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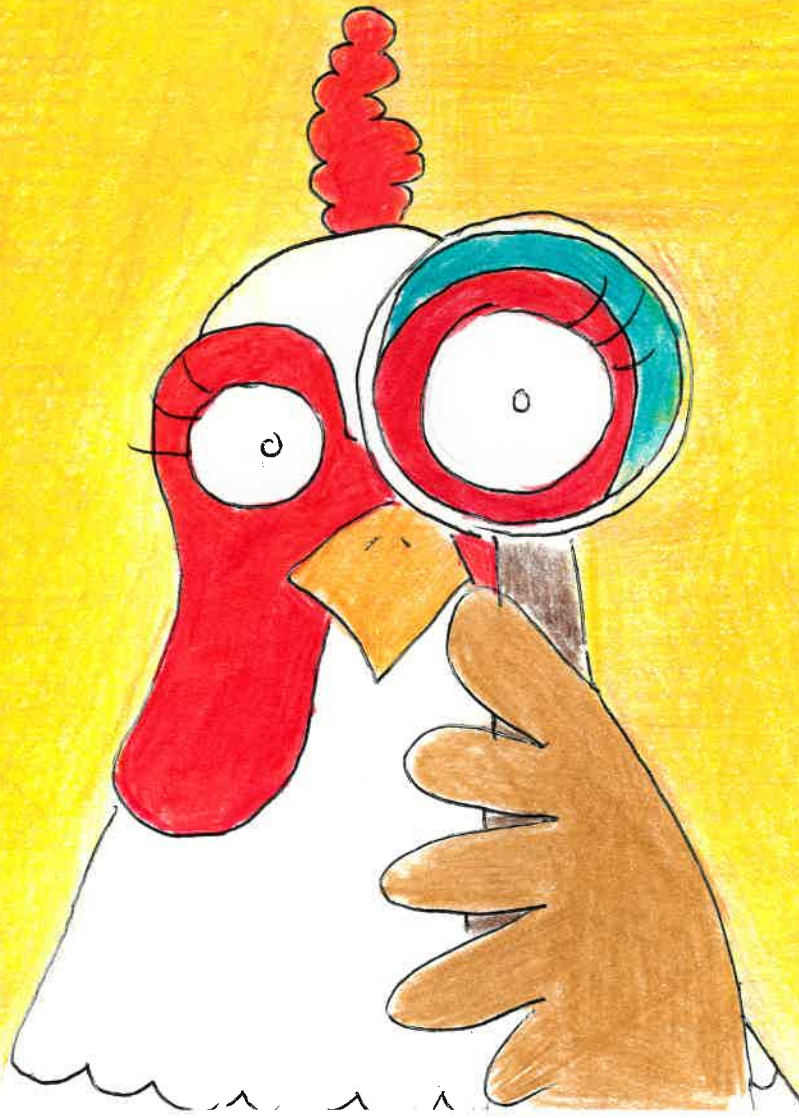
