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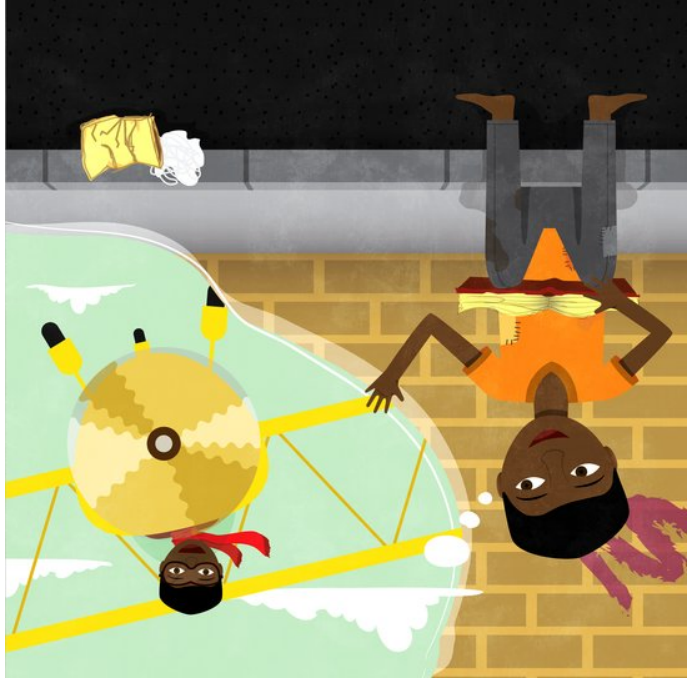
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Gbekɛbii hii kɔɔɔɔi kɔmɛi hi shi yɛ Nairobi maŋ lɛ mli heko banee. Amɛbɛ ninaa ko kɛha nɔyaa, jetsɛremɔ gbɛ kɛkɛ amɛ kpaa. Leebi ko lɛ, oblahii nɛɛ miikota amɛ sai kɛjɛ kro nɔ ŋanii lɛ, he ni amɛwɔ lɛ. Bɔ ni afee ni fɛi akaye amɛ fe nine lɛ, amɛsha jwɛi kɛfee kɔɔɔɔ lɛ mli kulɔɔ. Gbekɛbii hii lɛ atɛŋ mɔ kome ji Magozwe. Lɛ ji gbekɛ kwraa ni yɔɔ amɛ tɛŋ.



Be ni Magozwe fci! shi jen le, eye ari  
enumc pe. Eke etsckwe yahi shi. Nuu nez  
kweze gbeke le jogbany. Ehaa Magozwe  
niyeni! jogbany. Ehani gbeke le tsu ni!  
denyen.



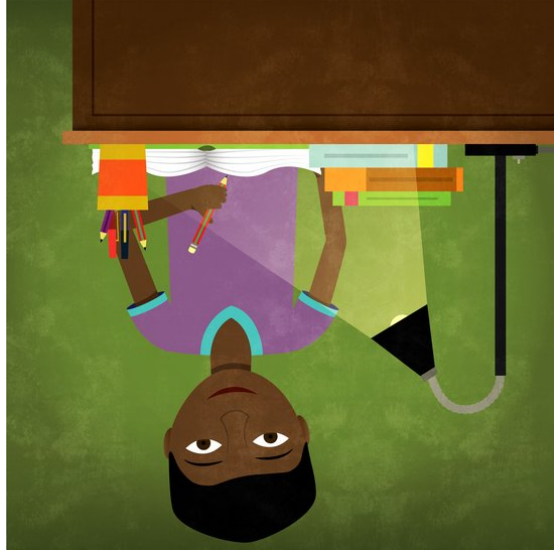
Ƙɛji Magozwe wie nitsumɔ ɛ he ɛ, etsekwe ɛ yɔ ɛ. Be ni Magozwe bi etsekwe ɛ ƙɛji ebaanye eya skul ɛ, etsekwe ɛ yi ɛ ni ekee, "Olu tɔ ƙɛha nɔ ko kasemɔ." Afii ete sɛɛ ɛ, Magozwe nyɛɛ nyafimɔ nɛɛ dɔɔh hewɔ ɛ ejo foi ƙɛje etsekwe ɛ ŋɔ. Eyabɔi gbɛjɛgbɛ ɛ nɔ hii.



Magozwe ta yale ɛ mli ye shia ni abuyi ɛɔli ɛ mli eekane adesa wolo ni ekeje skul ɛ. Tɔmas bata emasei ƙpaakpa. "Mɛni adesa ɛ ƙɛɔ?" Tɔmas bi. "Ekɔɔ gbɛke nuu ko ni batsɔ tɔɔɔ he," Magozwe here nɔ. "Mɛni ji gbɛke ɛ gbɛi?" Tɔmas bi. "Egbɛi ji Magozwe," Magozwe ƙɛɛ ni ɛɔmɔ mugɛɛ.



