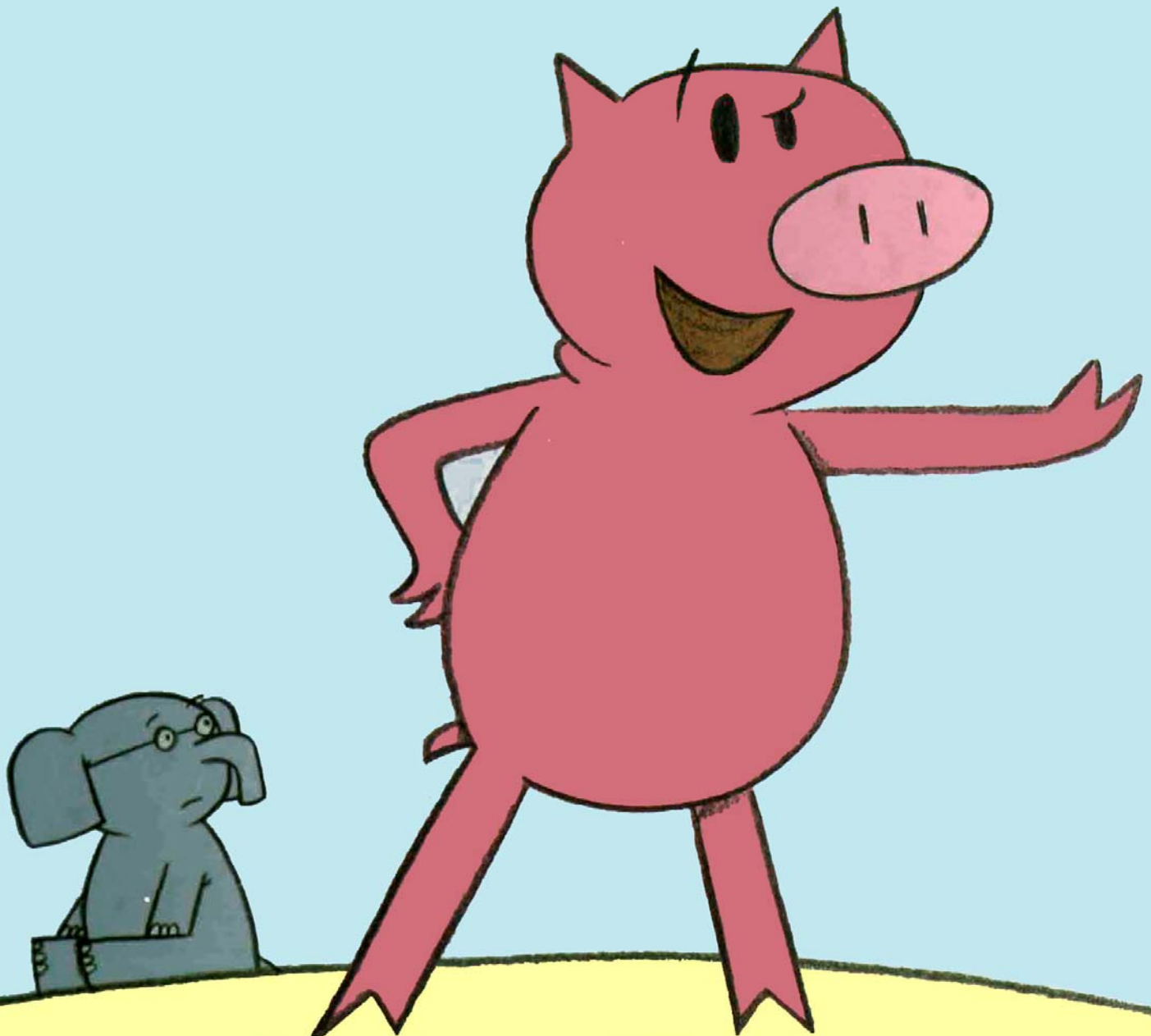


An **ELEPHANT & PIGGIE** Book

Today I Will Fly!



By **Mo Willems**

To my friend Alessandra

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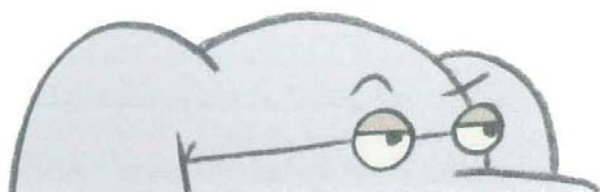
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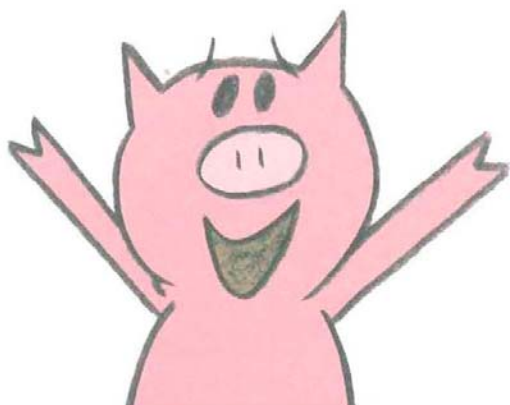
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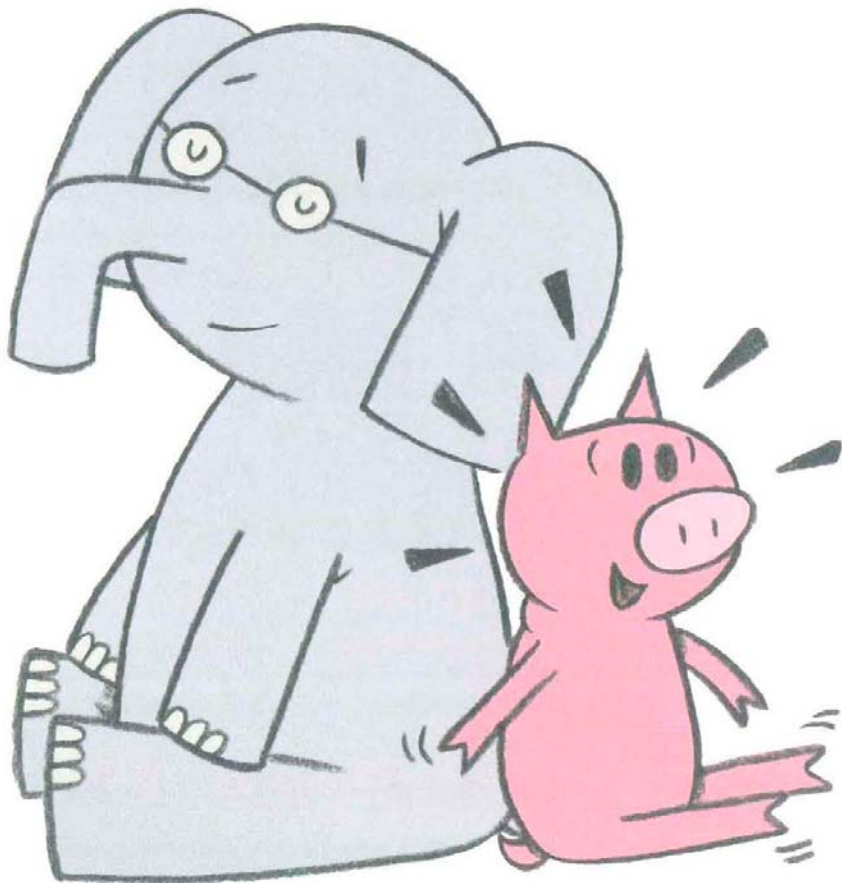