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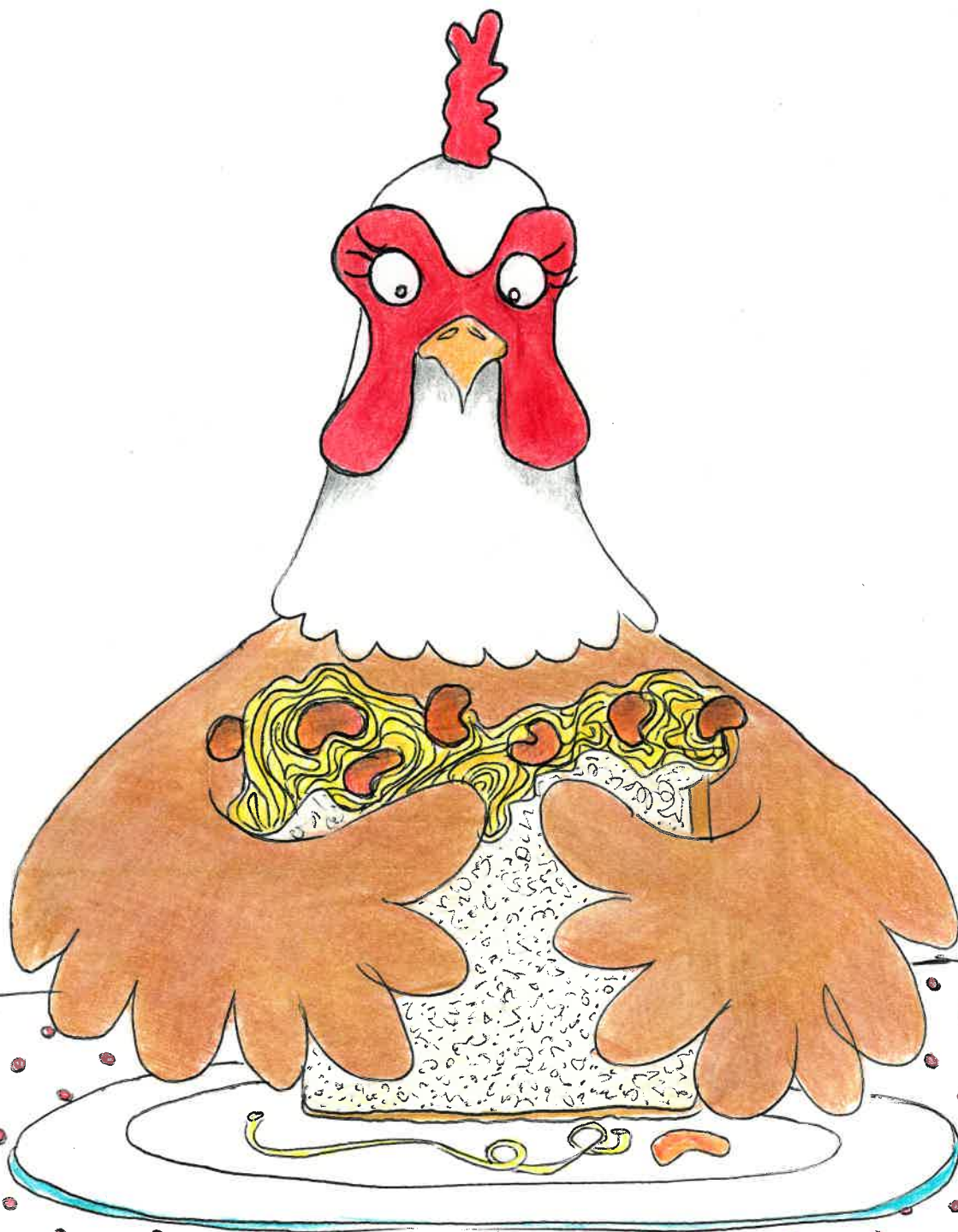
★ Sprinkles and the Search