Gbejẹgbẹ lẹ nǝ shihilẹ wǝ nǝkpǝ. Gbẹkẹbii  
 hii lẹ gbod dẹnme dani ǝme nǝa niyeni.  
 Bẹi komei lẹ ǝmǝmǝ ǝme ni bẹi komei lẹ  
 ǝyiǝ ǝme. Kẹji ǝmtheye lẹ, mǝ ko bẹ ni yẹ  
 buǝǝ ǝme. Shika ni ǝmznǝ kẹjẹ nibaǝ mii  
 kẹ nibii bibii hǝmǝ mii lẹ ni ǝmekẹlẹ ǝme  
 he. Kui kromẹi ni miitǝǝ ǝmtheye ǝme nǝ  
 kẹ ǝmẓbǝmǝ. Ene hǝǝ ni shihilẹ lẹ mii wǝǝ  
 diẹnṣe.



Magozwe bɔi skul yaa. Nikasem ɔ lẹ wǝ  
 nǝkpǝ ẹjǝkẹ nibii pii yẹ ni kpaako  
 ebaakase. Bẹi komei lẹ enijian jẹ wui. Shi  
 ẹsusus kɔɔɔɔ lẹ kɔɔɔ kẹ bɔɔɔɔɔɔ  
 lẹ ni ẹkane ǝme sǝne yẹ ǝdesa wolo lẹ mii  
 lẹ ǝhe. Tam ǝme fẹe lẹ, lẹ hu enijian ẹjẹe  
 wui.

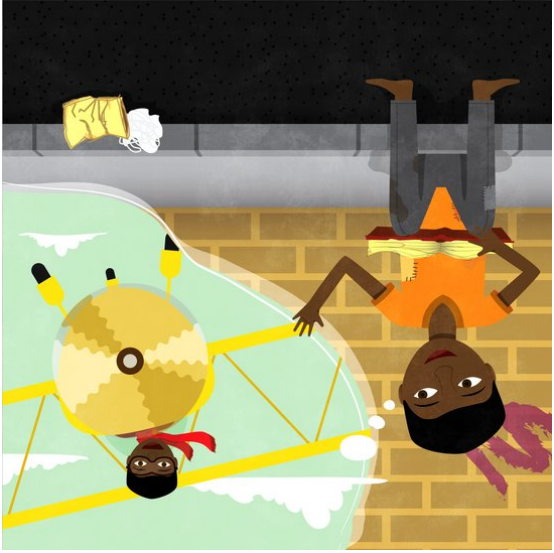


Gbi ko be ni Magozwe miikwe jwei tsensi le mli le, ena adesa wolo momo ko. Etsumo wolo le he muji le, ni eke wolo le wo ekotoku le mli. Keje nakai gbi le, daa nee le ekoo wolo le ni ekweo mfonii ni yoo mli le. Elee bo ni akanoo emli wiemo le.

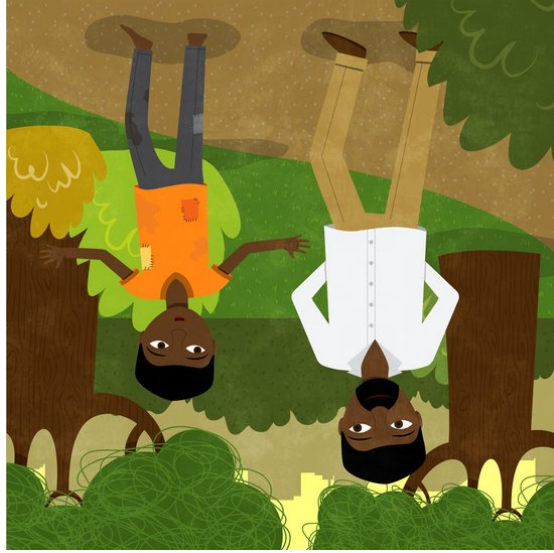


Eno hewo le Akamafio fa eyahi tsu ko mli ye shia ni abu yi enoli le. Eke gbekebii enyo komei ni hi tsu le mli. Gbekebii nyoma ni yoo shia le mli. Kafata ame he le, Nyekwe Sisi ke ewu, gbee ete, abonte kome ke abotia momo ko hu hi shia le mli.





Mfoniri le wies gbekere nuu ko ni ebatsɔ kɔɔɔɔɔɔ lele kudɔɔɔ. Shwane fɔntɔɔ po ankamafiolaa ni eji kɔɔɔɔɔɔ lele kudɔɔɔ. Bei komei le, enaa ehe le ji gbekere nuu niyɔɔ adesa le mi le.



Ekere Tomas enaagba nee. Daa gbi le nuu nee woc gbekere nuu nee hewale ake shihile ye shihilehe hee le baahi fe he ni eyɔɔ le.



