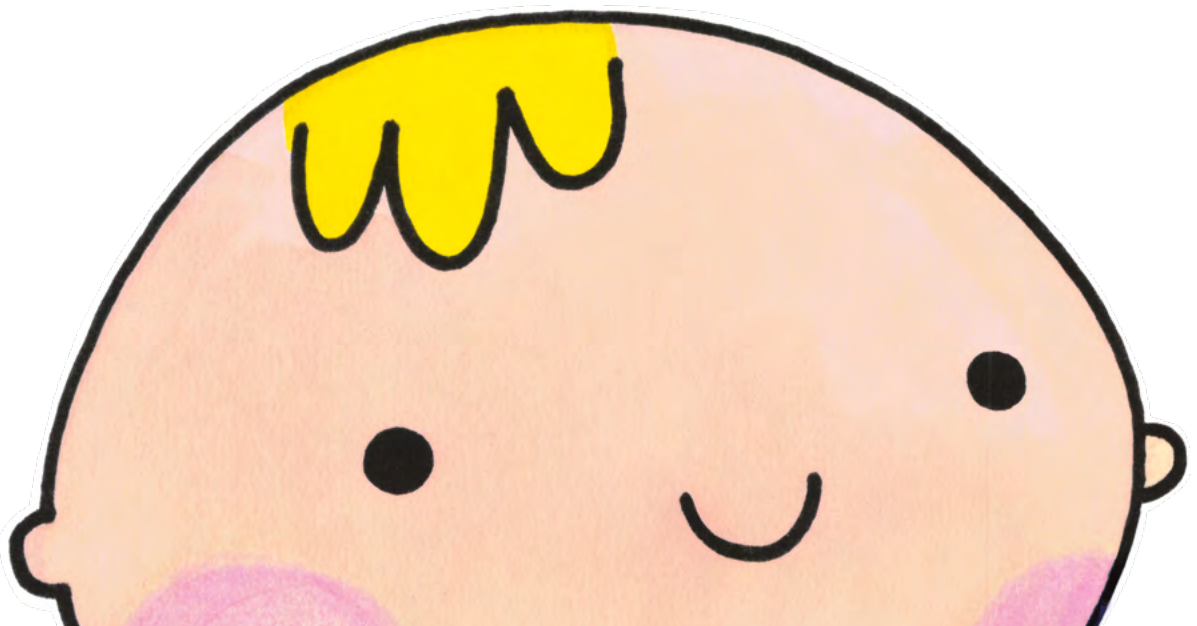


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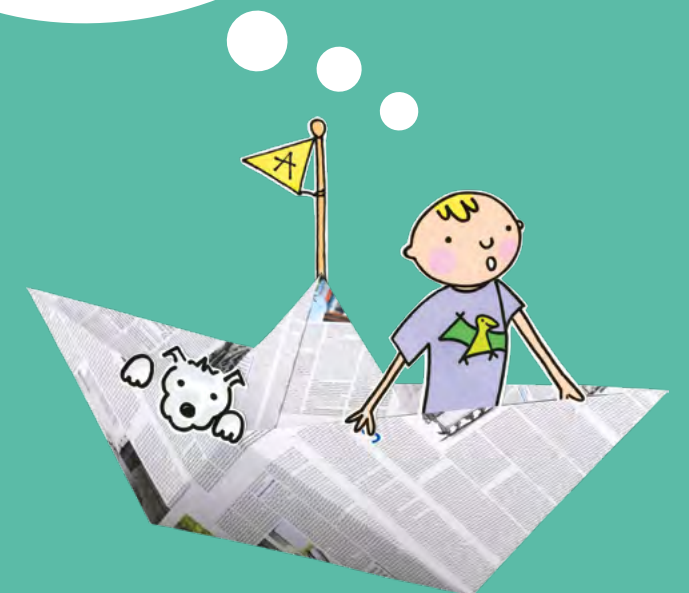
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**For Talitha who likes
lazy monsters.**



**It was nighttime.
The house, and everyone
in it, was fast asleep.**

**A monster under his bed was making
too much noise.**

**Apart from
Alexander
who was wide
awake.**



"Shh,"
whispered
Alexander

to the monster who
was reading a book
about dinosaurs.

"You'll wake
Mummy and then
she might make us
eat broccoli."

"Oh,"
said the monster,
"isn't your
Mummy scared
of monsters?"