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Sprinkles the chicken rose with the sun.
She opened her eyes looking for fun.



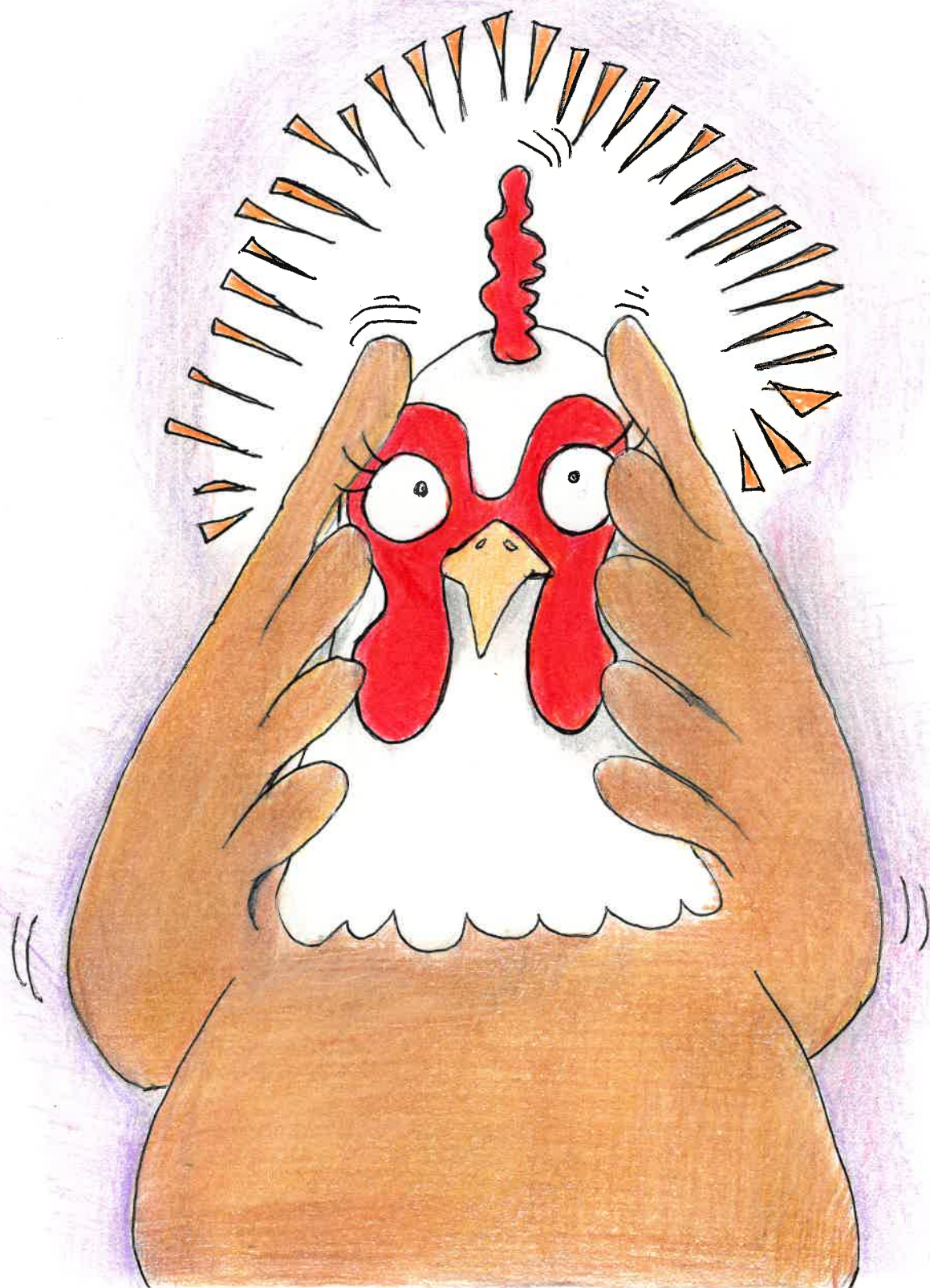
First, she made her breakfast of beans,
spaghetti, and toast.



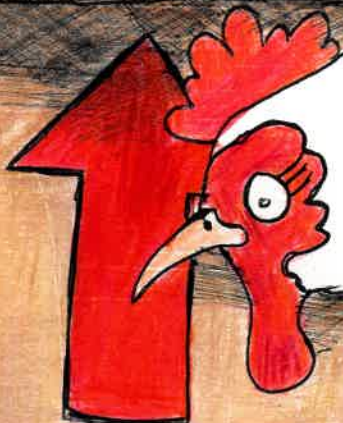


Then she searched for her favorite polka dot hat that she loved to wear most.