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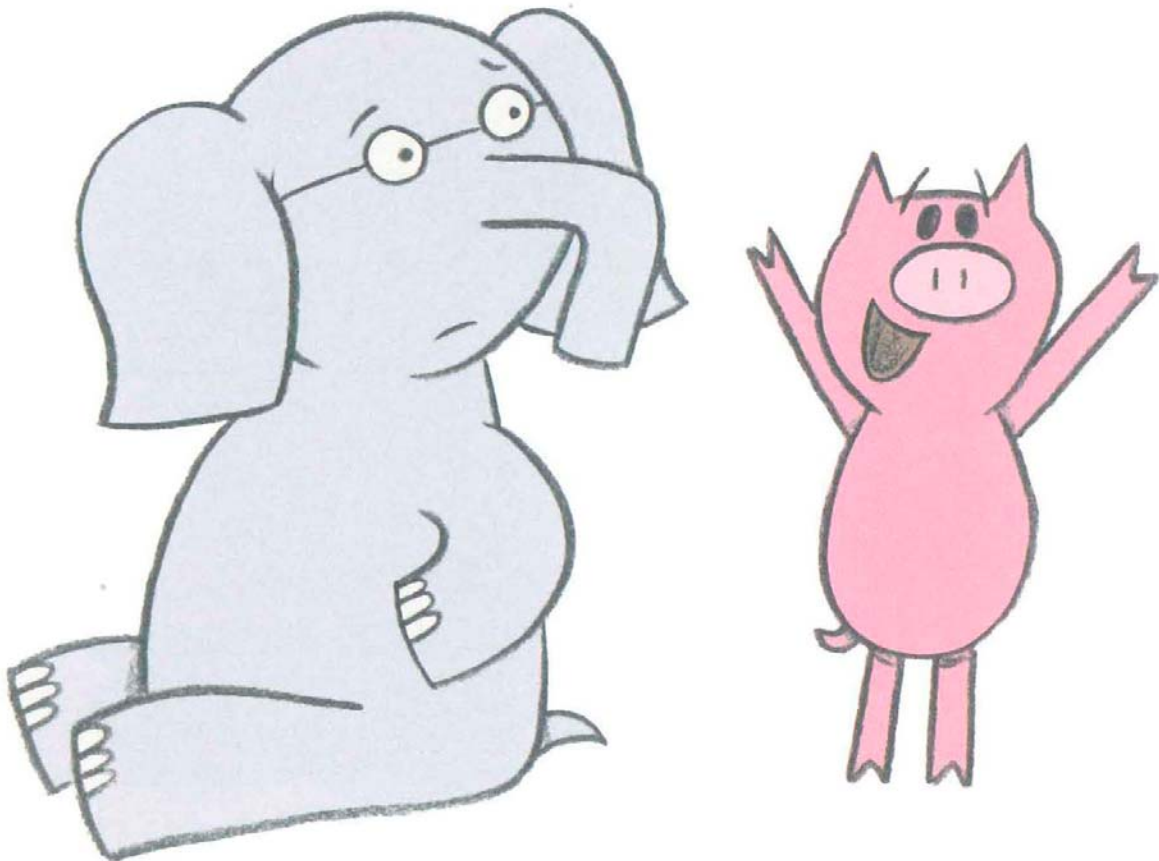
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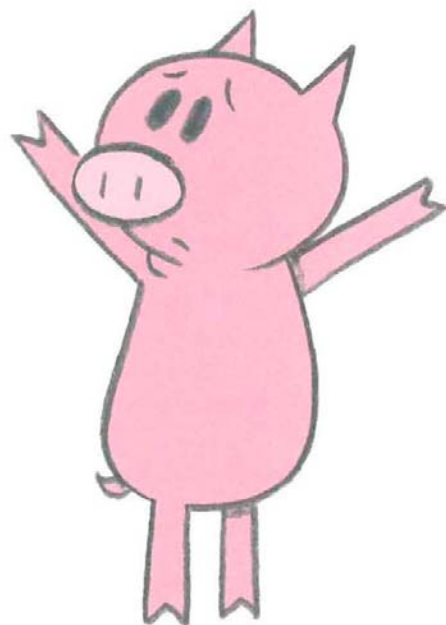
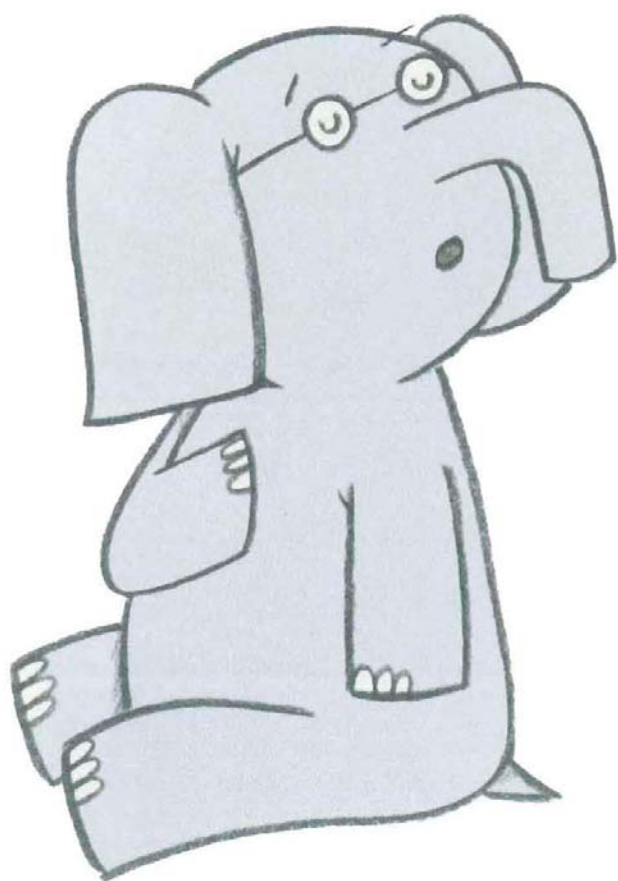
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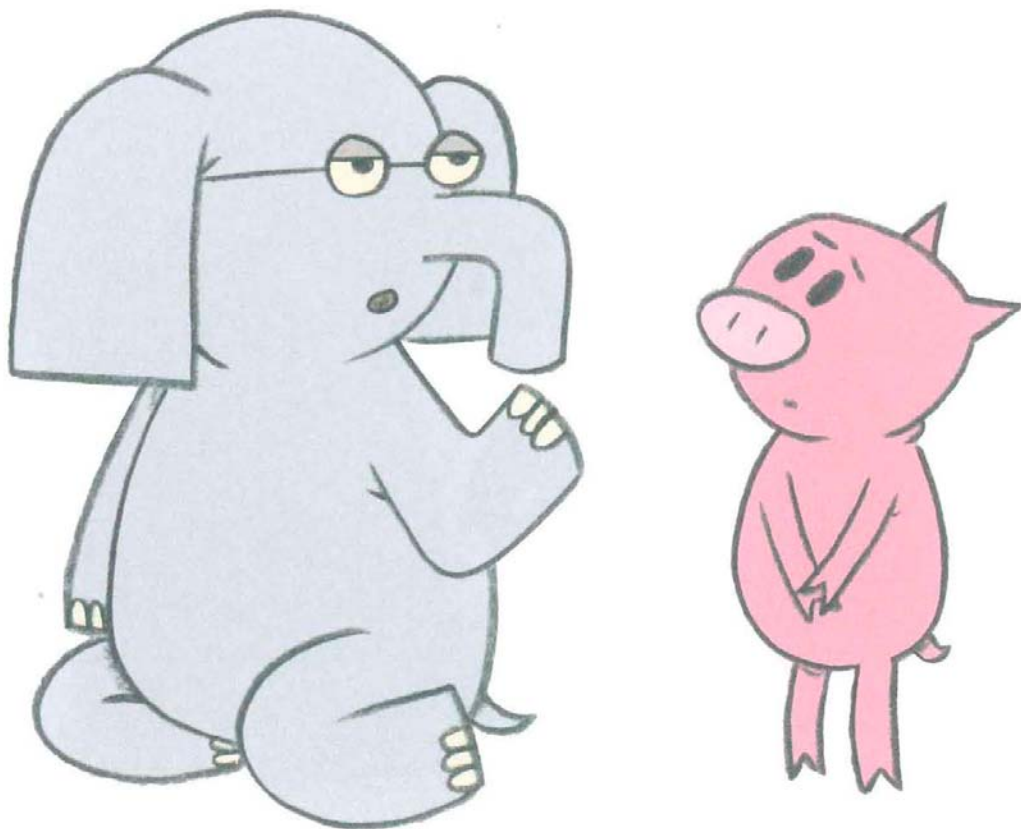
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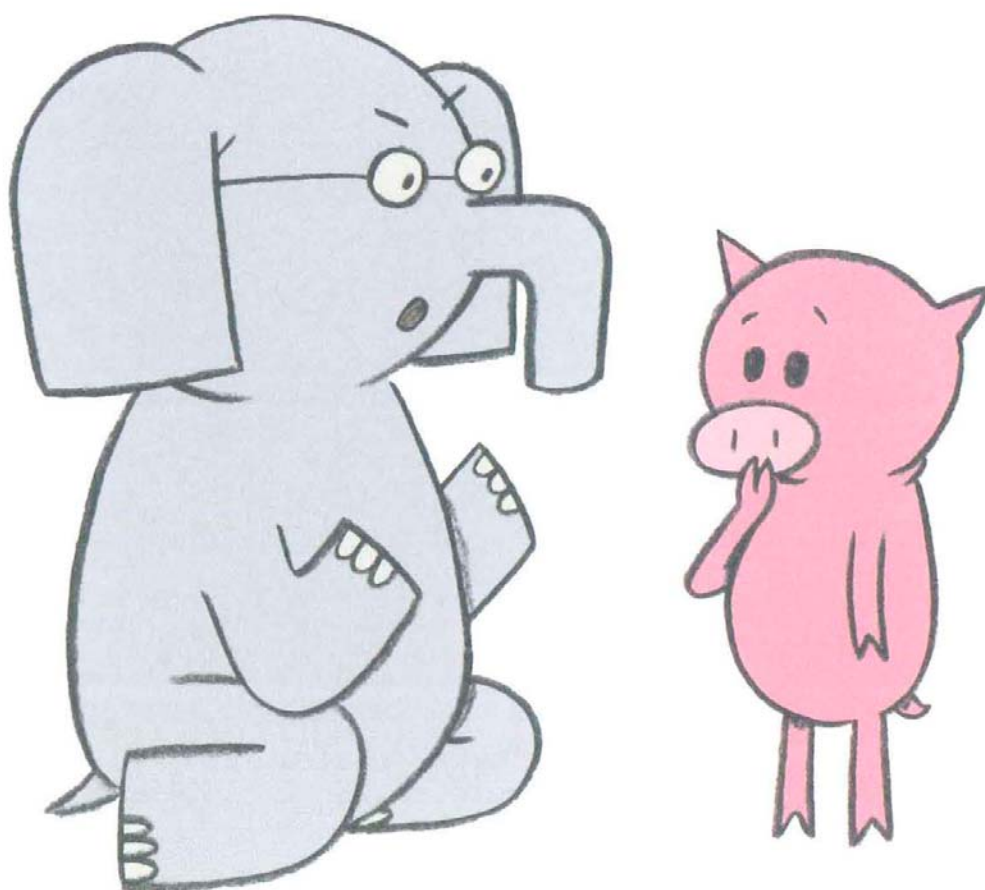
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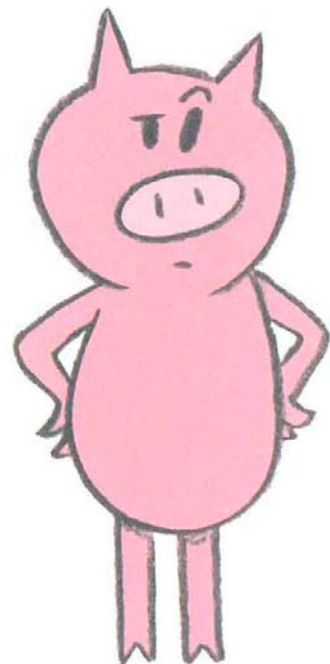
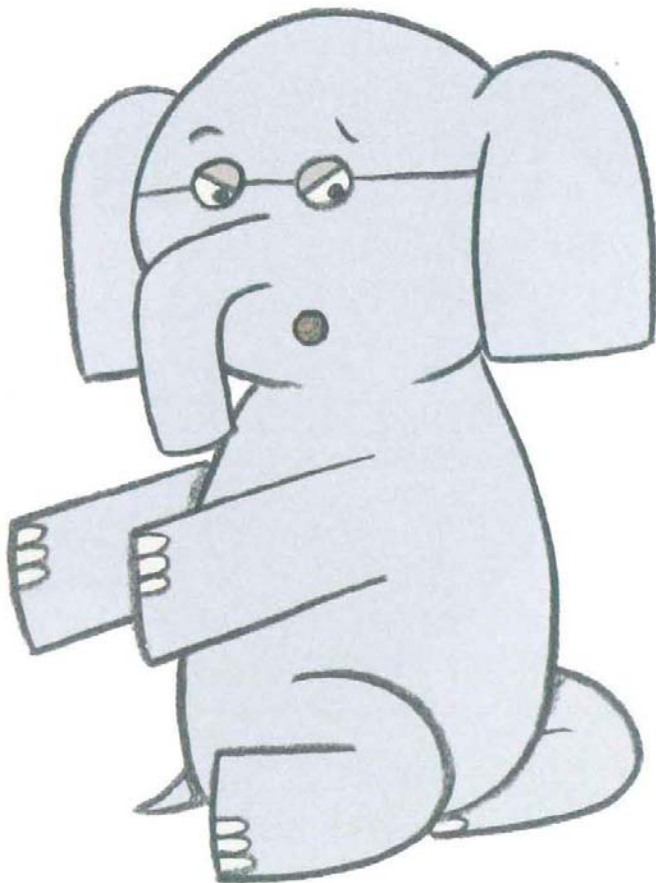
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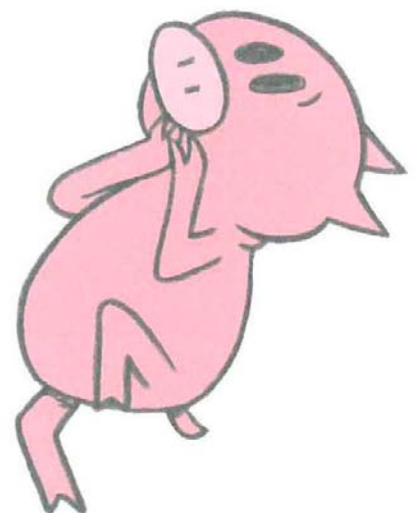
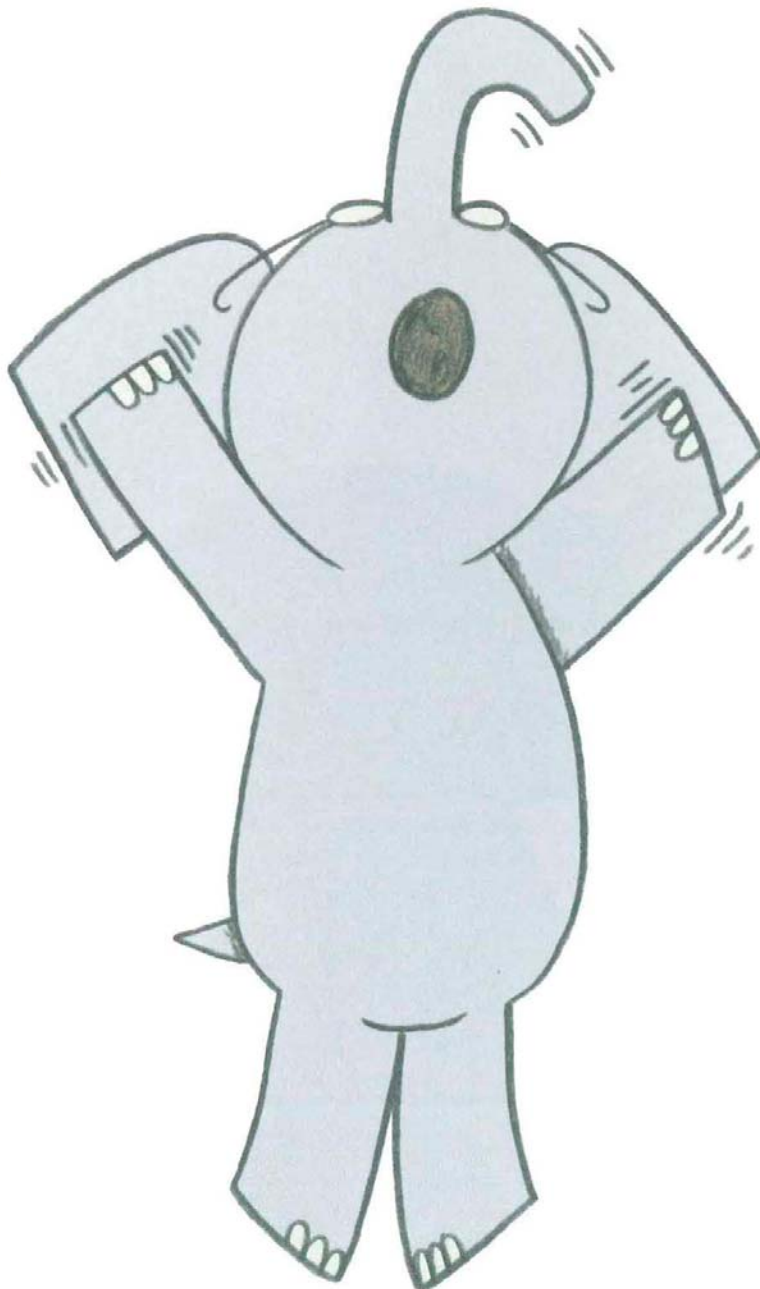
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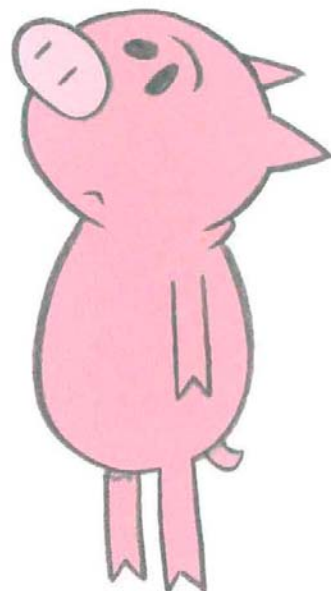
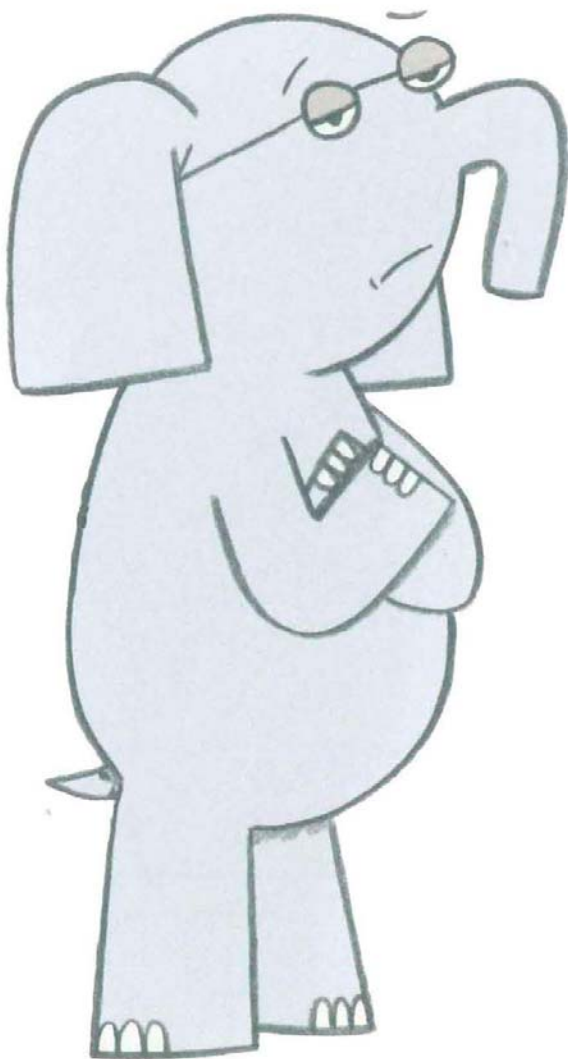


