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New friends are all around the world.  
Some are like you, and some are different.

I am Chang-Yong,  
and I am ten.  
My family lives in South Korea.







I like going to school and playing ball.

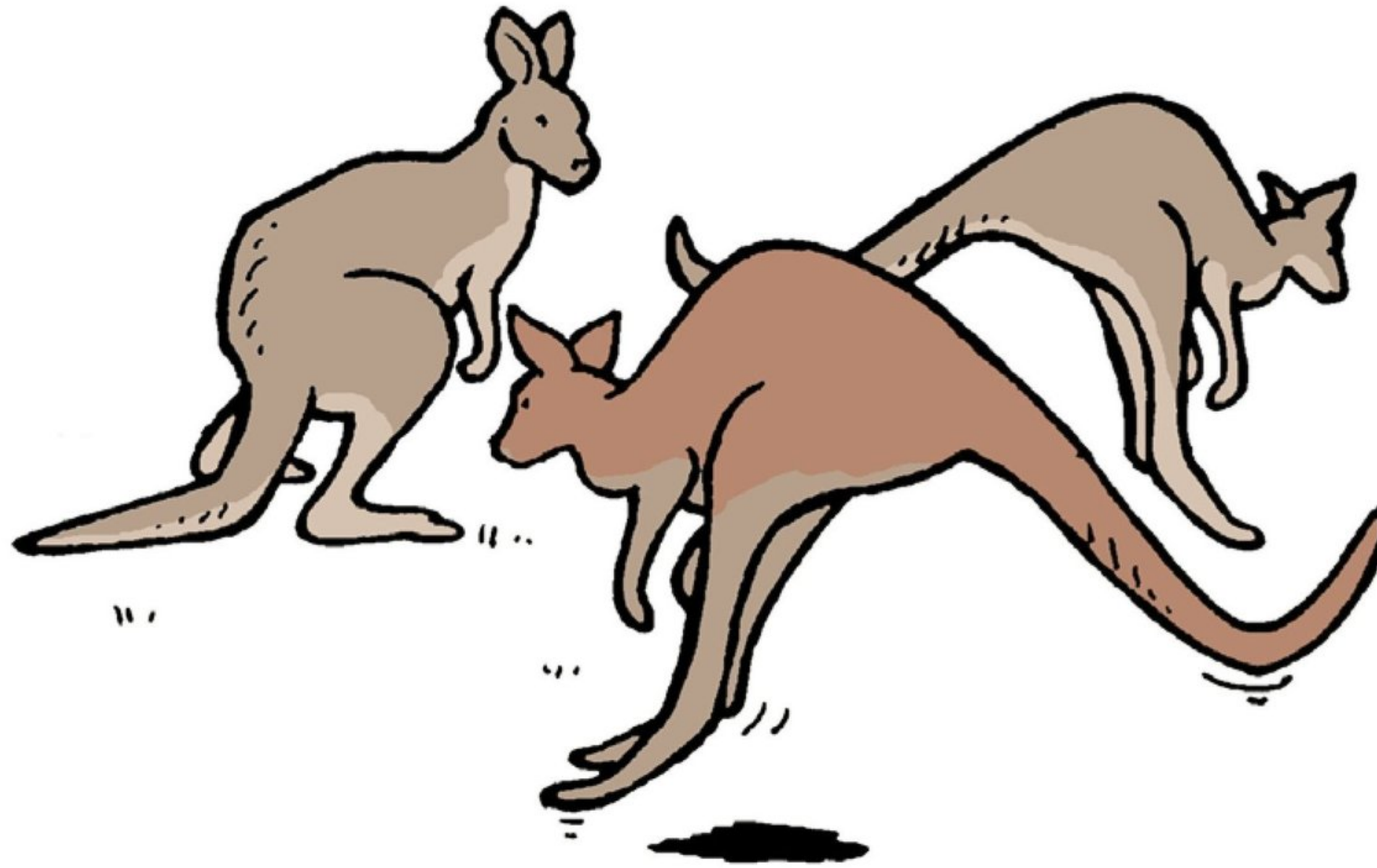
My best jacket is made of **silk**.

My favorite food is **barbecued** beef.

Jessica is my name.  
I live in Australia.  
I am six.







I live with my mother and grandmother.

My mother is a cook.

I love to watch **kangaroos** hop around.

I am Natasha, and I am seven.  
My home is an apartment  
in Moscow, Russia.  
I like dancing.







I wear a fur hat and coat in winter.