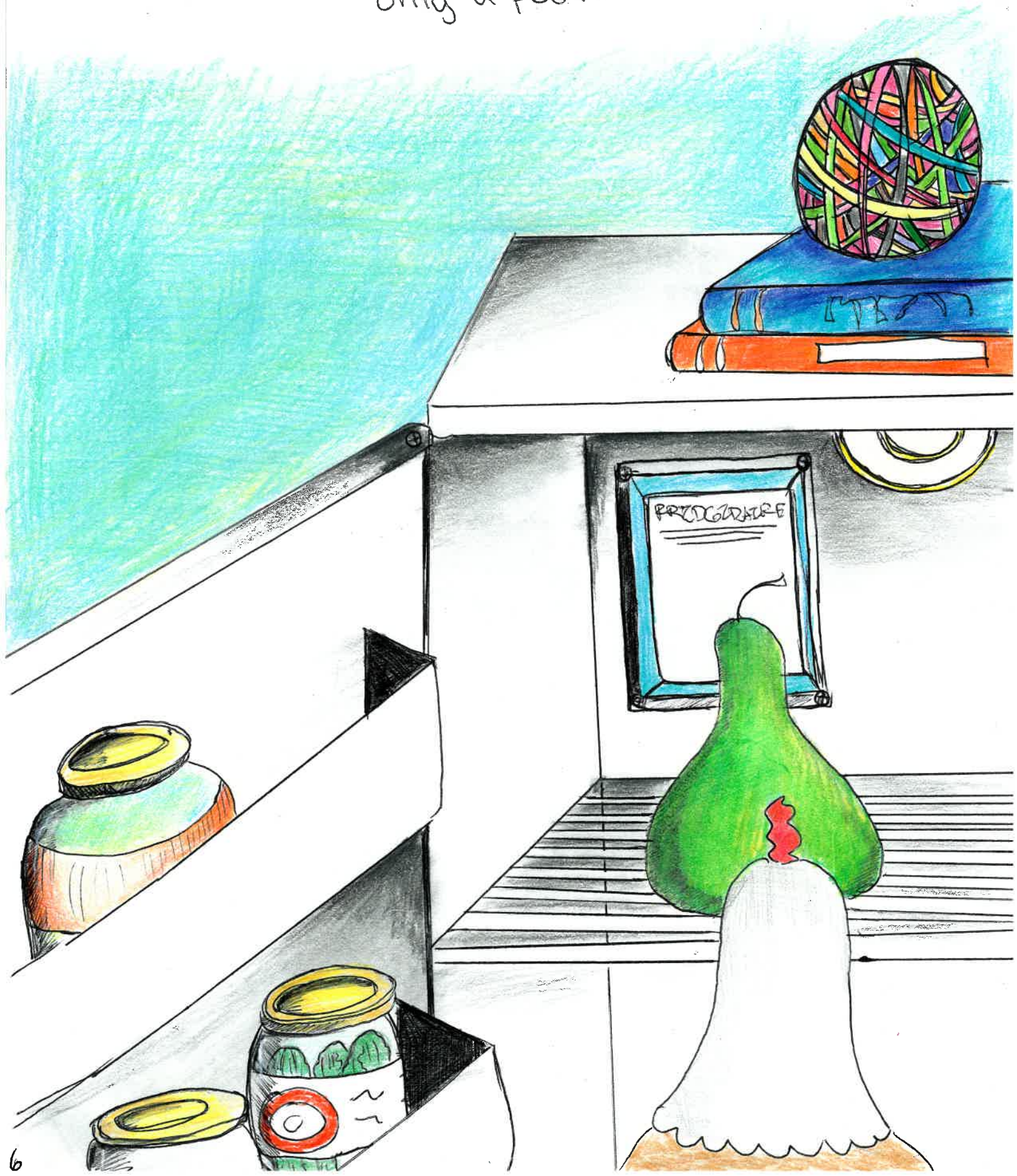
"Oh No!" Sprinkles cried.
She could not find her hat anywhere,
no matter how hard she tried.



She looked under the bed but
her hat was not there.



Sprinkles looked in the fridge and saw
only a pear.



She looked in the trash but her hat was not to be found.

Sprinkles's eyes went crazy as she looked all around.



"AHA!" She thought, "Maybe I left it at a friend's house?"

So she walked over and knocked on the door of Millie the Mouse.



"No it's not here," Millie said "but I can help you look."
"Thanks but no thanks," Sprinkles said as she walked past the brook.

"Where, oh where is my hat?" Sprinkles said with sadness.

"Maybe I left it in the park," she thought with gladness.

So Sprinkles started her car and drove to the park.



There she asked her friend Fred, if he had seen her hat
in the dark.