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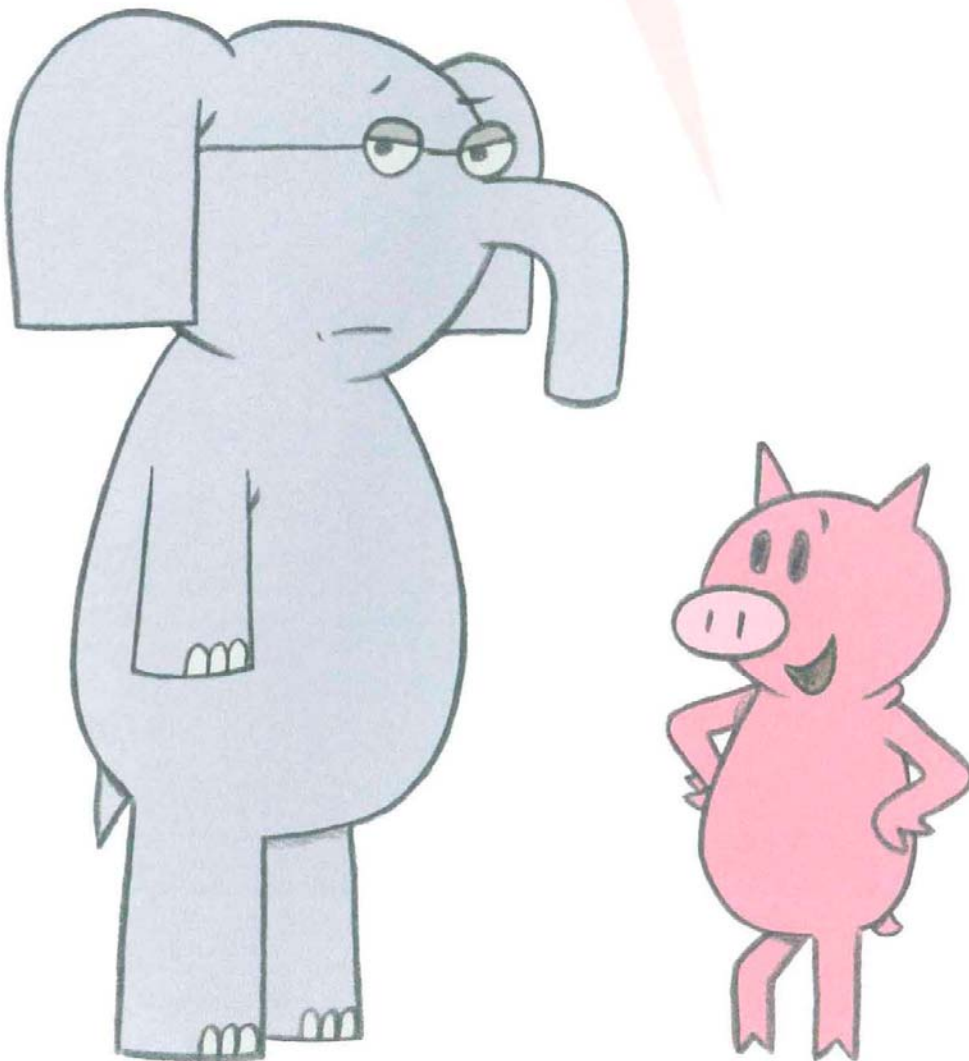