"I'm not afraid
of monsters,"
thought Alexander
bravely,



and he immediately decided to make
a list of who was and who wasn't afraid
of monsters.

Not



afraid

The following day, Mummy received

a postcard from her sister who was exploring yet another faraway place.



"Monsters don't scare your Aunt," chuckled Mummy.

This time, her sister was somewhere in the middle of Scotland.

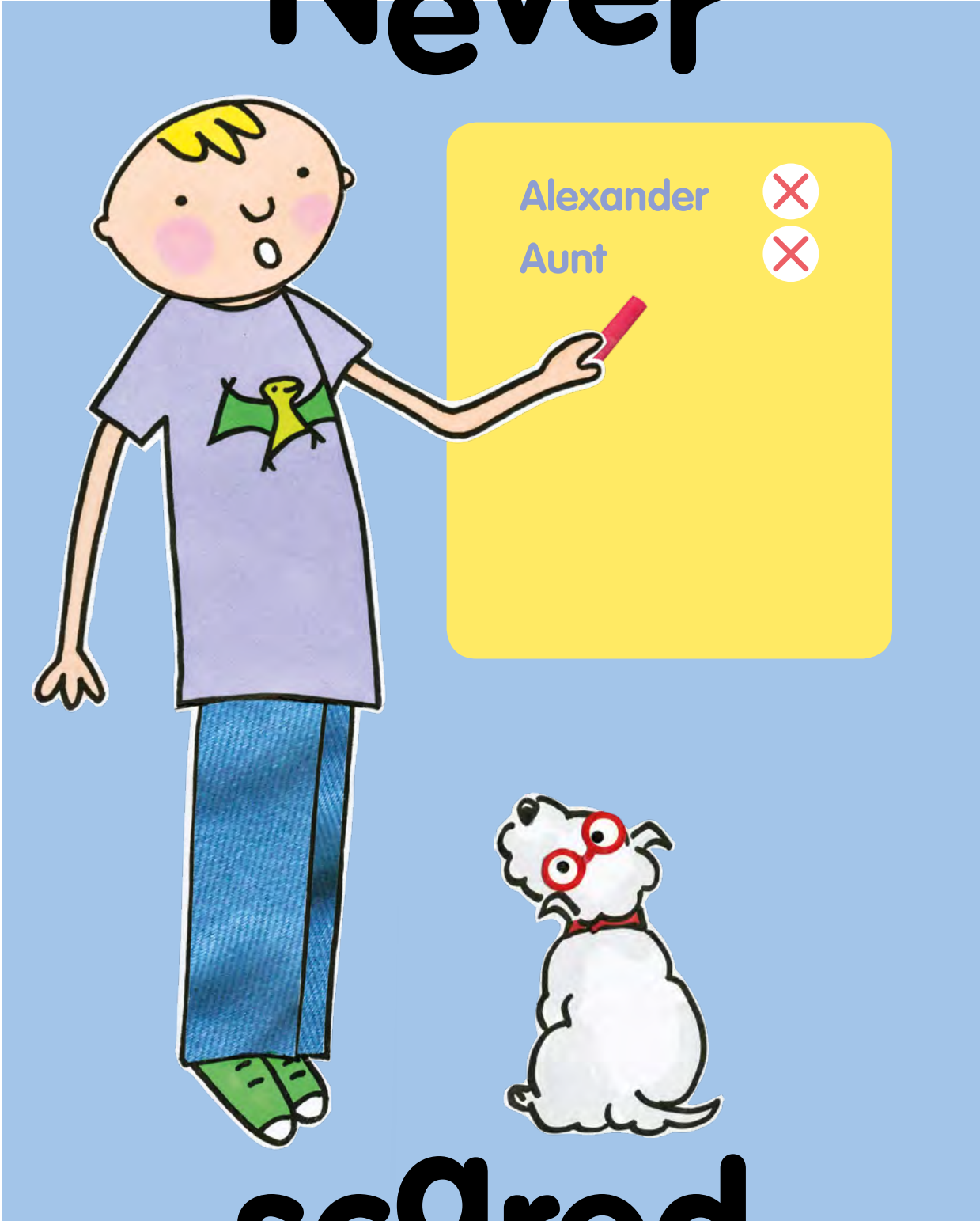


"My Aunt is never
scared of monsters,"
smiled Alexander,



putting a firm cross next
to his Aunt's name.

Never



scared