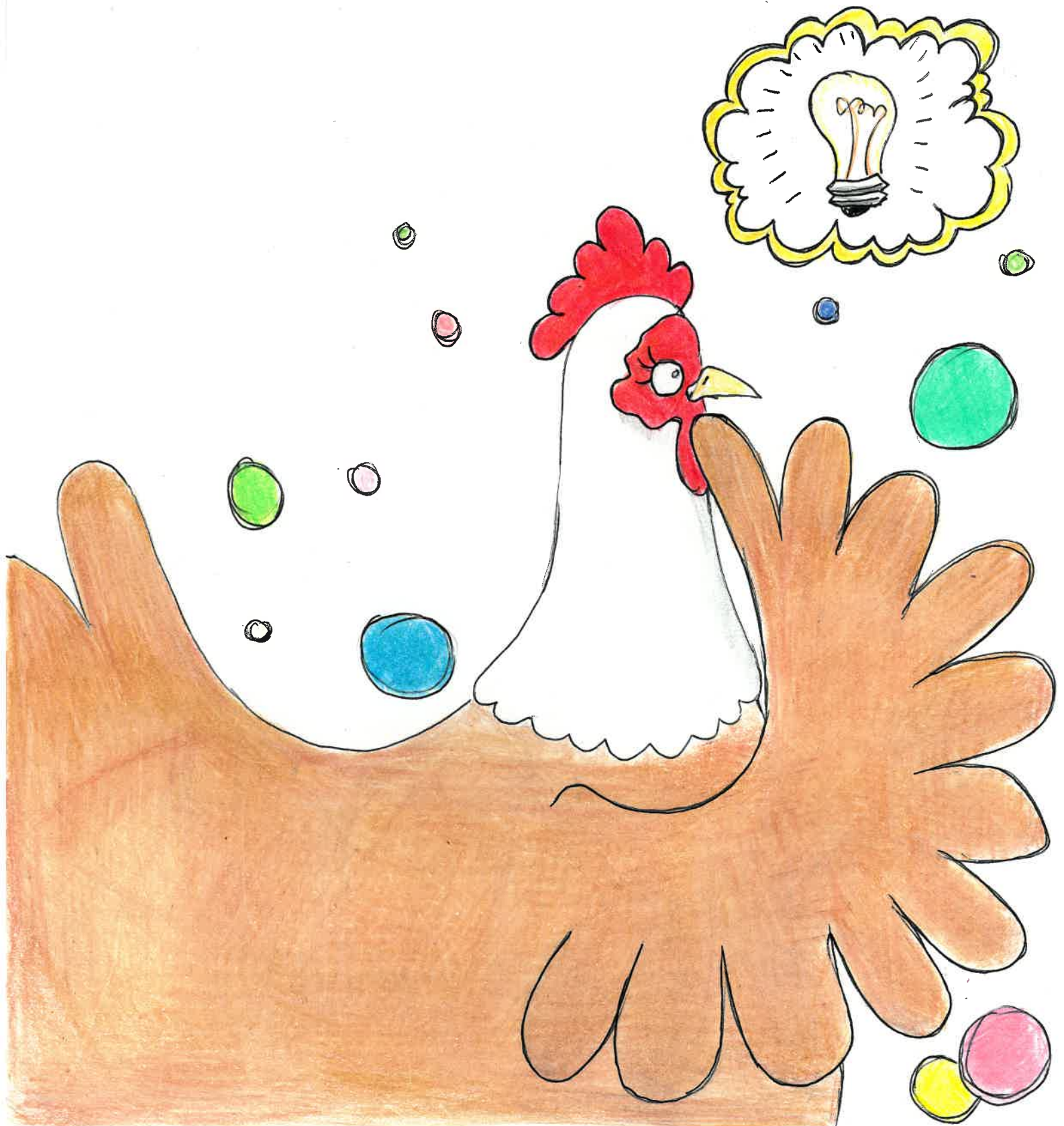
"No," said Fred, "but I'll help you look." "Thanks but no
thanks," Sprinkles said with a smile.



"I'll find it myself, you
know in a while."

"What's one place I haven't tried," Sprinkles
said with a groan.

Sprinkles thought "Perhaps I gave it out on a loan?"



"AHA," maybe I gave it to my friend Kimmy!" she thought.
She called Kimmy and asked, "Did I loan
my hat to you, I need it a lot?"