**YOU WILL
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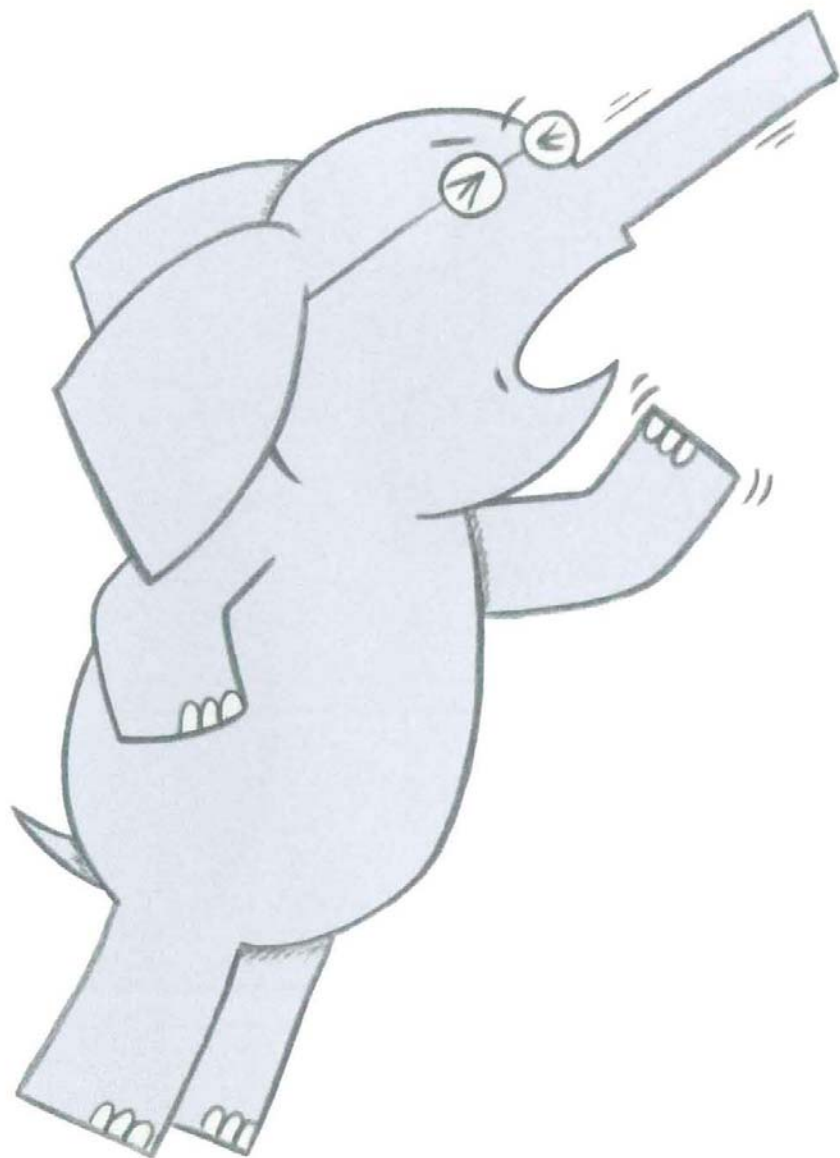
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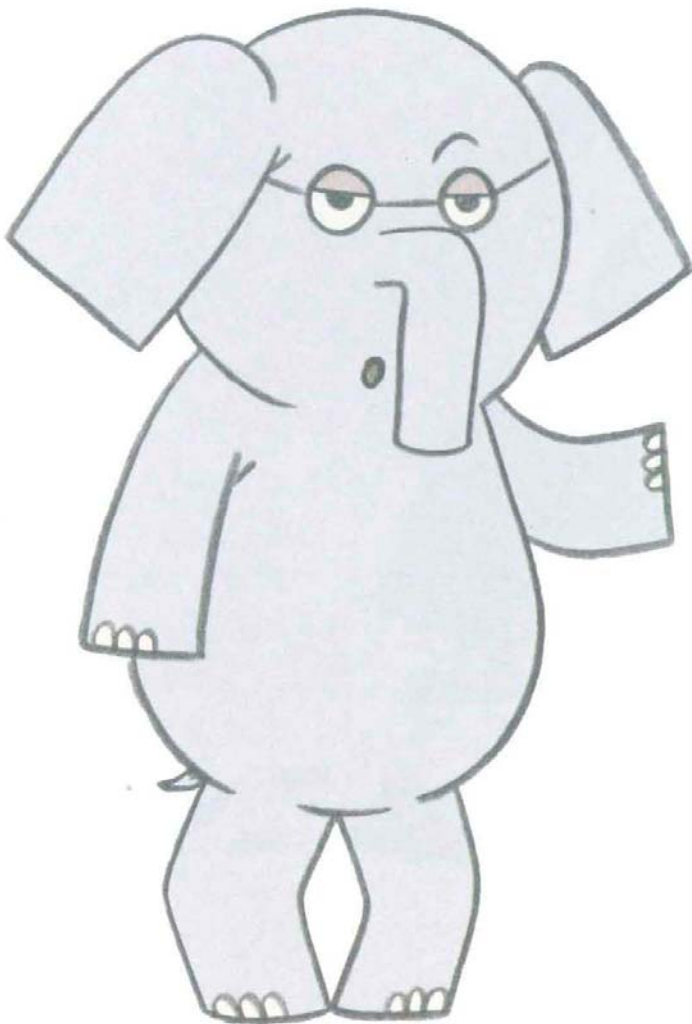
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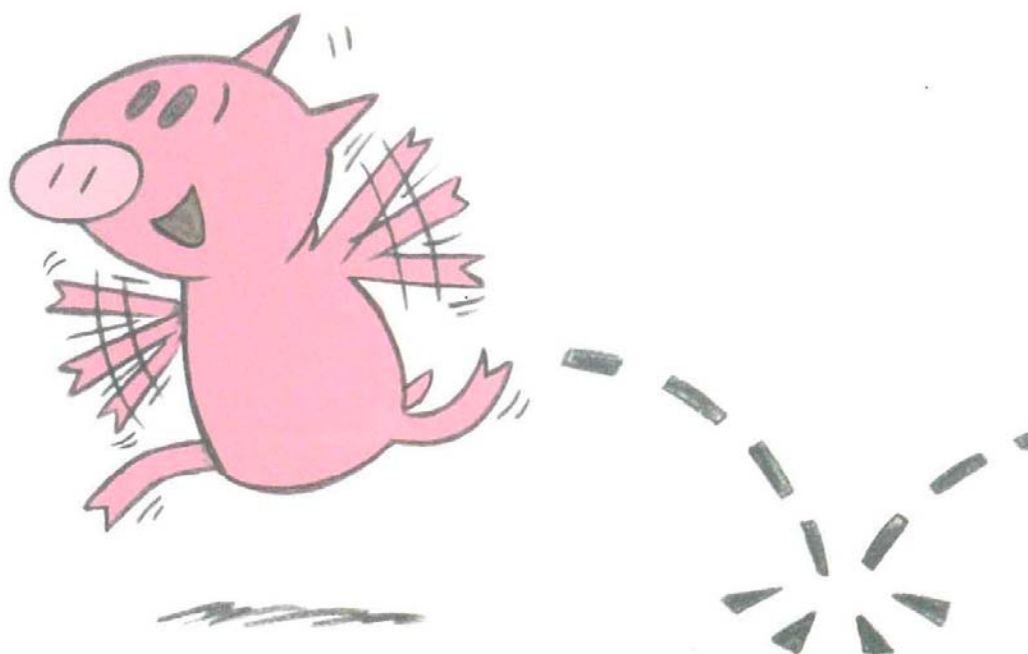
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She will not fly.



