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In a certain city, there lived street boys.

The youngest of them was called Magozwe.



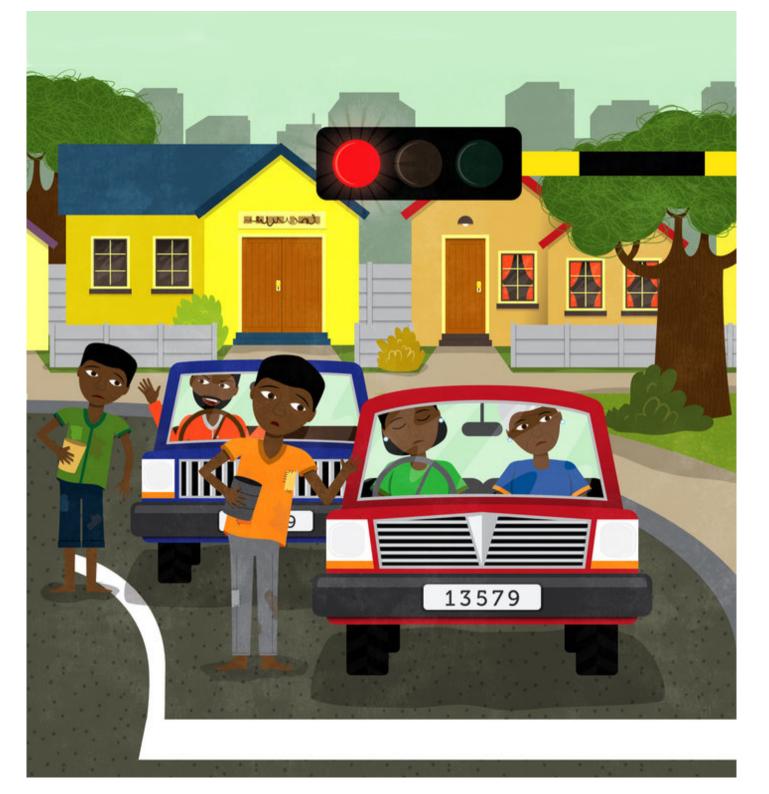
When Magozwe was five years old, his parents died.

He went to live with Uncle Bunu.



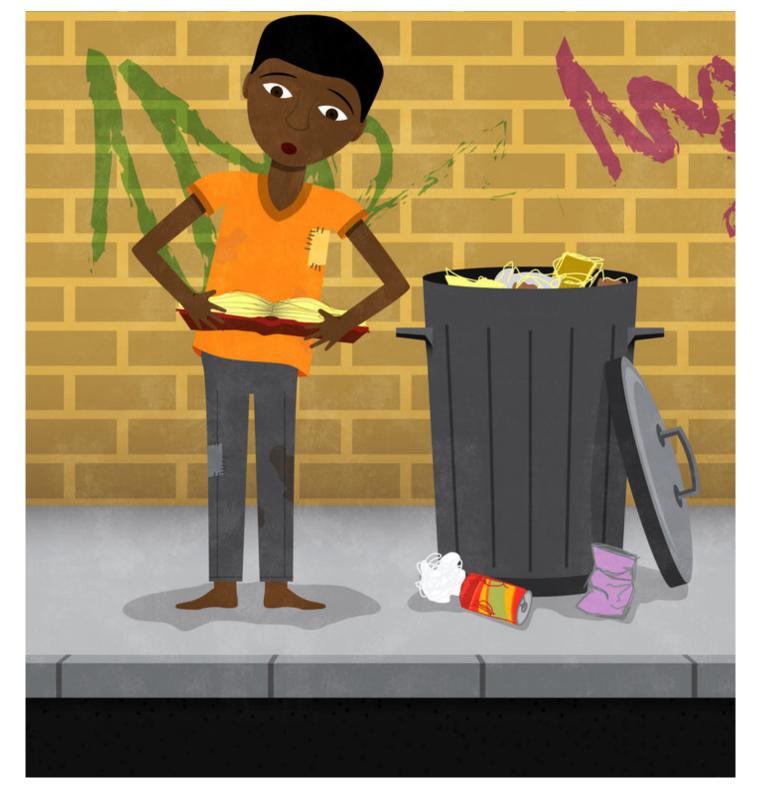
Uncle Bunu was a bad man.