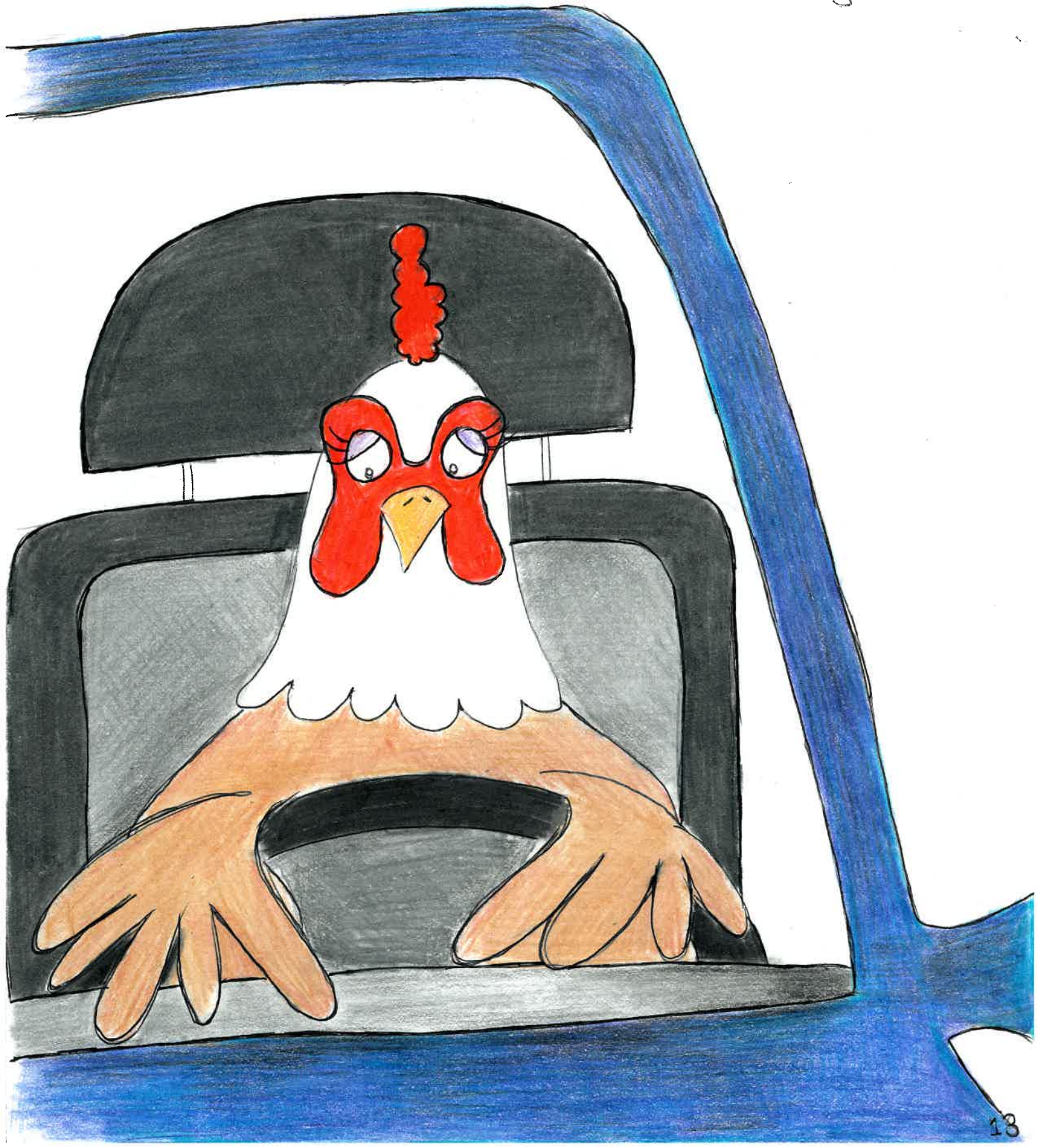
"I don't have it, sorry, but I can help you look,"
Kimmy said over the phone.

"Thanks but no thanks," Sprinkles said
sadly, "I'll find it alone."



Sprinkles drove back to her house
empty handed and sad.

Without her polka dot hat, she felt very bad.



"I can't find it by myself, maybe I should ask for some help," she said aloud.

So she called Millie, Fred, and Kimmy to say sorry for being too proud.