I play in the snow.

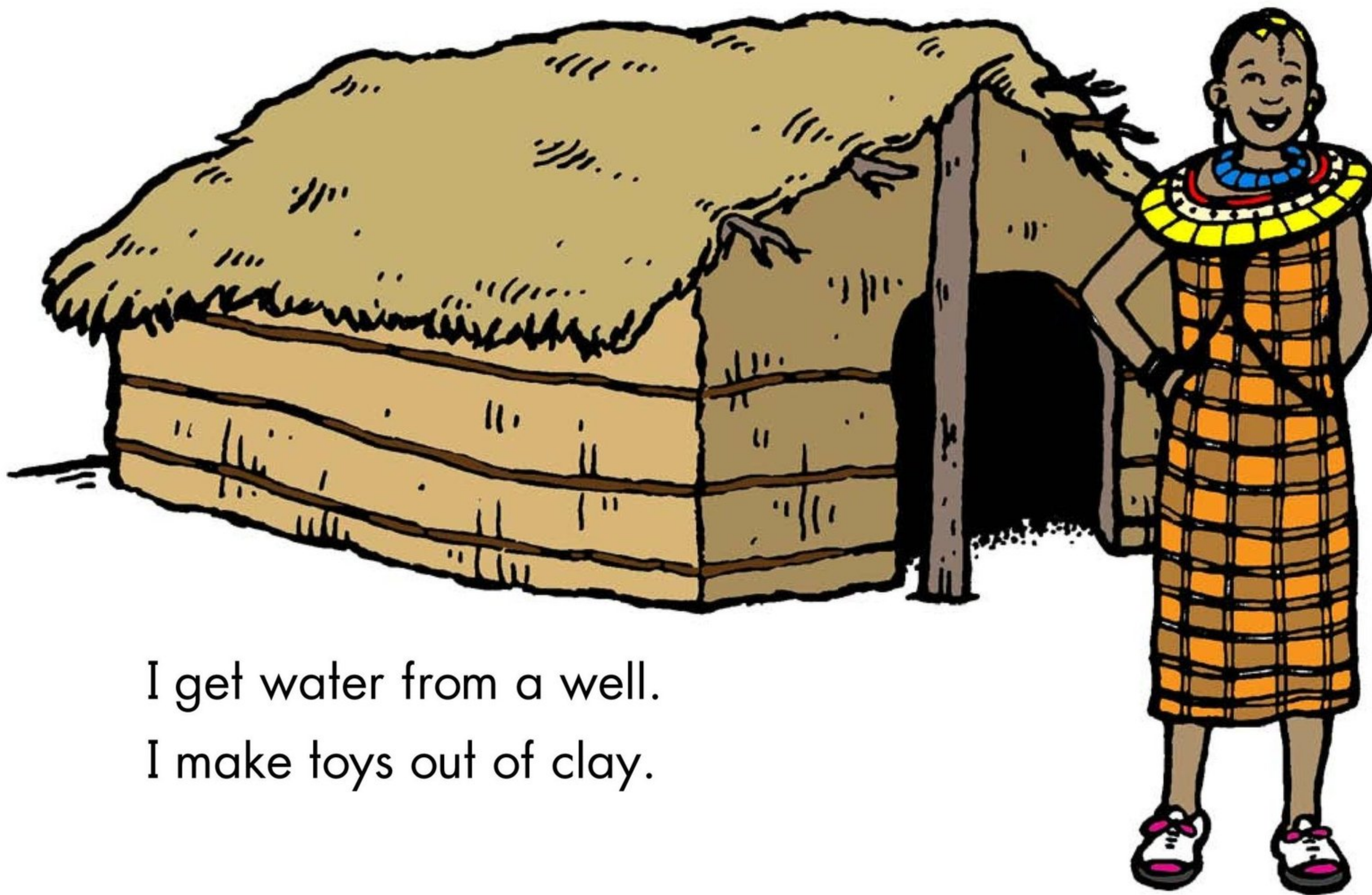
I love to eat pancakes.



I live in Tanzania.  
Manka (MAHN-kah)  
is my name.  
We live in a hut with  
a grass roof.  
My father takes care of our cows.