Magozwe ran away and lived on the streets.

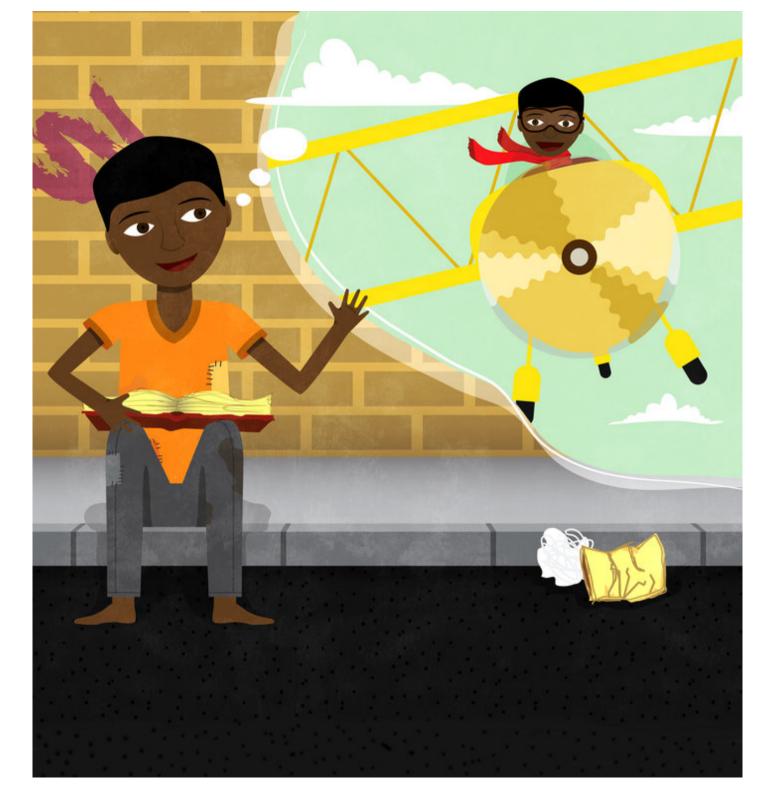


Life on the street was difficult.

The boys begged from people.



One day, Magozwe found a storybook from the rubbish container.



The book had pictures of a pilot.

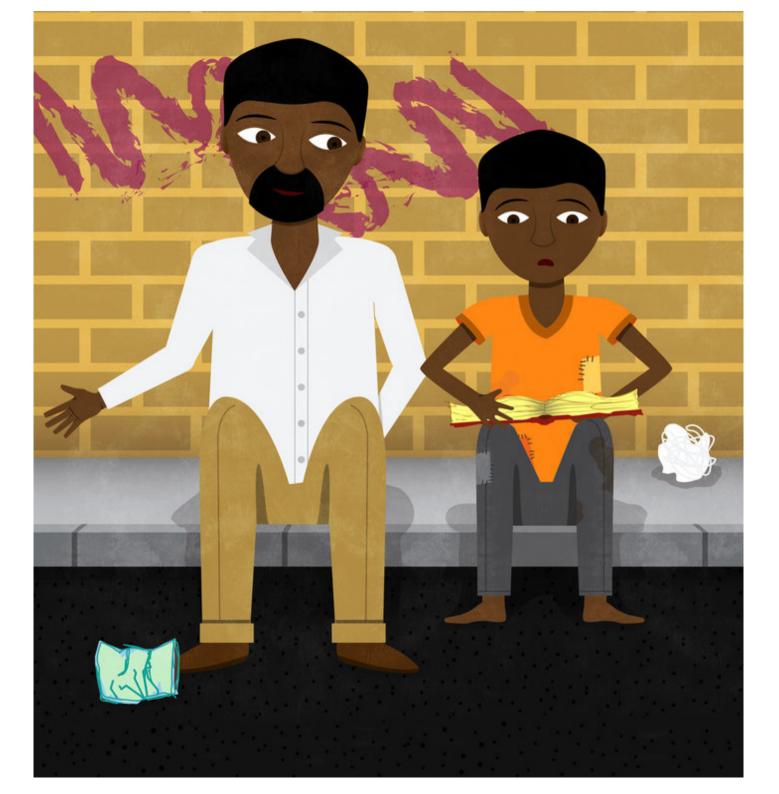
Magozwe wanted to be the best pilot ever.



