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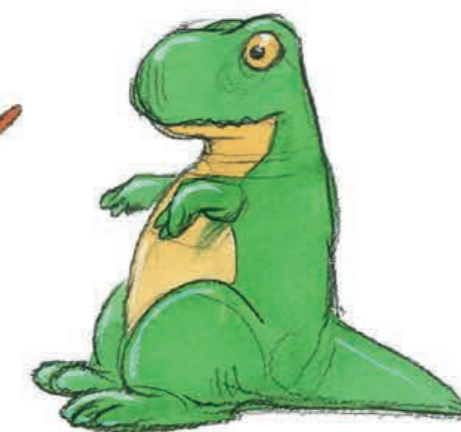
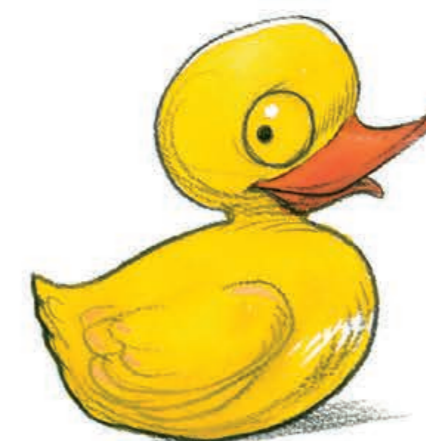
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# A GREAT BIG CUDDLE

Poems for the Very Young



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# TIPPY-TAPPY

Tippy-tappy  
Tippy-tappy  
Tap, tap, tap.



Dippy-dippy  
Dippy-dippy  
Dip, dip, dip.

Nippy-nappy  
Nippy-nappy  
Nap, nap, nap.



Mippy-moppy  
Mippy-moppy  
Mop, mop, mop.



Stippy-steppy  
Stippy-steppy  
Step, step, step.



Hippy-hoppy  
hippy-hoppy  
Hop, hop, hop.

Pippy-peppy  
Pippy-peppy  
Pep, pep, pep.



Kippy-cuppy  
Kippy-cuppy  
Cup, cup, cup.



Lippy-lippy  
Lippy-lippy  
Lip, lip, lip.



Ippy-uppy  
Ippy-uppy  
Up, up, up.



# THE BUTTON BOP

Top button

Bottom button

Top button

Top.

Bottom button

Top button

Bottom button

Bop.

