



## Going to school

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There was a boy and a girl called Thabiso and Neo.
Thabiso was tall, while Neo had long hair. Thabiso and Neo were best friends and stayed together at Ramosadi village.



Thabiso and Neo liked going to school together in the morning every day. As their school was near, they decided to walk to school by foot.



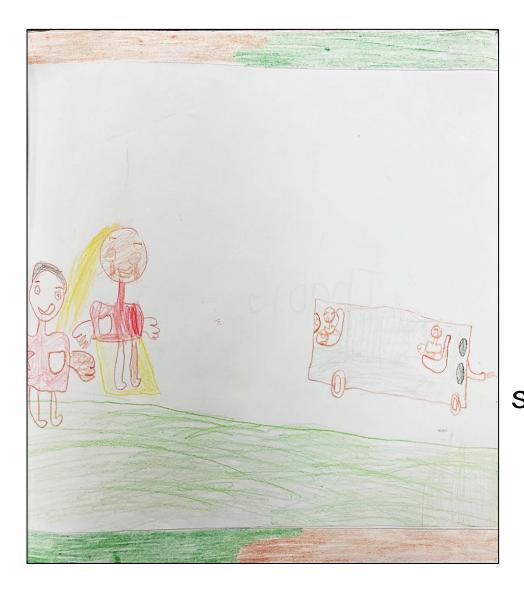
One day while they were walking to school, they met a man on the road who was driving a red car. They saw this man for the first time and did not know him.



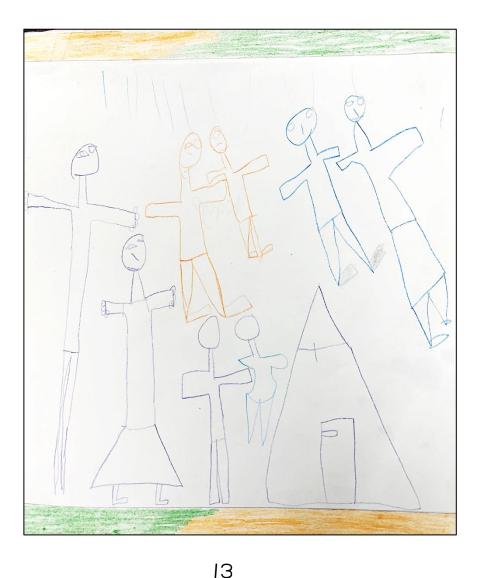
The man asked them to take him to the nearest store. He promised to give Thabiso and Neo money if they showed him a store.



Neo did not agree to go with the man, and she continued to go to school alone while Thabiso agreed to go with the man.



Neo did not see Thabiso after school. She cried and told her father that in the morning, while they were going to Ramosadi Primary school, her friend Thabiso went with a man they didn't know.



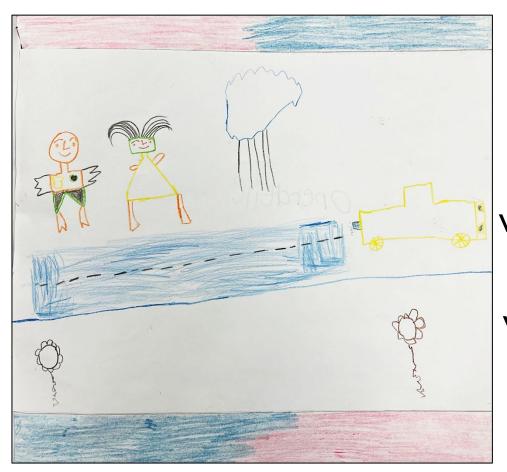
Neo informed the community members of Ramosadi village about Thabiso's disappearance. She also opened a case reporting Thabiso missing, and the police officers comforted her and promised she would see Thabiso again.



Neo's father and community members helped to search for Thabiso in different places, but they did not find him.



After a few days, the police officers found Thabiso and brought him home. Neo, her father and the community members were happy to see Thabiso alive and healthy.



Thabiso was happy to see his friend Neo. He taught other learners not to go with strangers when they are going to school, or when coming from school.

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