

Otis the Otter's Tablet Adventure



Otis' 6th Birthday



Otis the Otter's 6th birthday was coming soon. Mama Odelia asked Otis what he would like for his present.



I want a tablet! My best friend has one. It looks so fun!

Okay, Papa and I will think about it.

That night, Mama Odelia and Papa Oliver discussed Otis' birthday present.



Otis is still little. What if he sees bad things online? What if he plays for too long?

But Mama Odelia was a teacher. She knew children had to be taught from a young age.



Otis is still small, but it's a good time to teach him how to be safe online.

You're right...

The next day, they bought Otis' present.
Mama Odelia hid it under Otis' bed.

Hehe! He has no idea!



It was Otis' birthday. He was surprised with a giant chocolate cake.

Wow! This looks so yummy!



After cutting the cake, it was time to open his present. He was very excited.

I hope it's a tablet!



When Otis opened his eyes, it really was a tablet! He couldn't wait to play with it.



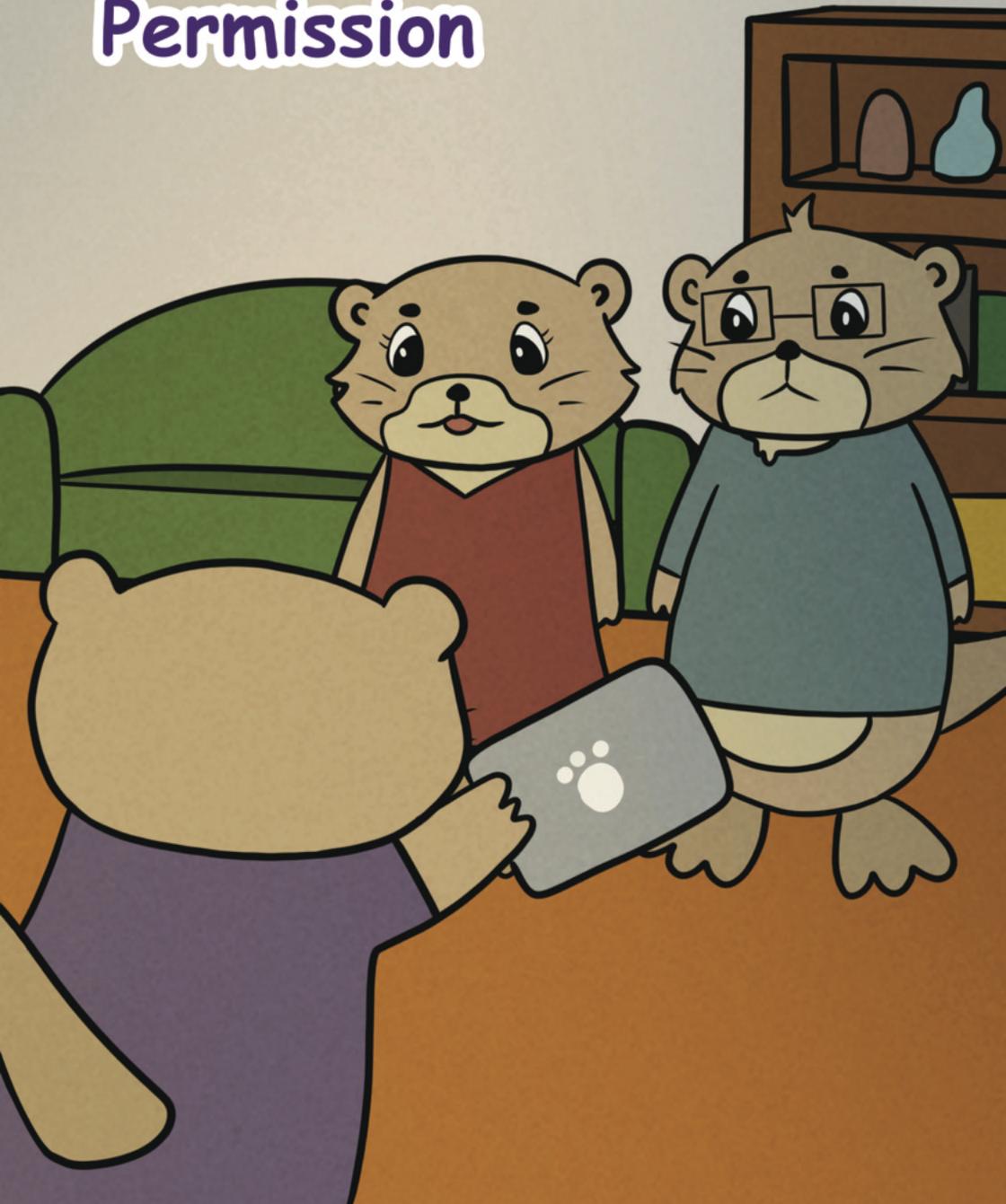
Yay! I'm so happy!