One day Magozwe met Thomas.

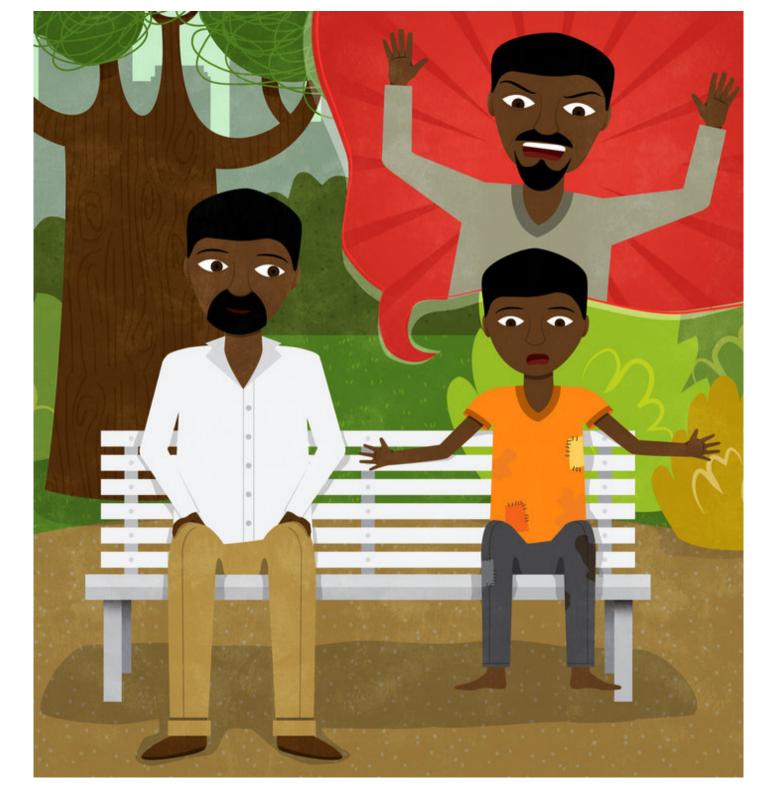


Thomas took Magozwe and his friends to get food.



Thomas asked Magozwe to read.

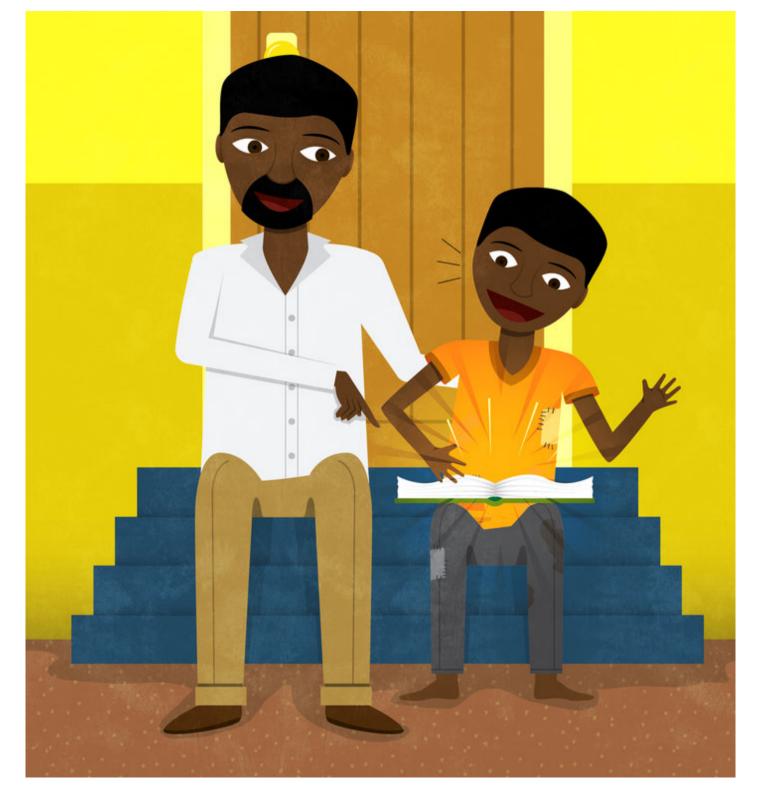
Magozwe replied, "I do not know how to read."