Top, top

Bottom button top

Bop, bop

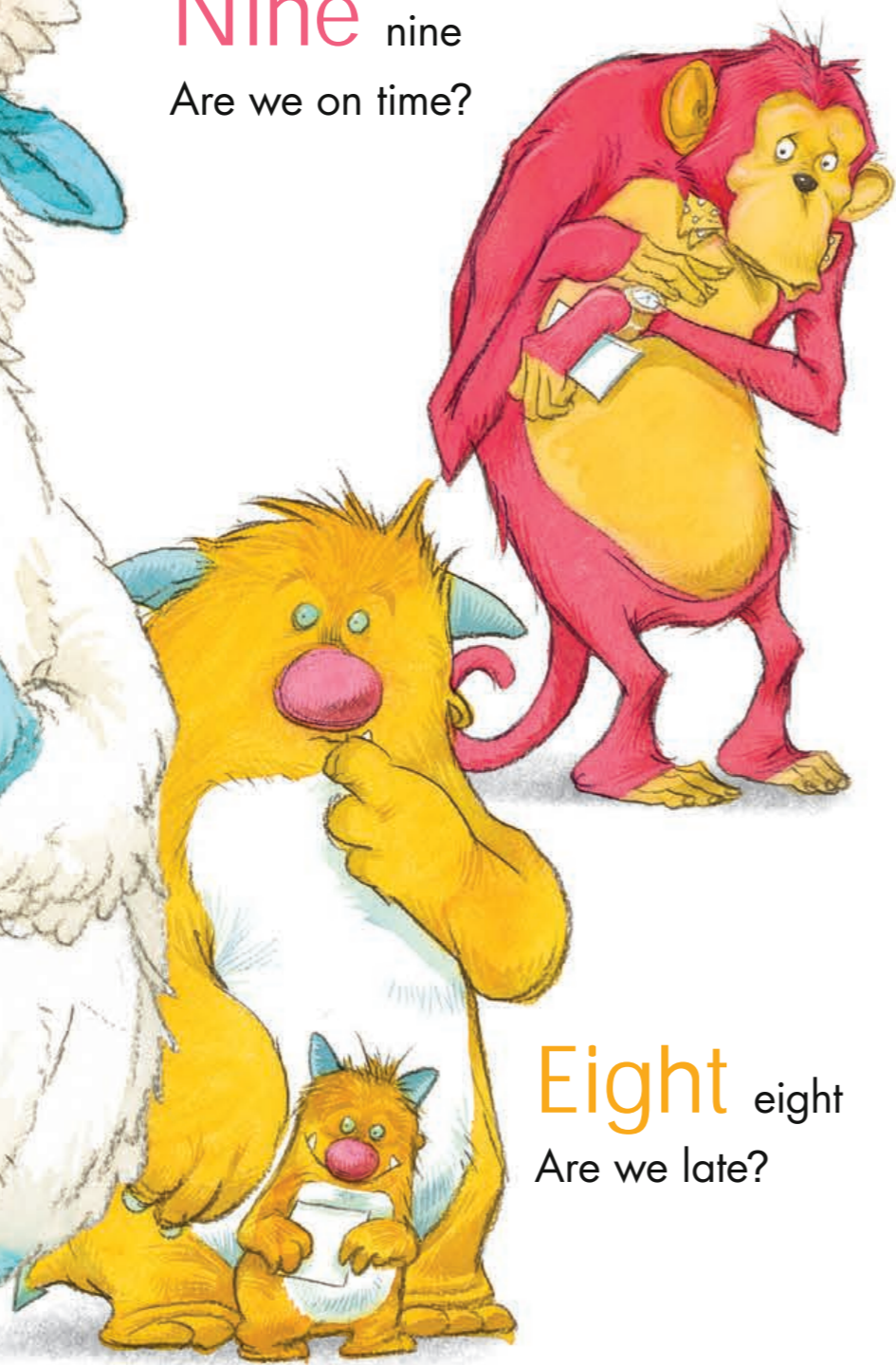
Bottom button bop.

# PARTY TIME

Ten ten  
Where? When?



Nine nine  
Are we on time?

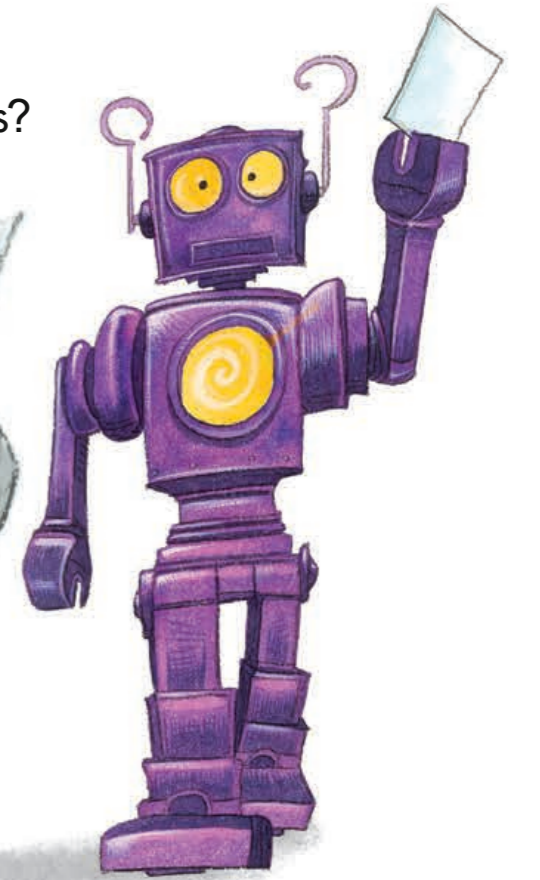


Eight eight  
Are we late?