Otis ran to Mama Odelia and Papa Oliver.
He gave them a big hug.

Thank you Mama and
Papa! This is the best
birthday ever!



Story 1: Seeking Permission



Otis the Otter was very happy. It was his birthday, and he got a new tablet!

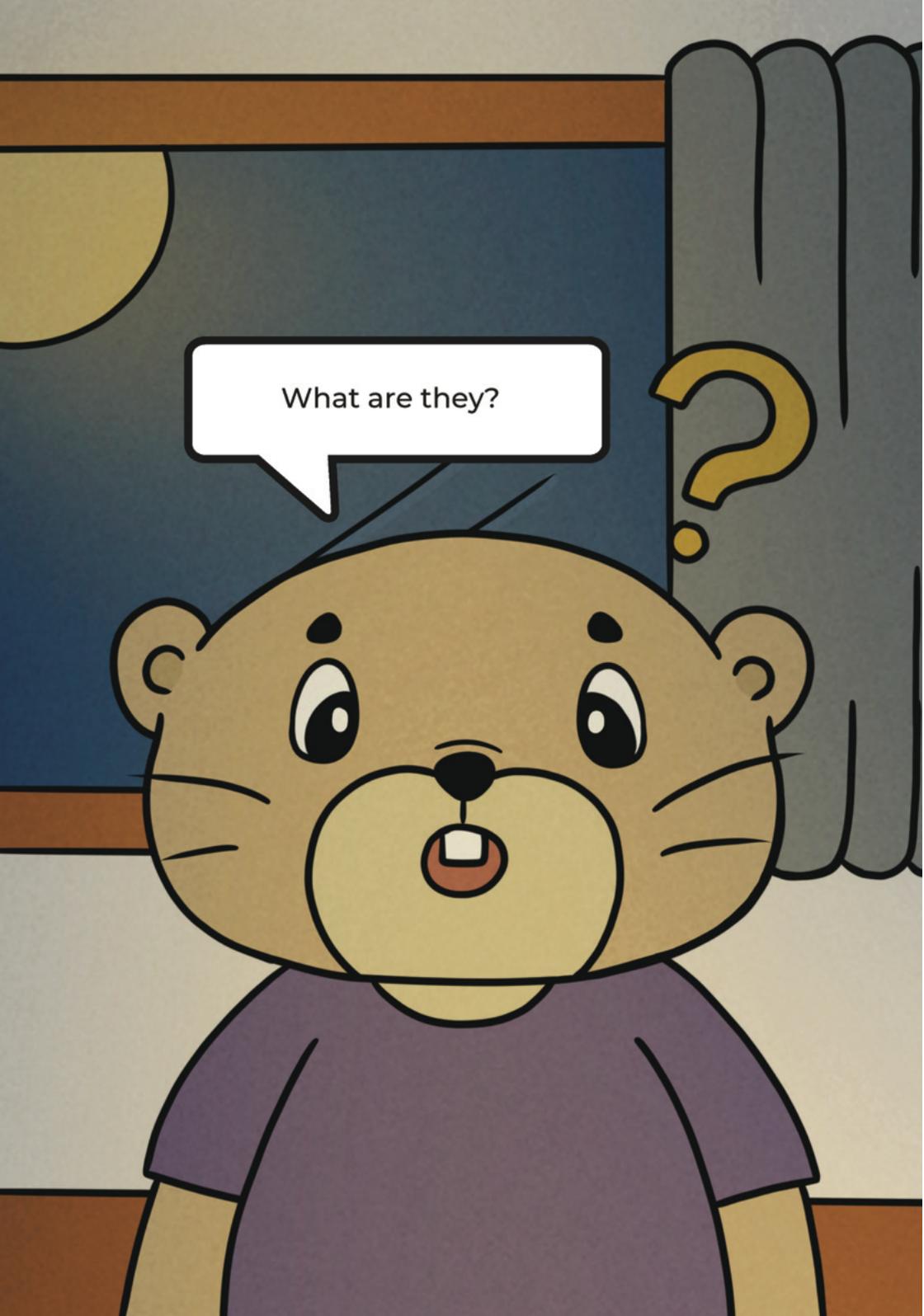


Thank you Mama and Papa! This is the best birthday ever!



Yes Otis. But remember, there are some rules you will need to follow to keep yourself safe.

Because there are things on the tablet that are not good for you.

A cartoon illustration of a brown bear with a surprised expression, wide eyes, and an open mouth. The bear is wearing a purple t-shirt. Above its head is a white speech bubble containing the text "What are they?". To the right of the bear's head is a large yellow question mark. The background features a dark blue window with a yellow sun or moon partially visible on the left, and grey curtains on the right. The scene is set against a light beige wall with a brown horizontal trim line.

What are they?



If you see a pop-up or a video you don't know,
don't click on it.

Why?



There may be scary things online. You should always ask first.

Okay, I will ask before I click.

Later, Otis was playing his favourite game. Suddenly, a big present popped up. It said "CLICK FOR A SURPRISE!" Otis loved surprises.



He reached out to tap the present... Then he remembered, "Ask first!"



He ran to the living room.

Mama, Papa! There's
a surprise button,
should I click it?





This is an ad! You should not click on it.

Good job asking, Otis!

I didn't click it! I remembered the rule!





That's my boy!
Remember to always...



ASK FIRST!

Story 2: Family Tech Agreement





Can I bring my tablet to dinner later?