Fly, fly, fly, fly, fly



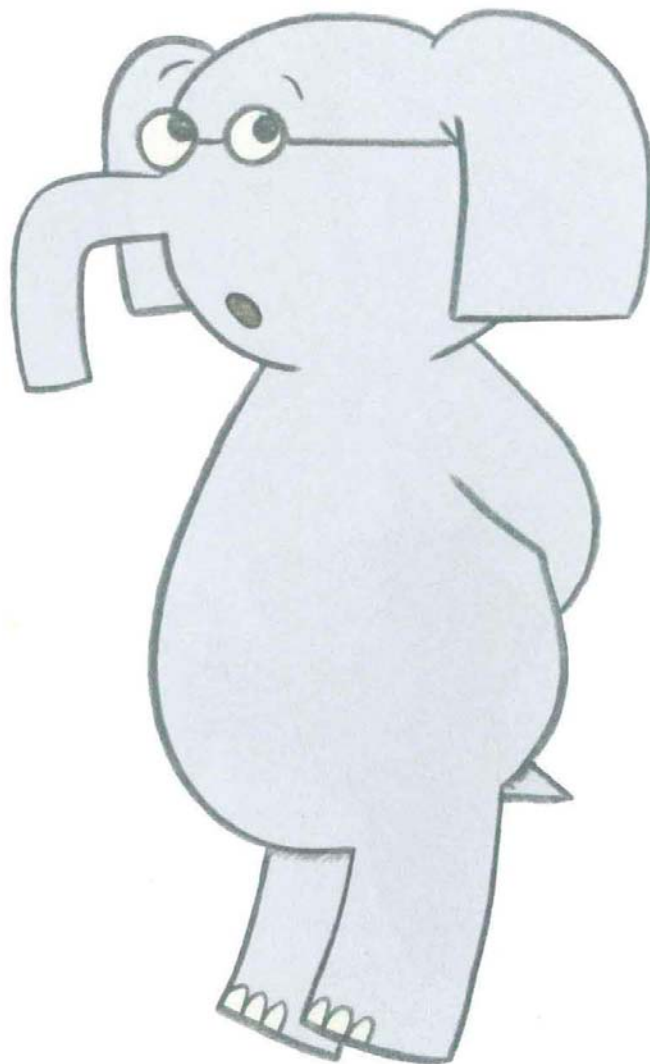
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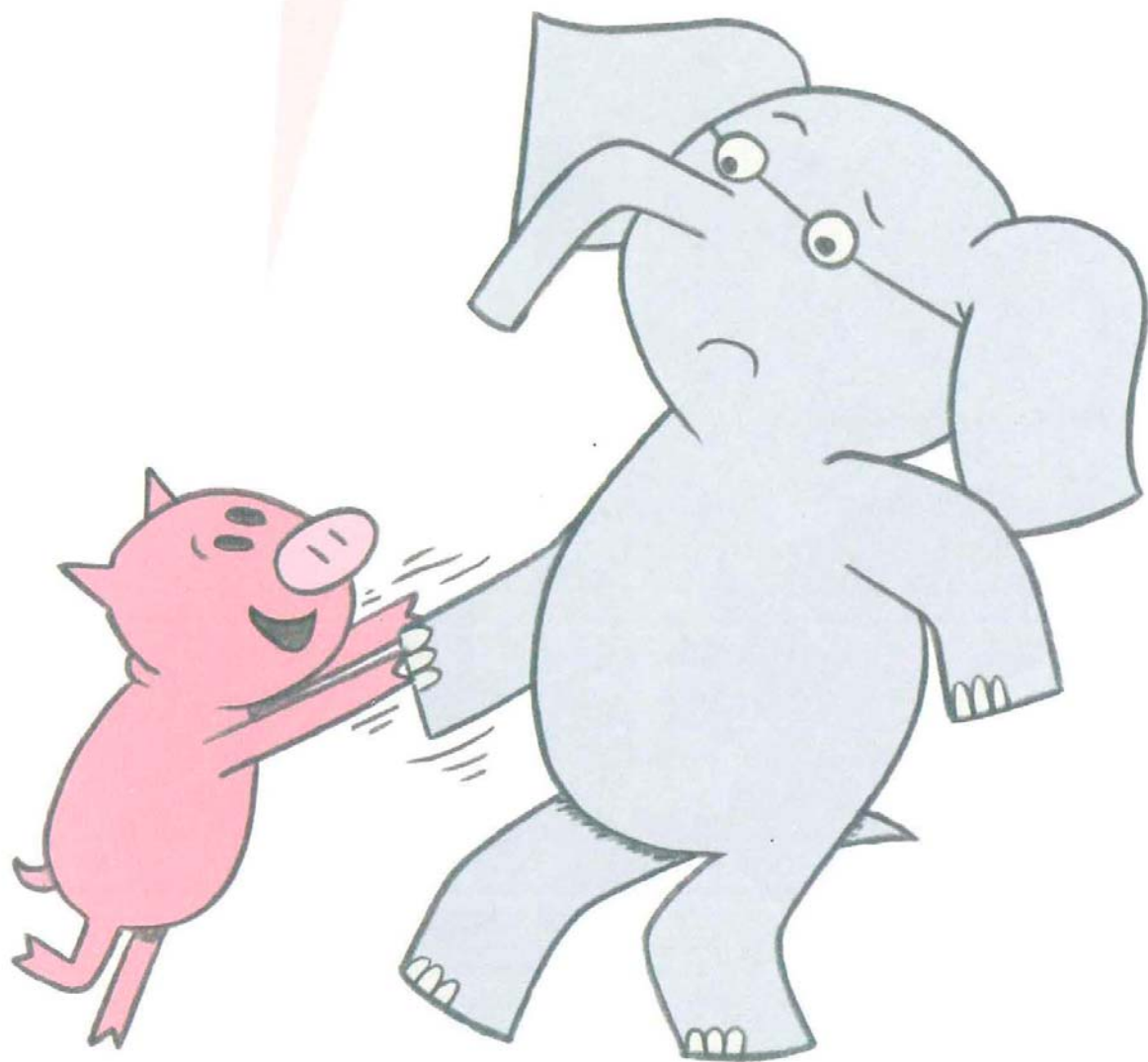
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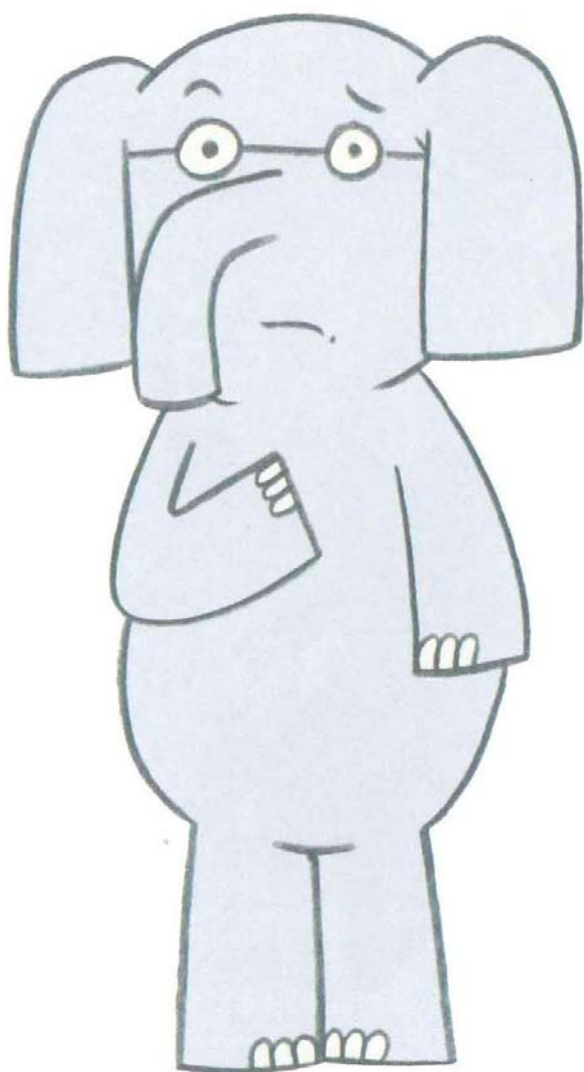
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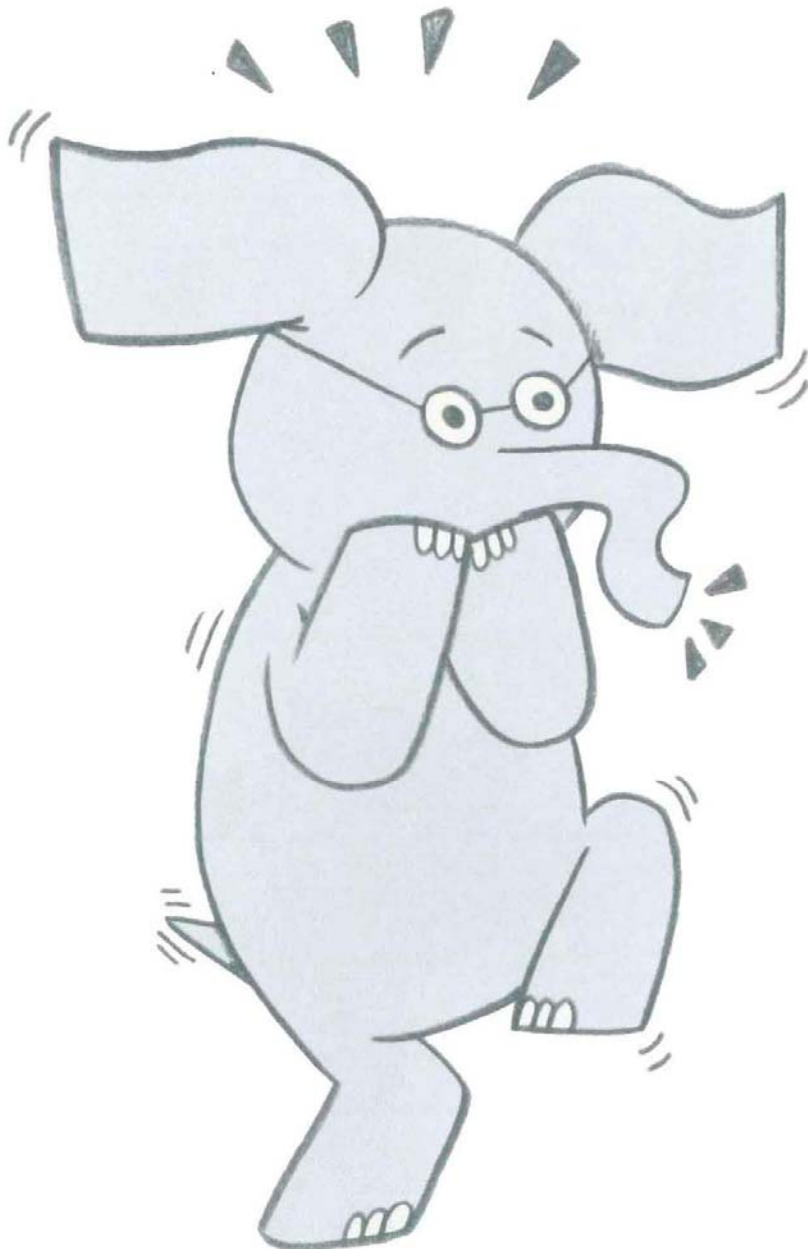


