of Ryan's hands. "I have the power of fire and water manipulation! Yay!" Ryan squealed in excitement. Soon, all the students from 6K had discovered their own superpowers and started testing them out, except one student, Mike. No matter how hard he tried, he still couldn't do anything.

Hazel was bored using her superpower. She felt that her superpower was no important. Therefore, she asked Mrs Sim for permission to explore as she was very curious about the place and yearned to find Dr Drake. "Yes, you may, but do not wander off too far! Furthermore, let me appoint you a buddy, maybe Ryan?"

Before Mrs Sim could say another word, Ryan promptly agreed as he loved going on adventures. Just when they were about to set off, Hazel saw Mike sitting in a corner with a gloomy expression on his face. She asked Mrs Sim, "Can Mike come with us?" Mrs Sim nodded her head in agreement. Hazel pulled Mike up from the floor and said with a smile on her face, "Time to go exploring!" Then, the trio started to explore this new world they found themselves in. As they wandered further away from the campsite, they saw food on a table under a fiery, orange-coloured tree straight ahead. As Ryan was famished, he ran to the food without a second thought.



"Wait!" cried Hazel. "We don't know where that came from or if it's safe to eat!" Mike tried to warn Ryan too but their cries were ignored.

Suddenly, the most unimaginable sight greeted them. Within seconds, a glass cage dropped from the tree and trapped Ryan! Just then, Hazel heard a chuckle in the deep shadows among the many trees. "Well, well, well... looks like your dear friend fell into my trap!" Hazel tried running away to inform the others but she found herself trapped in a transparent bubble! Mike was also trapped in a cube that looked like it was made of lasers! Hazel looked behind her and she nearly fainted in surprise at the sight of someone looking at them intently. Ryan tried to use his fire and water manipulation powers to get out of the cage but it was to no avail. Hazel thought, why is Dr Drake different from the story I have read? In the book, he was a kind doctor that invented robots to help the people living in Supernova.

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Back at the camp, the remaining few students were playing songs and games with each other. Mrs Sim was worried so she asked the whole class, "Have any of you seen Ryan, Hazel and Mike? They have been gone for an exceedingly long time. I wonder if they got lost." Suddenly, all of them at the campsite heard a cackle from deep in the shadows. Soon after, an army of robots surrounded them.

"Listen up, people. I've seen what you can do. If you want, we can make a trade. Give me all your superpowers and I will return Ryan, Hazel and Mike. Follow me to my lab if you don't want to get injured. This is valid only at this very minute. Would you rather have your powers or your friends?"