A cartoon illustration of two bears. The bear on the left is a female with long eyelashes, wearing a red dress with a scalloped hem. The bear on the right is a male wearing a purple t-shirt and holding a grey tablet with a white paw print on it. They are standing in front of a window with a view of a green landscape and white clouds. A speech bubble points from the female bear to the text.

During dinnertime, we should keep our screens away.

A cartoon illustration of a brown bear wearing a purple t-shirt. The bear is holding a grey tablet with a white paw print on it. The bear has a questioning expression, with wide eyes and a slightly open mouth. A speech bubble above the bear contains the text "But why?". The background shows a simple outdoor scene with a green sky, white clouds, and a brown ground surface.

But why?



Dinnertime is family time. That's why we made a Family Tech Agreement.

You'll learn how to use your tablet the right way, at the right time.

FAMILY TECH AGREEMENT

1. No screens during meals
2. No screens one hour before bedtime
3. Ask for permission before using the tablet
4. Otis gets less than 1 hour of screen time a day
5. Adults follow the rules too

-Papa and Mama



Wait, grown-ups have to follow it too?



We're a team, Otis. These rules help all of us have more family time together.

And they help you grow up healthy and safe, both online and offline.



Okay, I got it!

Otis, Mama Odelia and Papa Oliver placed the Family Tech Agreement on the fridge.



Story 3: Age- Appropriate Content



One sunny afternoon, Otis was out playing in the meadow.



Phew! I'm so tired from playing, can I watch my otter show?

Mama Odelia handed Otis his tablet.



Here, remember you have 30 minutes!

Okay, I got it!

Otis started watching his favourite show.