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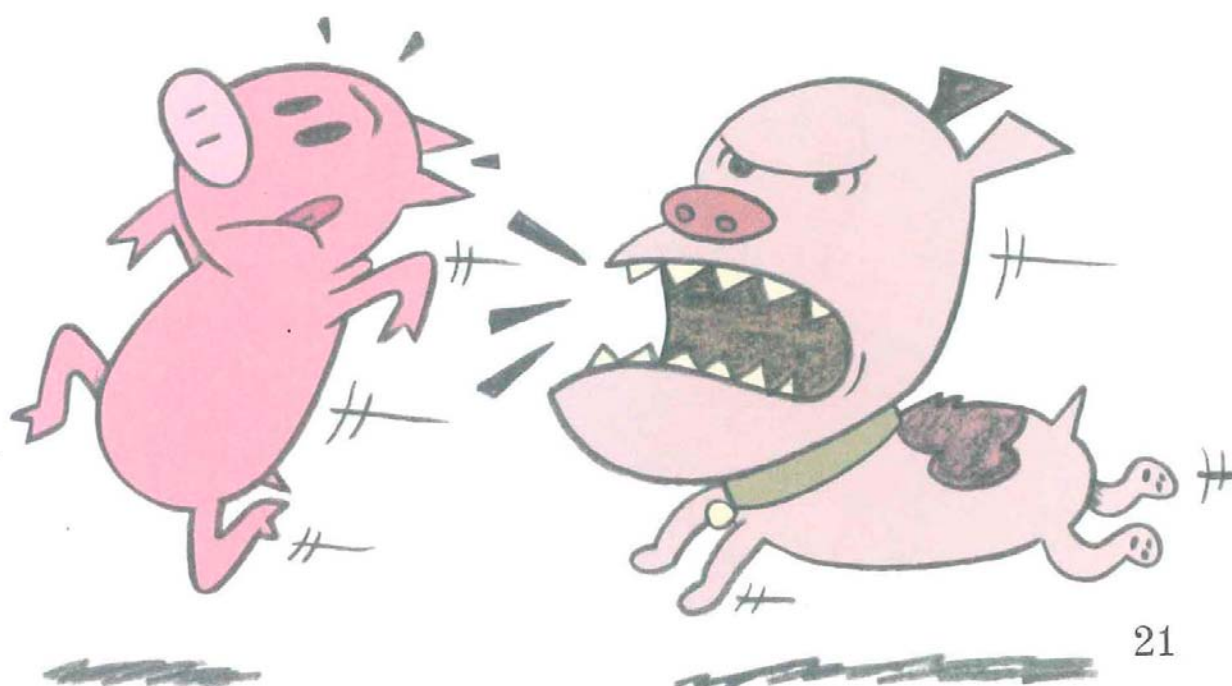


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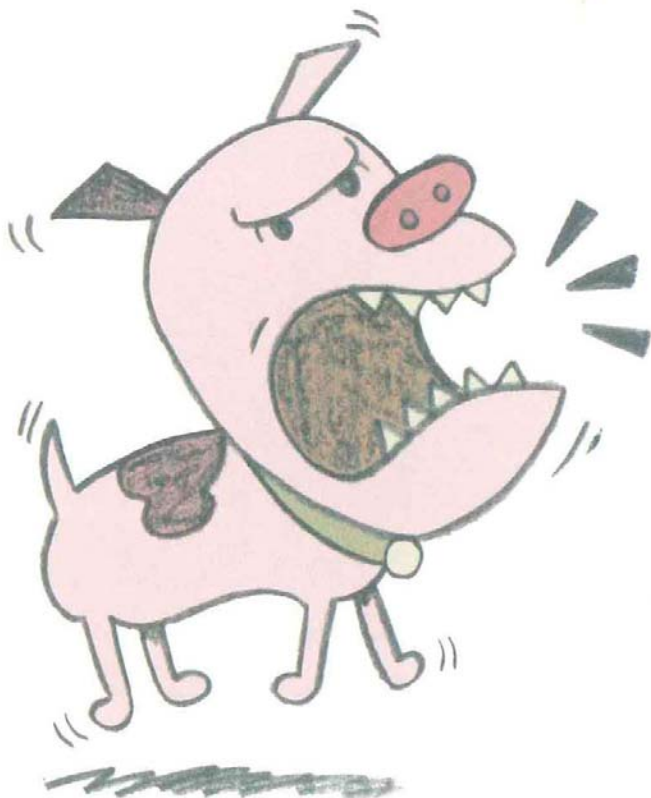


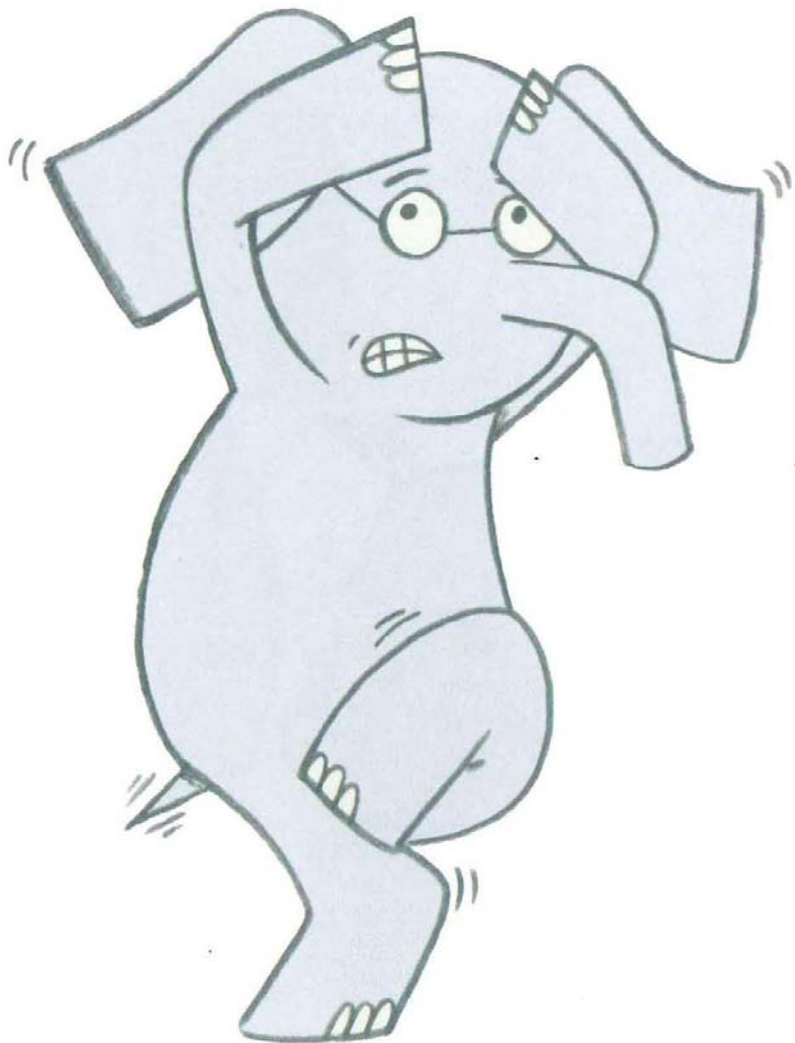
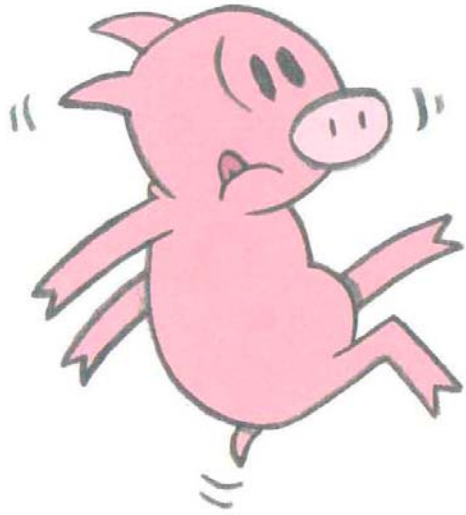


