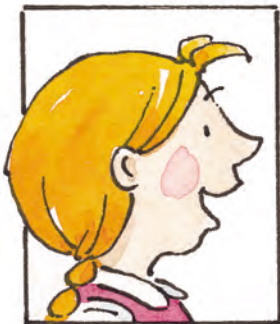


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Amy



Martin



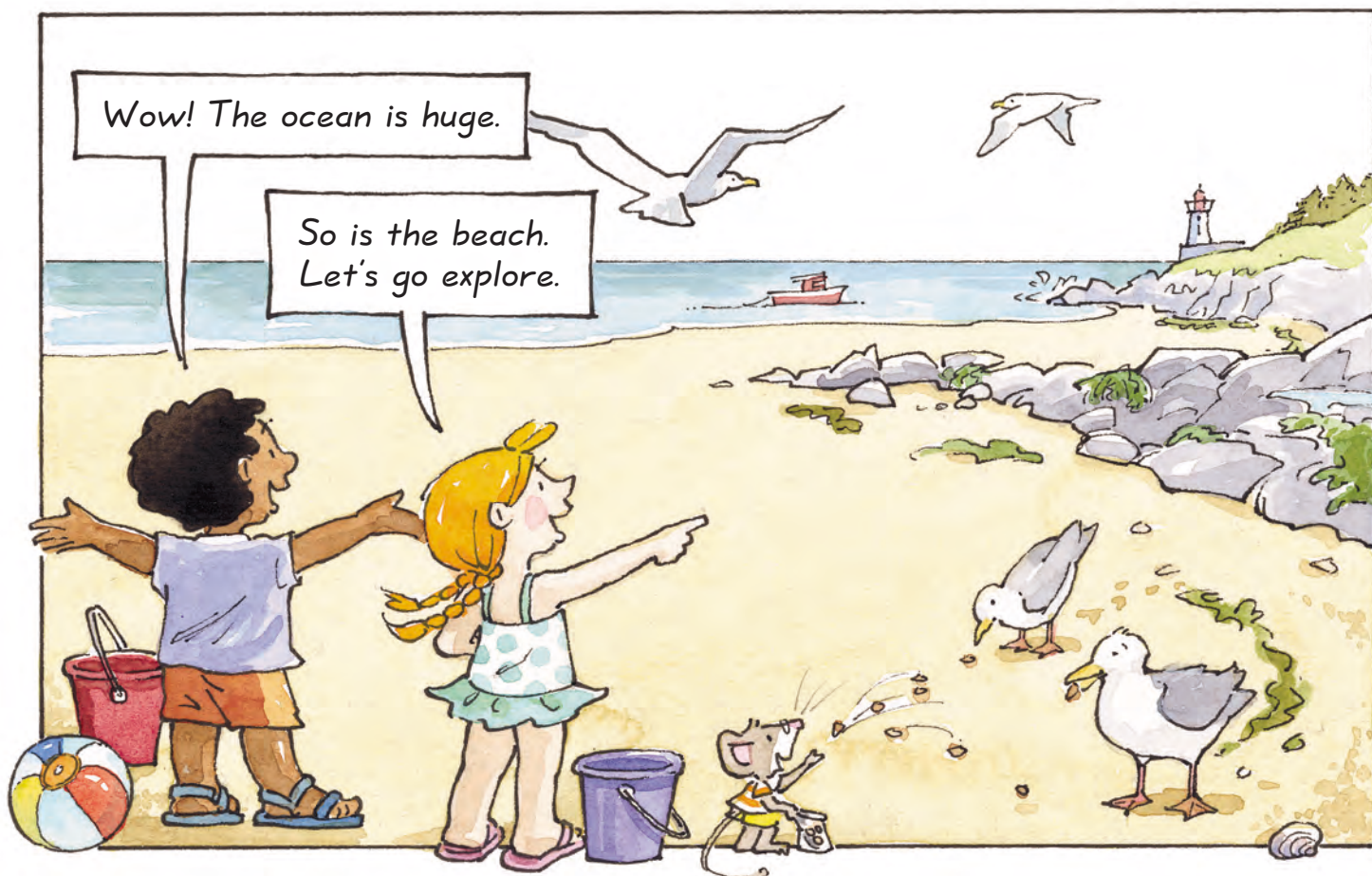
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Liz
(the sitter)



low tide





I like to look in the little puddles.

They're called tide pools. A bit of ocean gets left behind when the tide goes out.

I found some snails in this one. They're stuck to the rocks.



These sea stars are sticking to the rocks, too.

I didn't know they came in so many different colors.

If they don't hold on tight, they'll get washed out to sea when the tide goes out.



What's this spiky ball?

A sea urchin. Careful! Its spikes can be sharp.



Amy, come see what I found!



Ooh! A mermaid's purse.

Mermaid?

Did you lose your purse?



That's just what people call them. It's really an egg case. Out in the ocean a baby fish called a skate hatched from it.

And then the tide washed it onto this beach.



Ocean tides and currents can carry things all over the world.

Because the oceans are all connected, right?