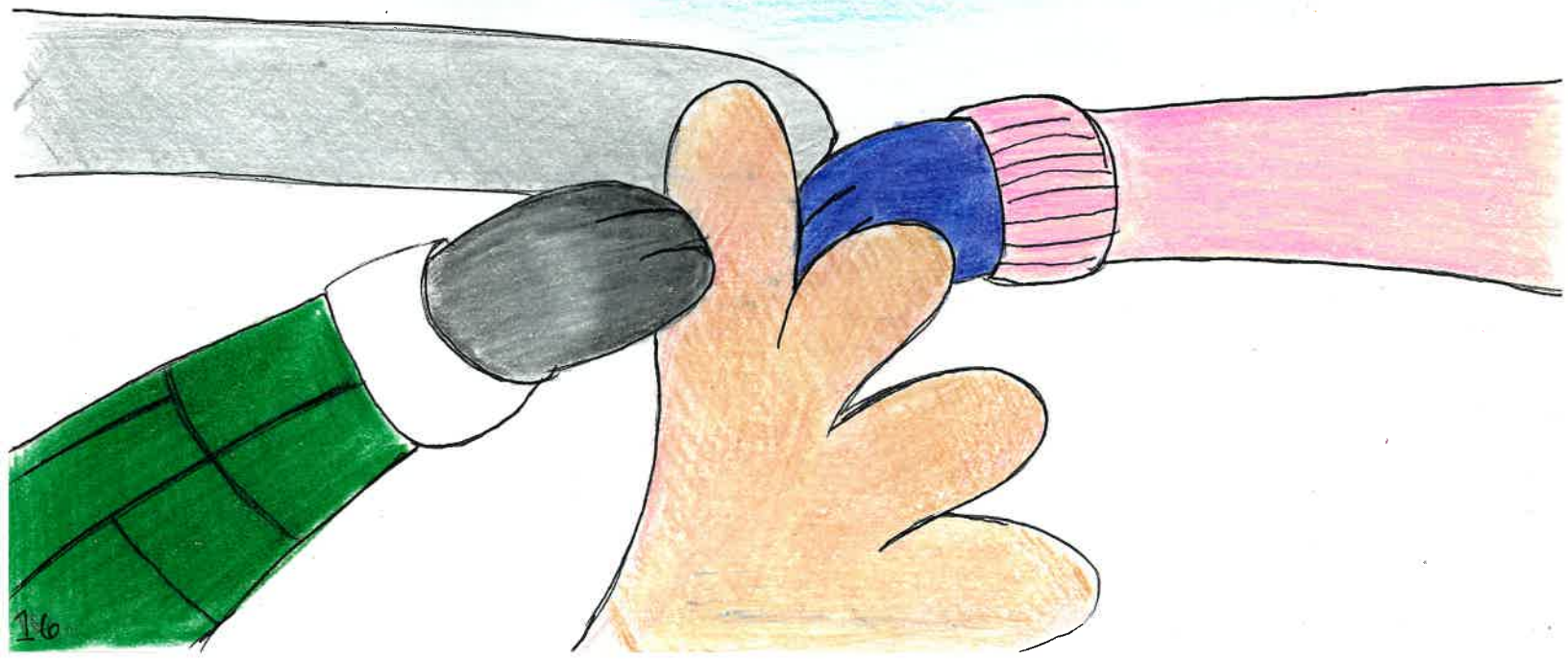
Sprinkles asked "Can you guys help me look for my hat?"
All of her friends rushed over as simple as that.