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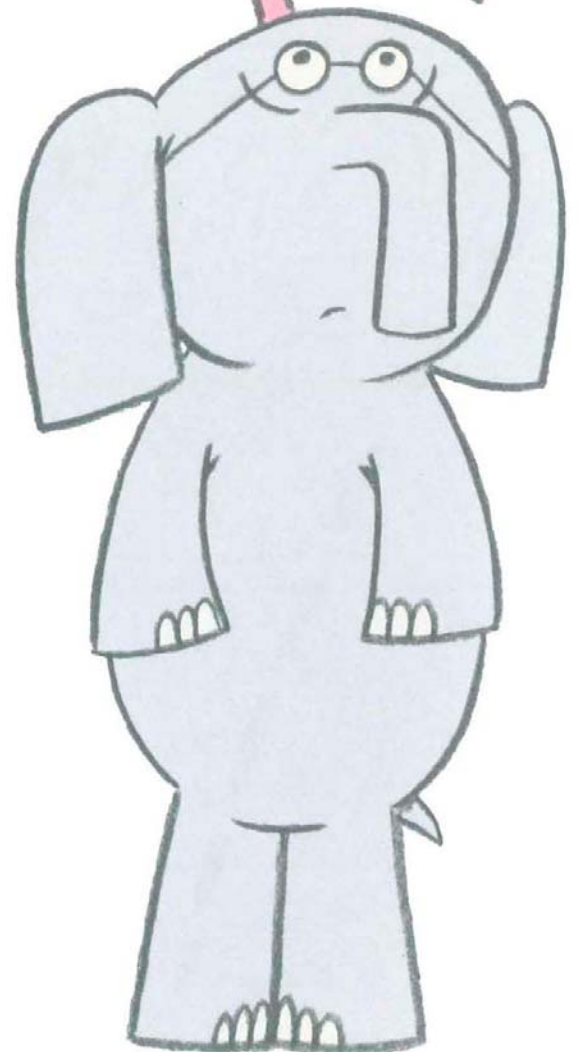
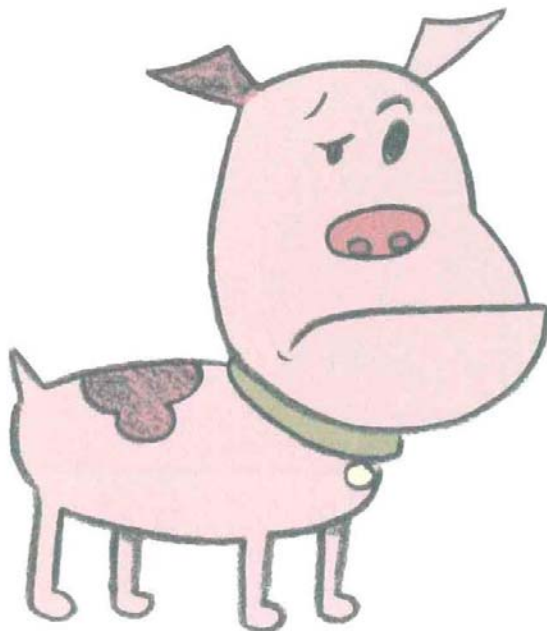
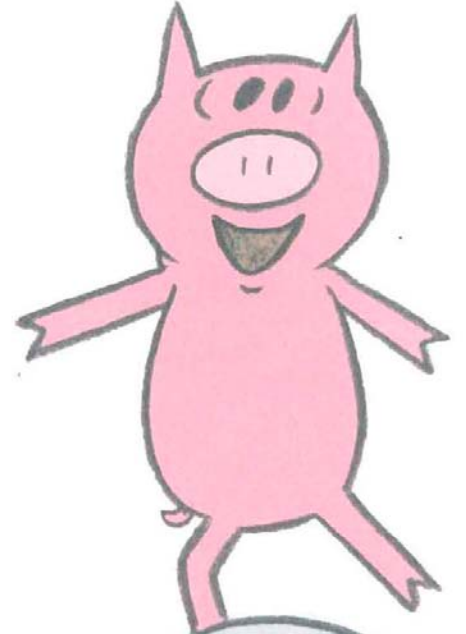


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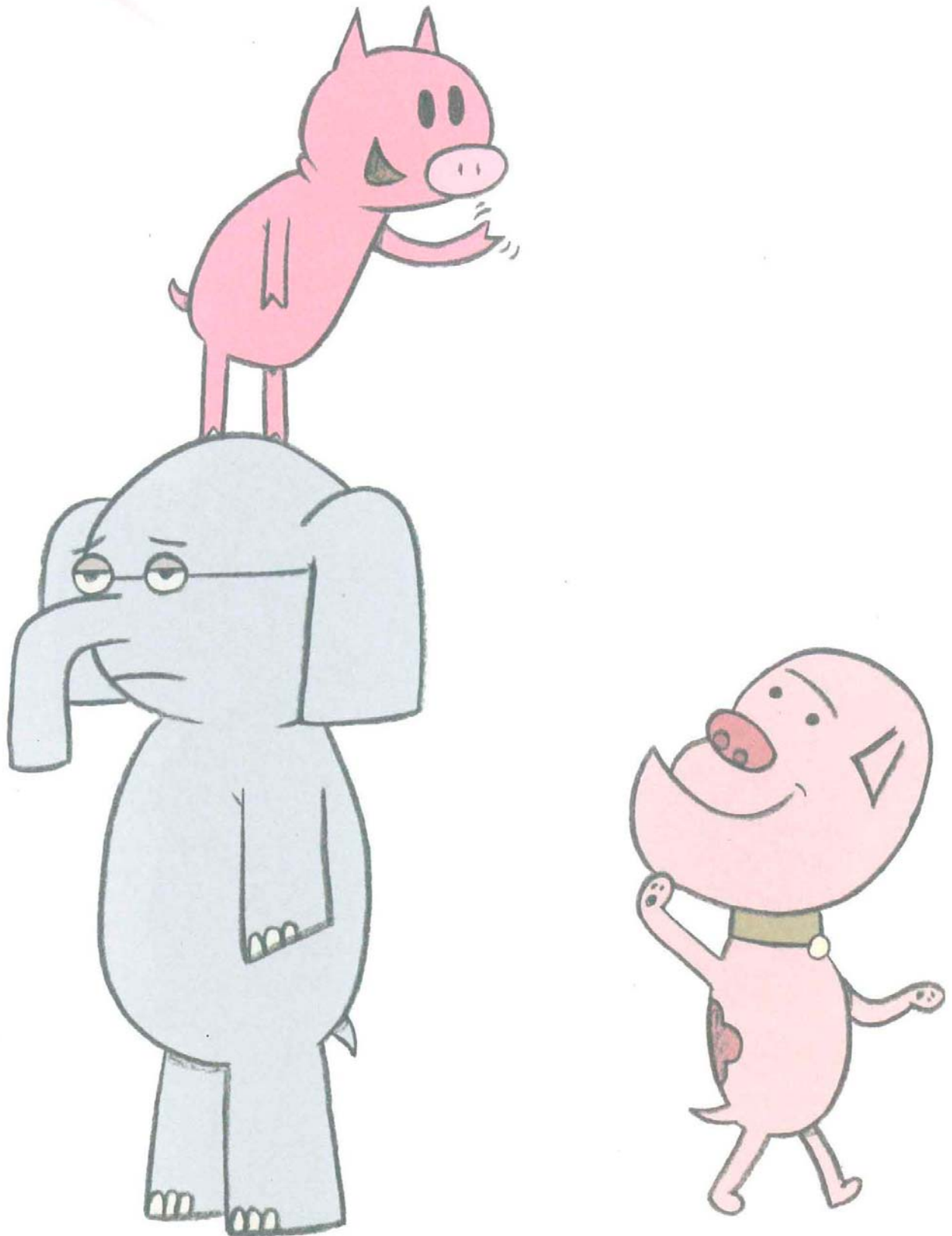