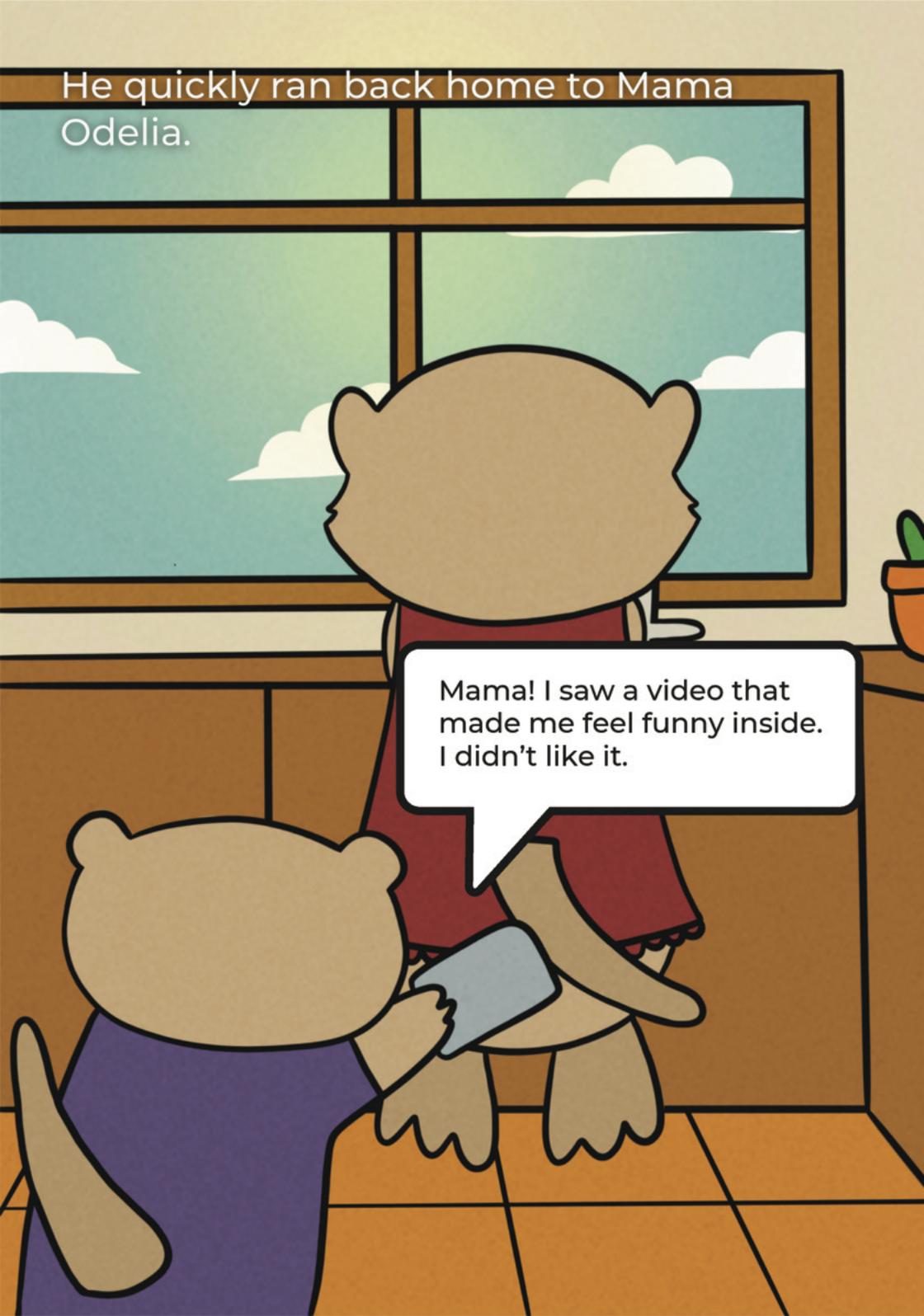
Haha, that was funny!



But soon, a new video popped up. The video had scary pictures and loud noises. Otis felt his tummy twist.



He quickly ran back home to Mama Odelia.



Mama! I saw a video that made me feel funny inside. I didn't like it.