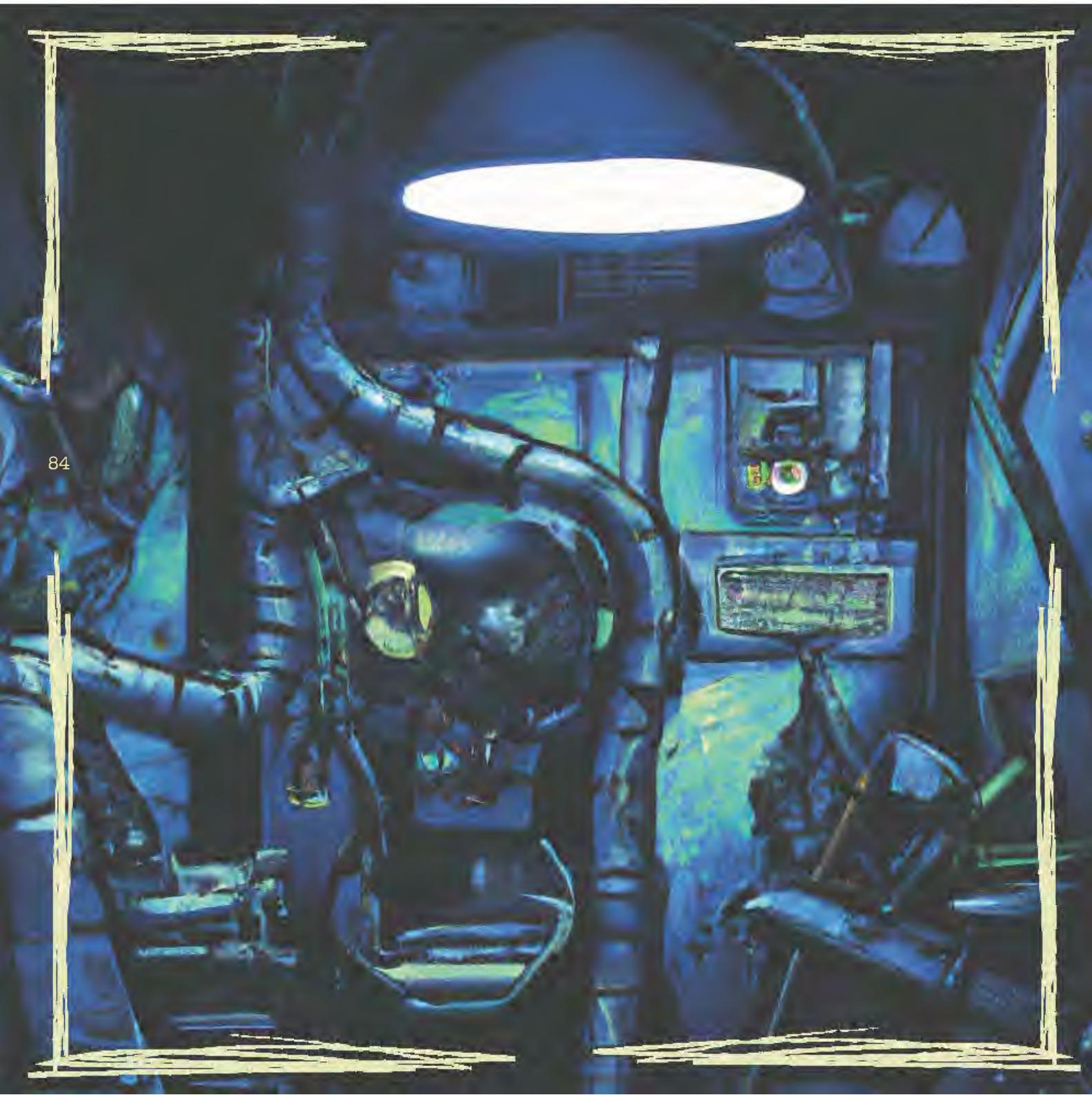
In the blink of an eye, Dr Drake appeared beside the robots holding Ryan, Hazel and Mike by the back of their PE T-shirts. Hysterical screams pierced the atmosphere. Many students tried escaping but the robots were forcing them to follow Dr Drake. Mrs Sim could not help but think repeatedly about the endangerment of Ryan, Hazel and Mike. How dare Dr Drake do this to my students! Her shock slowly but surely turned into anger and frustration. Unknowingly, she used her telekinesis, lifted a school bag with her mind and tossed it towards Dr Drake's face! Dr Drake let go of Ryan, Hazel and Mike and they ran towards Mrs Sim. The other students, on the other hand, burst helplessly into fits of laughter at the sight of Dr Drake being hit by a school bag. Dr Drake hit the roof and hollered, "That's it! Robots, toss them into my lair!" The robots circled and forced them to the lair.



Upon reaching the lair, Dr Drake selected some people to be his guinea pigs and test out his machine in his lab to suck out superpowers. He selected Mrs Sim, Hazel and Mike and guided them to the laboratory while the rest were kept in a prison cell under the robots' supervision. In the cell, Ryan looked around and saw misery written everywhere on everyone. A of doom hung over their heads. On the other hand, Ryan was trying to think of a solution to the problem. He was certain that they could get out of the cell without getting hurt. Ryan used his fire and water manipulation to force the cell open. He failed. The others saw him trying to break free of the cell so they said to Ryan, "Why not just give up? Our future is bleak. We cannot do anything about it."

Ryan explained to them with a frown, "What is one of our core values in Fairfield? Resilience! Remember? We never give up even in times of difficulties. If we work together, nothing is impossible. We can fight Dr Drake to save Mrs Sim and the others if we all display the five core values of Fairfield!" Everyone agreed with Ryan and nodded their heads in unison.