Seven seven  
Is this heaven?



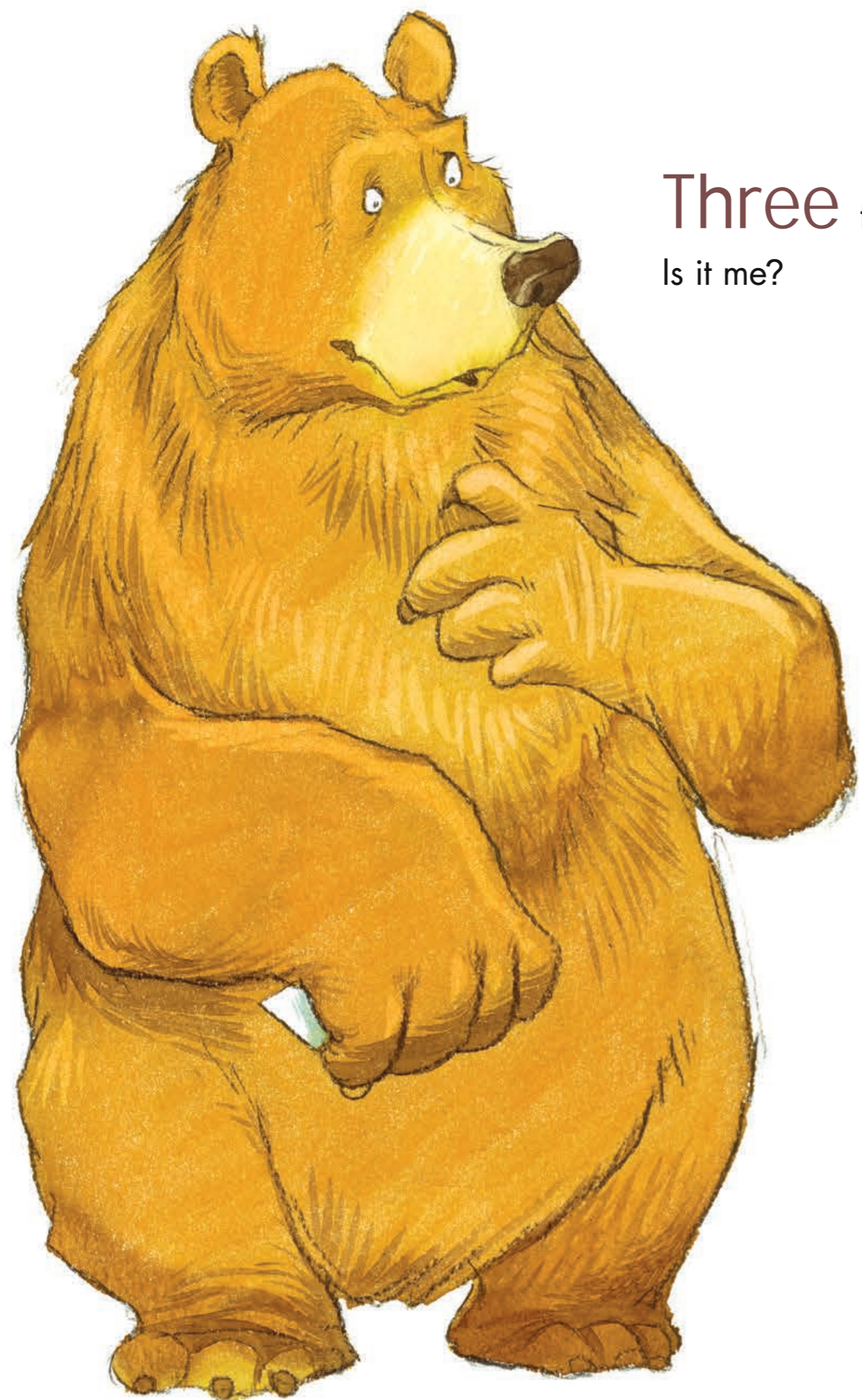
Six six  
How's tricks?



Five five  
Who's arrived?