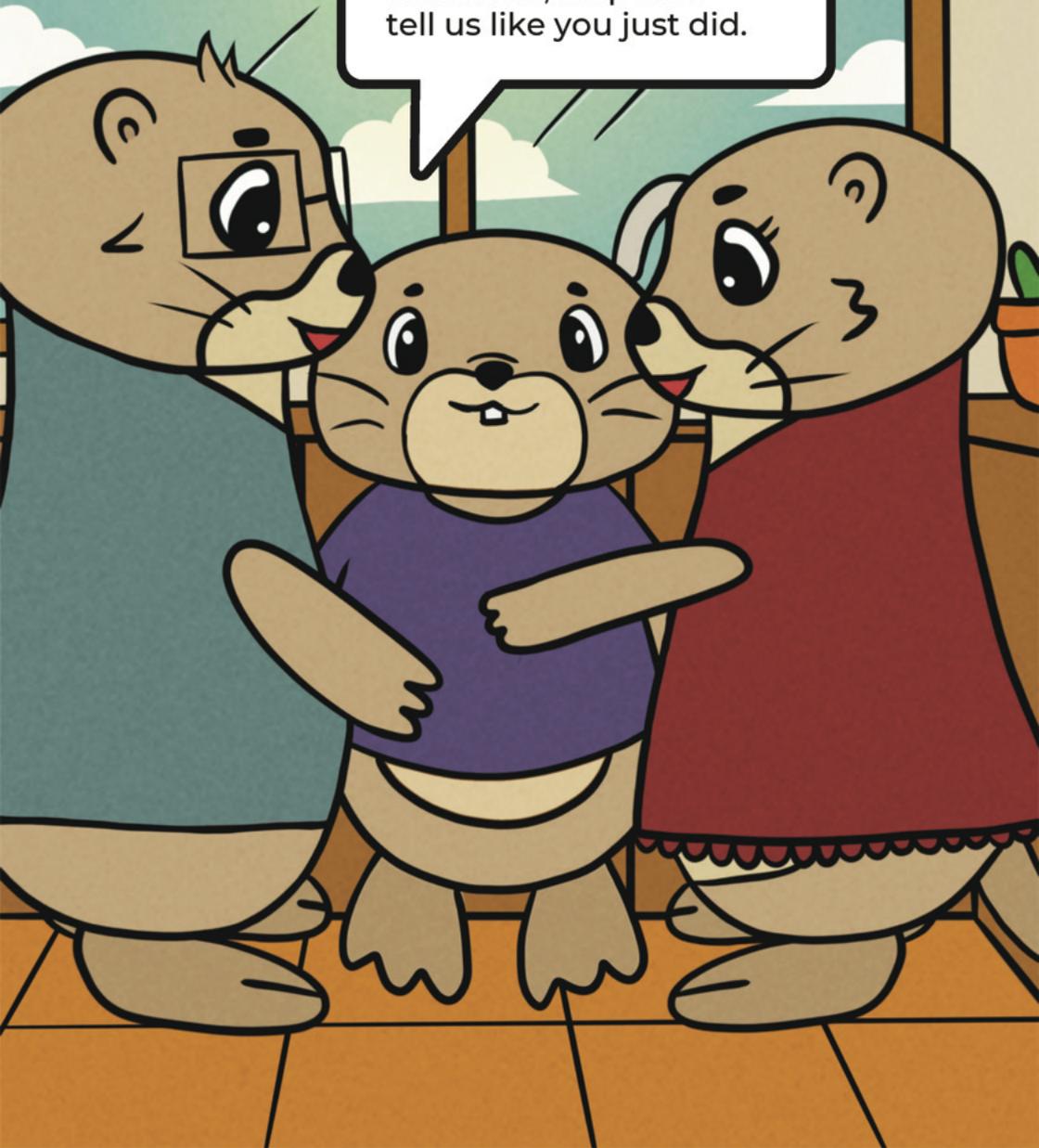
Mama Odelia hugged him.

Sometimes videos can look safe but aren't meant for little otters like you!



Papa Oliver overheard and joined in the hug.

You were very brave, Otis. Next time, stop and tell us like you just did.





Okay, I'll always remember
to stop, tell, and stay safe!



The End!