Meanwhile, Dr Drake led Mrs Sim and the three selected students into his laboratory. "This is where the sucking machine is. I call it Cookie Monster!" Once they heard the name, all of them laughed loudly. "Silence! I named it this way for a reason," Dr Drake roared in anger. As if a spell had been cast on them, a hush fell over Dr Drake's laboratory. "Cookie Monster will suck out your superpowers. However, I have not tested it yet. As you are my first guinea pigs, if you die, that is not my problem. Of course, if you do not die, you will be my experiments for my humanoid robot project in that room," Dr Drake cackled evilly, pointing to an eerie door at a small corner of the room. "In an hour, I'll get all of you into that machine and hopefully, your powers will be mine!" Dr Drake went out of the room with a smirk on his face. As he left, he thought, finally, I have some people to test my machine on. It's just not fair. Even little kids like them get powers and I don't? Humph, it won't be like that for long.



With the exception of Mrs Sim, everyone left in the room was shuddering with fear. "Why are you scared? Instead of crying over spilt milk, shouldn't we be trying to think of a way to get out of here instead?" Mrs Sim said, her hands on her hips. Everyone looked at each other, coming to a silent agreement. They were going to break out of this laboratory, no matter what. Mrs Sim tried lifting things to smash the walls but that method did not work. Mike and Hazel stood in the centre of the laboratory, not knowing what to do. "Hazel, maybe you can help to connect all our minds with telepathy. That would make it easier for us to communicate," Mrs Sim suggested. Hazel nodded her head and started connecting their minds. She also connected the minds of the students locked in the cell so they would know what was going on. Mike saw all this and looked down at his feet, thinking aloud, "If only I could help too."



As Mike said those words, something started to shine in his hands. The powers of Mrs Sim and Hazel started flowing towards him. They merged into a bright sphere in his hands. In the mystifying sphere, Mike could feel various kinds of power not resisting each other but forming a whole different kind of power. Hazel looked at the glowing sphere and exclaimed, "The power of teamwork! Mike, you have the rarest power in Supernova! The ability to form the power of teamwork! Everyone, channel your power into a small stream and direct it towards Mike!" Hazel also sent the message to the students locked in the cell through the connection she had made. Everyone in the laboratory followed Hazel's orders and the sphere in Mike's hands started to grow bigger and bigger. Mike pushed the sphere forward and it passed through the wall effortlessly, leaving behind a huge hole.

"We can finally escape!" everyone in the room cheered wildly. Through the hole, they saw the silhouette of Dr Drake. To their surprise, tears were streaming down his face.

"The power of teamwork. I never thought I would witness it again after so many years. Sorry for kidnapping you. I'll let you and your other classmates go right now. I will also ensure that your time capsule takes you back to where you belong," Dr Drake said emotionally. His eyes that were once clouded with darkness were now filled with happiness. Many years of being alone had frozen his heart and made him evil. Now, he had finally stepped back onto the right path, thanks to Mrs Sim, Mike, Hazel and Ryan.

Everyone was released and once reunited, they hugged each other in relief. "It's time for us to go back to school," Mrs Sim said, "Everyone, say goodbye to Dr Drake." Everyone waved at Dr Drake and Dr Drake waved back with a bright smile on his face as they stepped into the time capsule. Those who had been transported to Supernova, especially Mike, Hazel and Ryan, learnt that with resilience, you can do many things but with teamwork, you can do much, much more than one could ever have imagined. They thanked Mrs Sim for showing them the values that they had cultivated in Fairfield and how those values were relevant to their lives.



Universe 4E-8386

Universe Class 5

Commonly known as : SNOWY PETOPIA

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"Where are we?" Enzo asked.

"Wow! What just happened?" Faith exclaimed.

"Looks like we just landed in another universe!" Mrs Sim replied.

"Nice!" Jin Yi said while admiring the beautiful scenery.

"Look!" Enzo said, "There is a building in the distance!"

"Ooh yes! Should we go there?" Faith questioned.

"We should!" Enzo shouted and ran towards the building.

"I am scared! What if it is dangerous?" Faith muttered.

"We should be careful! Let's just go!" Jin Yi insisted while running after Enzo.