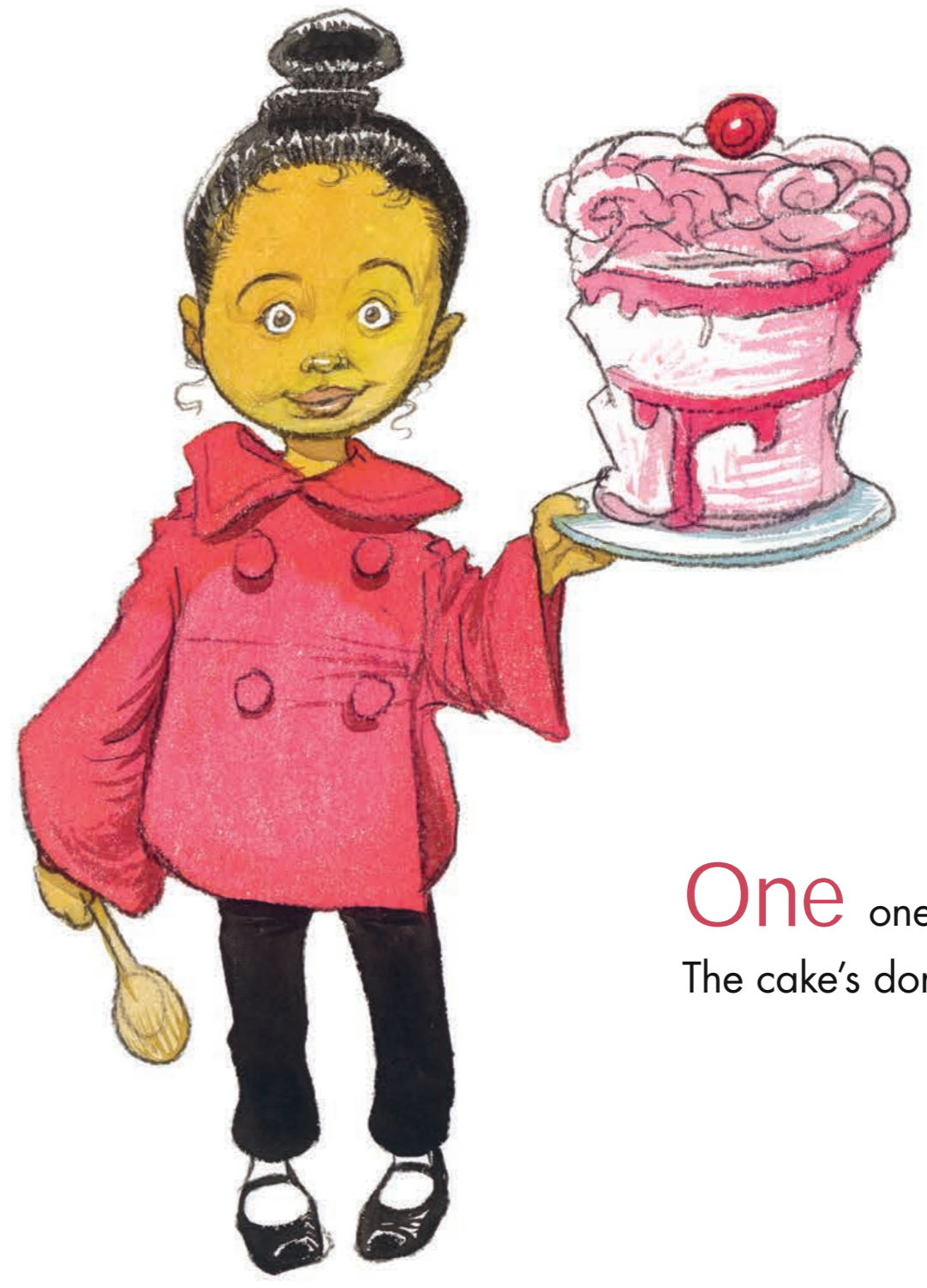


Four four  
Who's at the door?



Three three  
Is it me?

Two two  
Is it you?



One one  
The cake's done.