Je ɛ mli ejɔ ɲanii ni Magozwe damɔ gbɛjɛgbɛ ɛ he eeba shika. Nuɔ ko nyiɛ banina ɛ ni ekɛɛ, "Helo, atɛɔ mi Tɔmas, mitsɔ nii yɛ biɛ nɔɔɲ, yɛ he ni obaana niyenii ni oye." Etsɔɔ ɛ shia ko ni asha he wuɔfɔ ni abu yitenɲ kɛ zɪɲle bluu. "Miheɔ miyeɔ akɛ obaaya na niyenii yɛ jɛmɛ?" ekɛɛ. Magozwe kwe nuɔ ɛ, ni ekwe shia ɛ, ni ekɛɛ, "Ekolɛ," kɛkɛ ni eho etee.

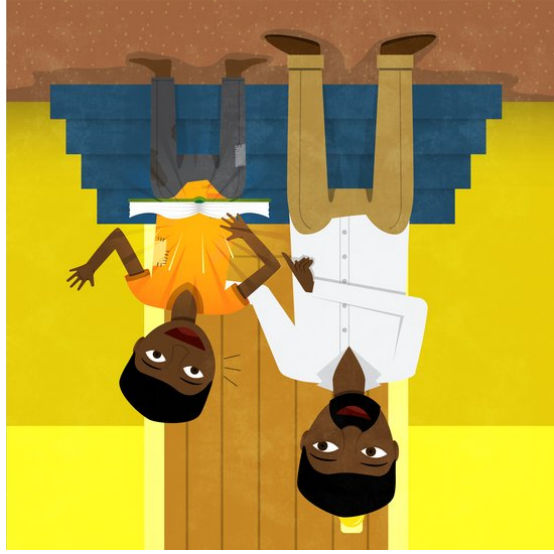


Magozwe susu shihilehe nɛɛ kɛ skulyaa ɛ he. Esusu akɛ ekolɛ etɛkwe ɛ sane ja akɛ elu tɔ kɛha nɔ ko kasemɔ? Esusu akɛ ekolɛ abaayayi ɛ yɛ shihilehe hee nɛɛ? Eshɛ gbeyei. "Ekolɛ ebaahi kwraa akɛ mahi gbɛjɛgbɛ ɛ nɔ," ejwɛɲ.





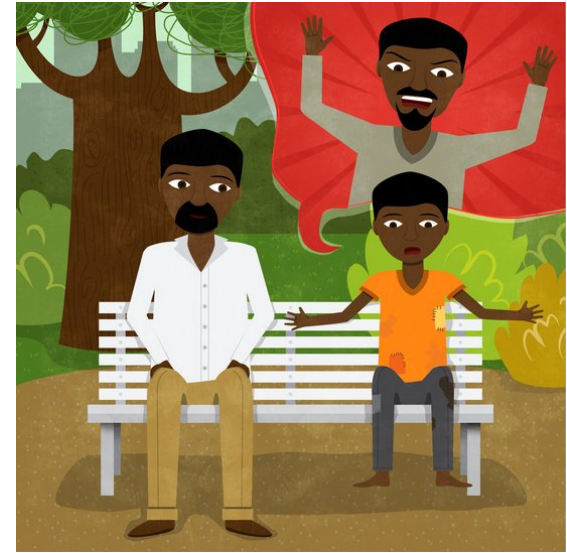
Nyji! babao0 see le, gbekbii! hii! kobci!  
 nee bayce Tmas jogban. Esumw mei  
 kewiem, titri mei ni ycc gbjegebe le nc.  
 Tmas bo mei awala mi! saji! toi. Ehi2 ka shi  
 ni eye mei ahetsui, enyafiii! mc ni ebuw mc.  
 Gbekbii! le ekomei! bci shia ni asha he  
 wucfc ke bliu le mi! yaa keha ame shwane  
 niyenii.



Be ni Magozwe ye etcm gbijurc ni ji!  
 nyyma le, Tmas ha le adesa wolo hee ko.  
 Adesa ni ycc wolo le mi! le wies akrowa  
 gbekc nuu ko ni da ni ebatcc bccutswal  
 kpanaa ko he. Tmas kane adesa le etscc  
 Magozwe bei sanj keyashi gbi ko ni eke2,  
 “Efec mi ake eshe be ni obaaya skul ni!  
 oyakase bc ni akane2 nii. Te osusuc tenj?”  
 Tmas gbala mi! ake ele he ko ni gbekbii!  
 baahi shi ye keya skul.



Magozwe ta shi eekwe mfoniri wolo le mli keke ni Tomas bata emasei. "Meni adesa le keke?" Tomas bi le. "Ekeke gbeke nuu ko ni batsa etsa kaka kaka lele kudulu ko he," Magozwe here le ko. "Meni ji gbeke nuu le gbei?" Tomas bi le. "Mileee, mileee bo ni akane ni," Akamafio wie bleoo.



Be ni amekpe le, Magozwe bo le dientsa ehe sane gbaa ketsa Tomas. Egba le etsekwe le he sane ke bo ni ejo foi keje eno. Tomas ewiee tsa ni ekeee Magozwe ko ni efee hu shi ebo le toi jogbanu. Bei komai le amegbaa sane be ni ameyo nii ye shia ni ake zinge bluu ebu yite le.