"All right!" Faith agreed reluctantly. "Should we knock on the gate?" Faith asked cautiously.

"Yeah boy!" Enzo said enthusiastically. He was bouncing up and down. Jin Yi started knocking on the door while Faith started backing away. Suddenly, a Pomeranian Dog appeared at the gate.

The Pomeranian Dog greeted, "Hello! Are you here for the Fairfield carnival?"

Faith replied, "No, we are not here for the carnival! Also, what island is this?"

"You're on the island of Snowy Petopia!" the hyperactive dog informed.

"Okay! Why are there so many animals on this island?" asked Faith, eyeing some animals roaming around a nearby grass patch."

"It's in the name of the island!" the dog shouted. "It's Petopia!"

"Okay? Wait! Where's Mrs Sim?" Faith asked worriedly.

"You want to look for her at the carnival?" the Pomeranian dog asked.

"Okay!" said Jin Yi.

"And my name is Daisy!" the dog shouted. Enzo, Faith, and Jin Yi walked over to the carnival to look for Mrs Sim.

At the carnival, Jin Yi exclaimed, "Wow, there are so many attractions here!" totally forgetting about finding Mrs Sim.

Enzo reminded, "Focus on finding Mrs Sim!" as they continued walking further into the Petopia carnival. Just then, Faith realised that the rest of the students of 6K were also missing!

"Um... guys? Did you notice that the rest of our classmates are missing?" Faith asked nervously.

"Oh no! Maybe they travelled to a world different from the one we are in?" Jin Yi said, panicking.

"What should we do?" Enzo asked.

"Let's just search for Mrs Sim first! She might know what is happening!" Faith said.

"Yeah, good idea!" Jin Yi agreed. They continued searching for Mrs Sim.

Night fell. "Where is Mrs Sim? She must have left the carnival when we were searching for her! Let's just look for her tomorrow but where are we going to sleep tonight?" Faith asked nervously.

"Well... it was technically Jin Yi's fault... He was the one who kept riding the rides!!" Enzo said quietly.

"No, I did not!" Jin Yi protested. A frown started to crease his forehead.

"It is no one's fault! Okay? We are only going to get out of here if we stick together and respect one another," Faith said impatiently. Everyone nodded. Suddenly, a maniacal laugh was heard in the distance. Everyone froze in fear.



"What was that?" Faith whispered.

"It's probably nothing!" Jin Yi said fearlessly.

"Let's just sleep on the ground tonight. We can find an actual place to sleep tomorrow!" Enzo said, exasperated.

"But I'm scared!" Faith said worriedly.

"Just grab some leaves and lie down on them!" Jin Yi said, ignoring her. They all slept peacefully until...

"Hi! Are you enjoying Petopia? I find this place remarkably interesting!" gushed Mrs Sim.

"MRS SIM! We have been searching everywhere for you!" groaned Enzo.

"You have been searching for me? Anyways, have you seen the Fairfield carnival? It is AMAZING! I rode the rides for many hours!" Mrs Sim shrieked happily with delight written all over her face. Mrs Sim radiated joy.

"Fairfield carnival?" Jin Yi asked.

"It's the name of our school!" Enzo exclaimed.

"It's up there! See?" Mrs Sim said, pointing to the sign on the building.

"We are in our school but in Petopia?!" Faith said, "It is possible as we might just be in another universe where Fairfield still exists. And now that we know that the multiverse exists, there could be an infinite number of multiverses." Everyone stared at her. There was dead silence as the group tried to digest what was just mentioned.

"Wait, if there is an infinite number of multiverses, HOW ARE WE GOING TO FIND EVERYONE?!" Enzo gasped.

"Oh no! And we do not know how to get to the other multiverses!" Jin Yi realised.

"Hey! Look! There is a portal and in it is..." Faith said.

Everyone shouted with tears in their eyes, “6K!!!”

Just as the three children and Mrs Sim jumped into the portal, the Pomeranian dog whom they had met earlier jumped in. “Daisy!” Jin Yi shouted.

“Daisy? Why are you here?” Faith shouted amidst the chaos.

“I just wanted to have a little fun exploring other multiverses!” Daisy replied cheekily.