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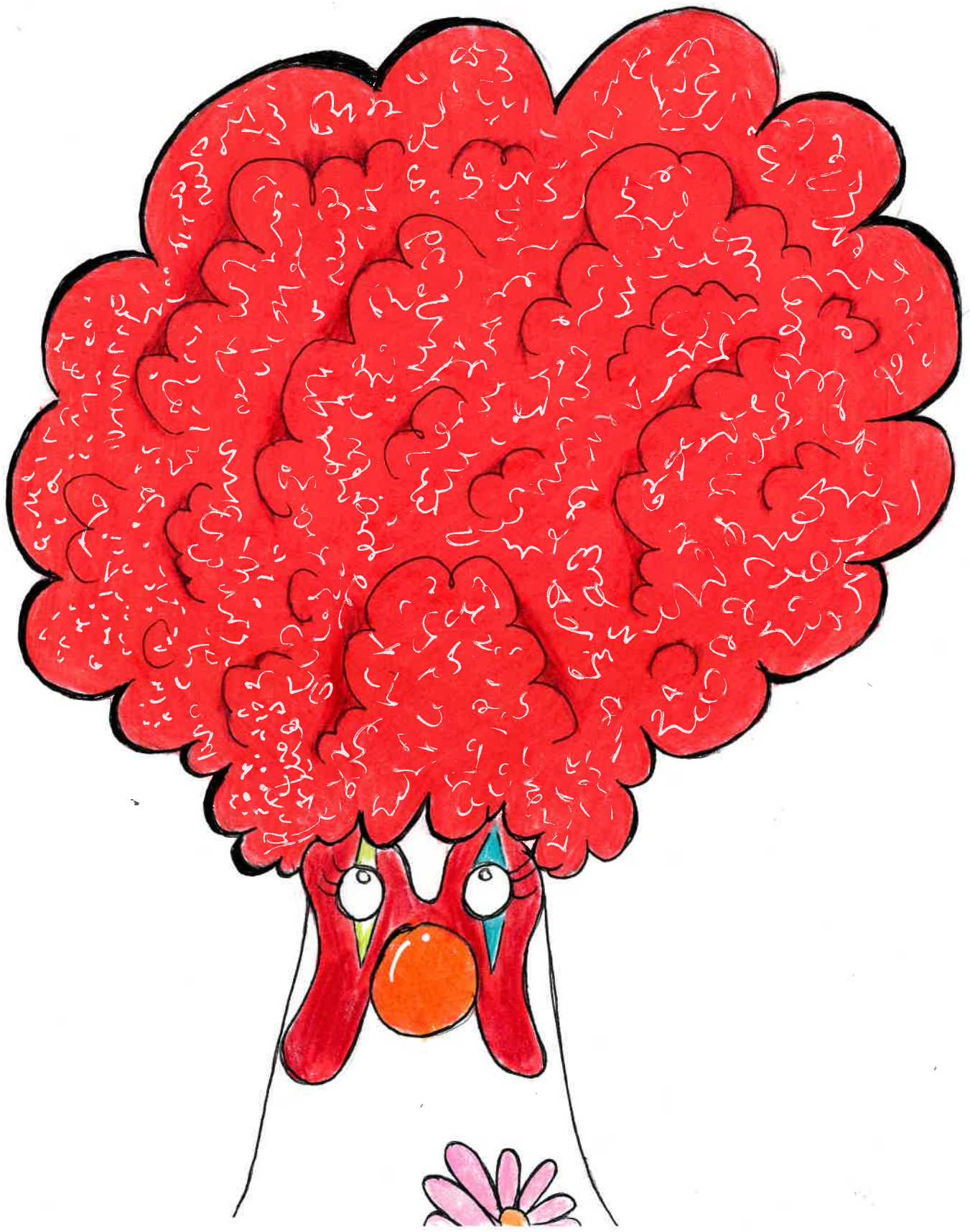
"We are here to help!" Her friends shouted.
Sprinkles realized she never should have doubted.



Sprinkles and her friends looked for the hat
left and right, and up and down.



Her friends were so happy to help, Sprinkles realized she had been a clown.



"This would have gone quicker if I asked for help first," Sprinkles said with remorse.

"AAA!" Kimmy yelled. Sprinkles looked to see what was the source.





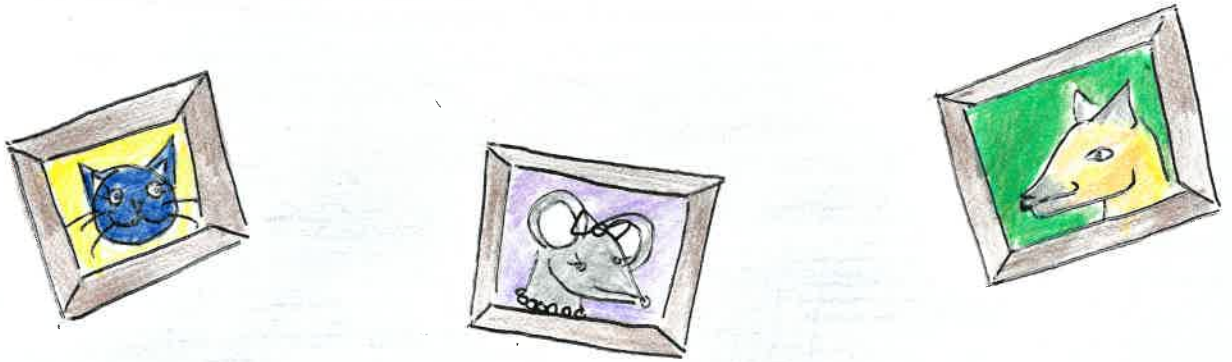
In Kimmy's paw was Sprinkles's polka dot hat,
it had been hiding in the sink.



Sprinkles was so happy to be helped, her face turned bright pink.

She put on her hat and looked at her friend's faces.

Millie, Fred, and Kimmy had been happy to look in lots of places.





Then, all her friends put on hats too, Sprinkles laughed and gave them all a big hug.

Then they all smiled, giggled and danced on the rug.



THE END