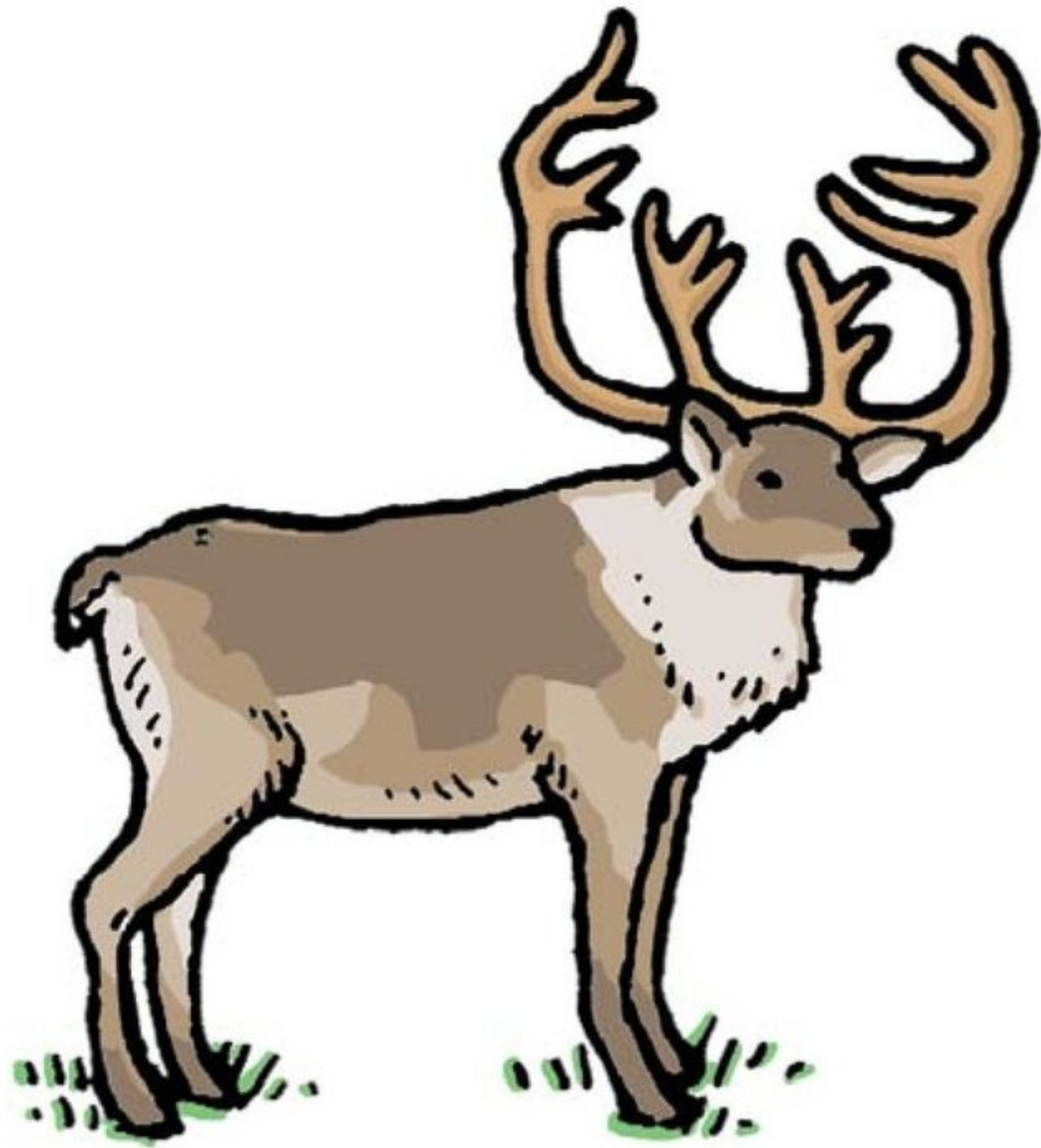
I get water from a well.  
I make toys out of clay.



I am Kipanik (KEE-pa-nik).  
I live in Canada, where it is cold.  
My dogs pull me on my sled.







I play hockey with my friends.  
Our dads hunt animals for food.  
I like meat with **ketchup**.





How are you like these children?  
How are you different?



## Where Our Friends Live





## Glossary

<b>barbecued</b> ( <i>adj.</i> )	cooked over an open flame in a highly seasoned sauce (p. 5)
<b>kangaroos</b> ( <i>n.</i> )	large mammals with pouches, strong hind legs, and thick tails (p. 7)
<b>ketchup</b> ( <i>n.</i> )	a thick red sauce that is made with tomatoes, onions, salt, sugar, and spices (p. 13)
<b>silk</b> ( <i>n.</i> )	a strong fiber made by silkworms that is used for making clothes (p. 5)



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