Magozwe also said to Thomas, "I ran away from Uncle Bunu's home. He was a bad man."



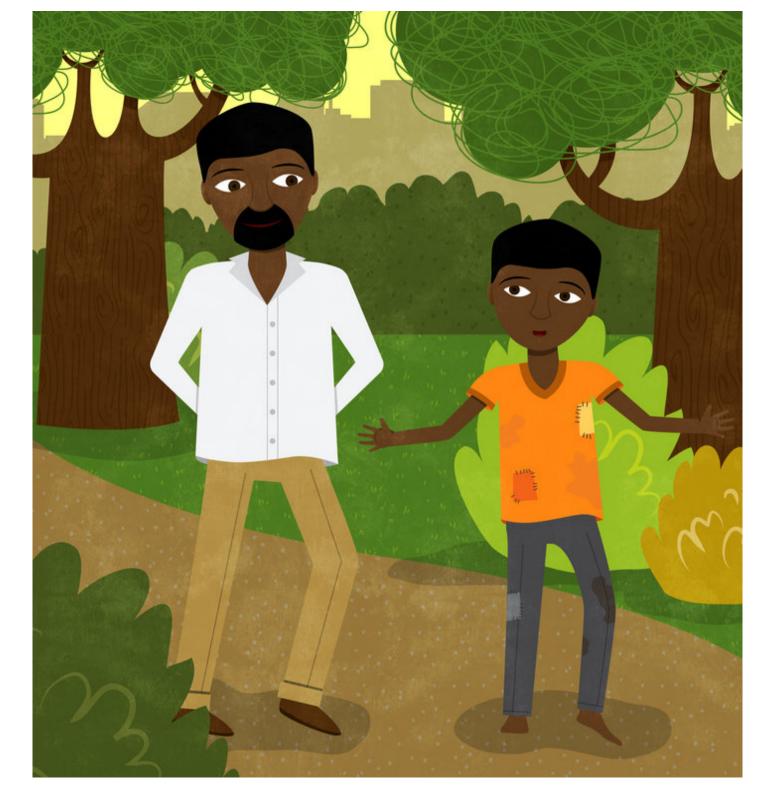
Thomas asked
Magozwe, "Do you
want to learn to read?"
He gave Magozwe a
new storybook.



Magozwe thought about going to school.

He remembered what Uncle Bunu said.

"You are stupid. You do not know anything."