“What?! But how do you know that we are going to another multiverse?” Faith asked curiously.

“I am a sneaky dog!” Daisy said with a twinkle in her eye.

“Okay...?” Faith said with a shiver.

“Um... Does anyone know where we are going?” Enzo asked nervously.

“Nope! No idea!” Jin Yi said cheerfully.

“Great!” Enzo muttered under his breath.

“Children! Not to worry! We are going to meet the other students of 6K! They must have explored their multiverses by now!” Mrs Sim said confidently.

“Okay, I guess?” Jin Yi said.

“Mrs Sim! Why is this taking so long?” Faith asked when she realised that nothing seemed to have changed.

“I don’t know!” Mrs Sim replied, equally puzzled.

“Is this because the time capsule is damaged? So, we cannot travel back to our universe or to other multiverses?” Jin Yi asked.



"That is very possible! But for now, just relax!" Mrs Sim said with a bright smile on her face.

"Um... okay..." Jin Yi said uncomfortably, amazed by Mrs Sim's optimism. Faith started biting her fingernails in fear and Enzo felt a wave of uneasiness wash over him.

"FINALLY!" Enzo yelled while shielding his eyes with his hands from the afternoon sun that was shining down on them.

"6K!!!" Faith yelled while hugging her friends from 6K. Tears poured from everyone's eyes.

"We are back!" Jin Yi shouted.

"Wow!" Daisy cooed while admiring the scenery.

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"Welcome back Enzo, Jin Yi and Faith!" Mrs Sim announced while walking towards them from the other side of the classroom.

Welcome back? the three children thought. "But Mrs Sim, you were with us in that universe. Why are you coming from there and not here?" Enzo uttered, pointing to where they had just appeared from.

"Ah! That was a copy of myself meant to guide you to demonstrate the values that you were lacking. The three of you were able to come back as you demonstrated resilience when you kept looking for me and sleeping on the ground without complaint. You were also respectful of one another and tried not to get on each others' nerves and if you did, you responded appropriately. Lastly, you were worried about your other classmates and were willing to find them at the expense of going home yourselves!" Mrs Sim explained.

"Wouldn't it be nighttime now?" Jin Yi questioned. "Also, how did the portal open?"

"It is possible that time is faster in Petopia?" Mrs Sim replied.

"Yes, it is!!" Daisy said.

"Wait! Is that dog talking to us?" some students of 6K asked each other.

"OF COURSE I AM!" Daisy yelled.

One of 6K's smartest students, Michael, told everyone, "Nearly everyone in the class teleported. Except me and Nathan, the new guy. We figured out there was a wormhole inside the time capsule!" Everyone was shocked. "For those who don't know what a wormhole is," Nathan said, "a wormhole is a hypothetical structure connecting separate points in spacetime and is based on a special solution of the Einstein field equations." Everyone gave a standing ovation upon hearing Nathan's wonderful speech.

"Is everyone here?" Faith asked, still concerned.

"Not yet... you are one of the last few to arrive. Most have gone back home the moment they arrived and Mrs Sim had a debrief with them. However, there are still eleven of our classmates who have not returned," Michael replied.

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Suddenly, a mysterious figure leapt in through the window and landed on the teacher's desk. Everyone screamed like banshees!

"Who are you?" Faith stuttered in shock.

"I'm Gary!" the mysterious figure in black shouted in a weird Australian accent. "And I'm here to take that!" he said, pointing to the time capsule.

Gary started dashing towards the time capsule at the back of the class. "No! You can't take the time capsule!" Mrs Sim shrieked, running after Gary. Everyone started blocking the time capsule from Gary while Mrs Sim grabbed the phone and called '999'.

"Hello. Police on the line. How may I help you?"

"There is a time machine wait ... a time capsule... a time machine ... whatever is on the line is priceless and dangerous, and this lunatic in black that calls himself...Gary? Girly? I think it is Girly, is trying to take it!" Mrs Sim reported, discombobulated.

"Calm down Madam, where are you?" the police officer questioned in a calm voice.

"Uh ... Furfield Method Binary Stools?" Mrs Sim said in confusion.

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