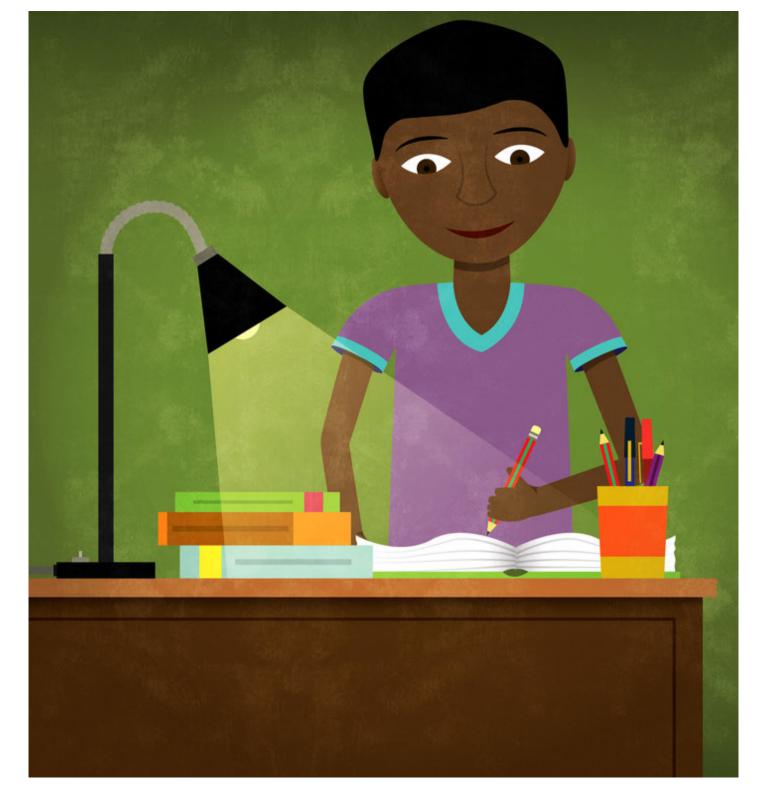
Magozwe was afraid.

Thomas said, "Do not be afraid. You will be fine."



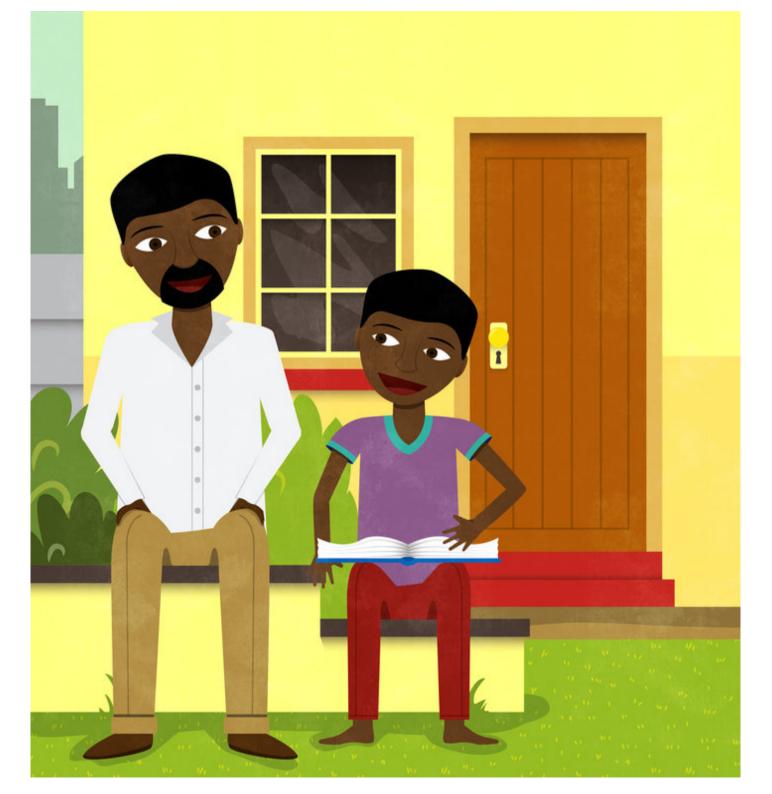
Thomas took Magozwe and the other boys to a home for children.

They were all very happy.



Magozwe went to school. He liked being in school.

He worked very hard.



One day Magozwe told Thomas, "I will be the best pilot ever!"



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Magozwe Finds a Home (English)

A boy from the streets finds a home.

This is a Level 2 book for children who recognize familiar words and can read new words with help.



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