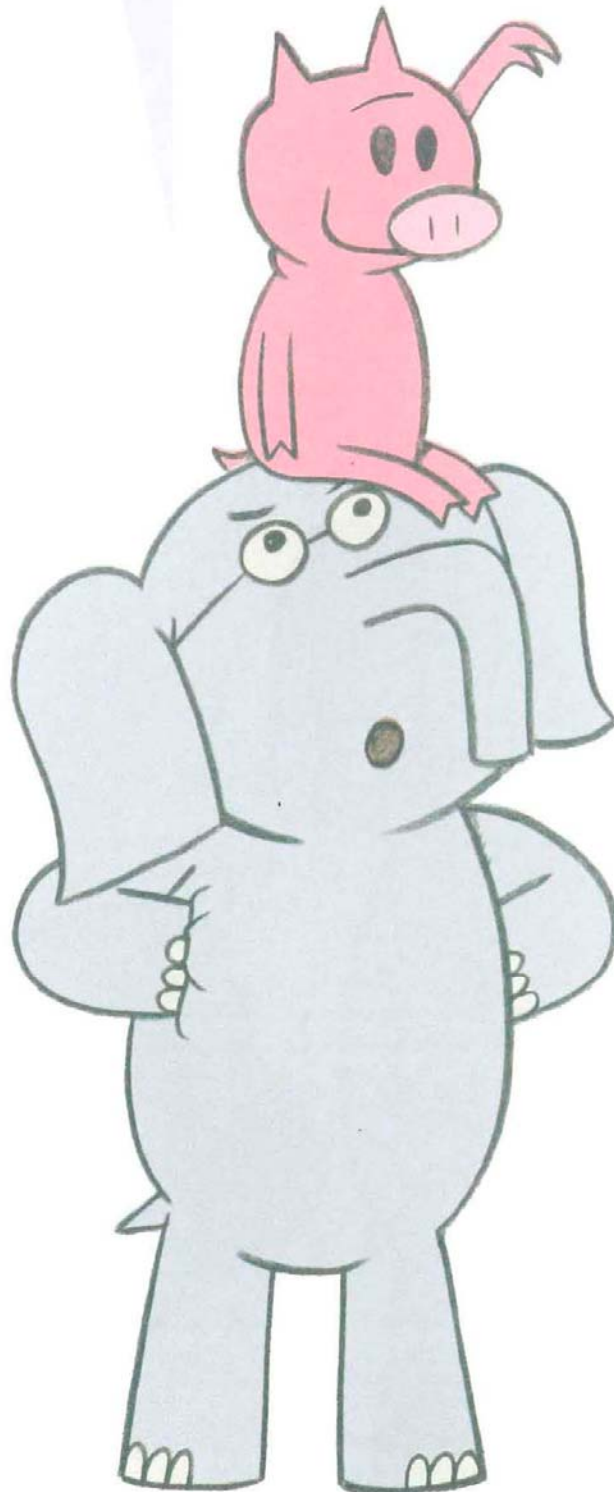
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I flew!



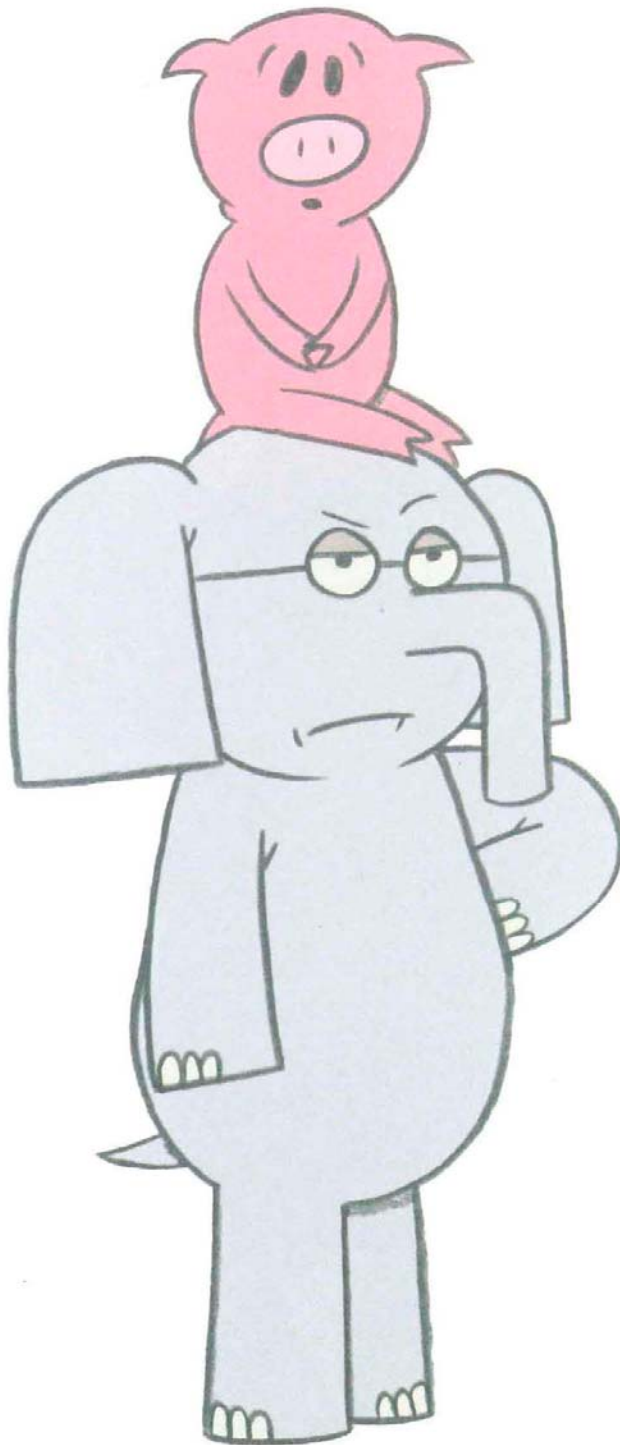
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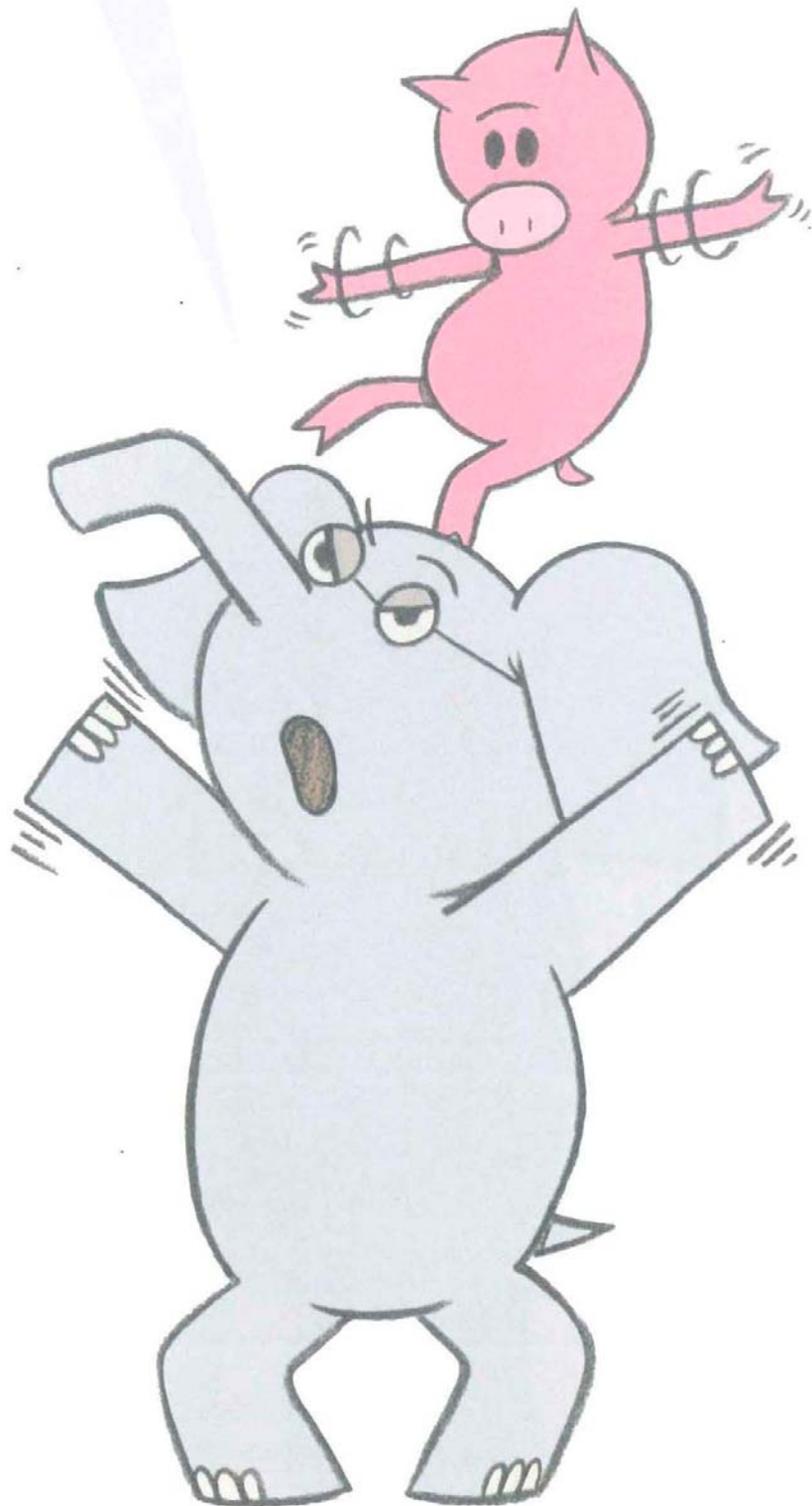
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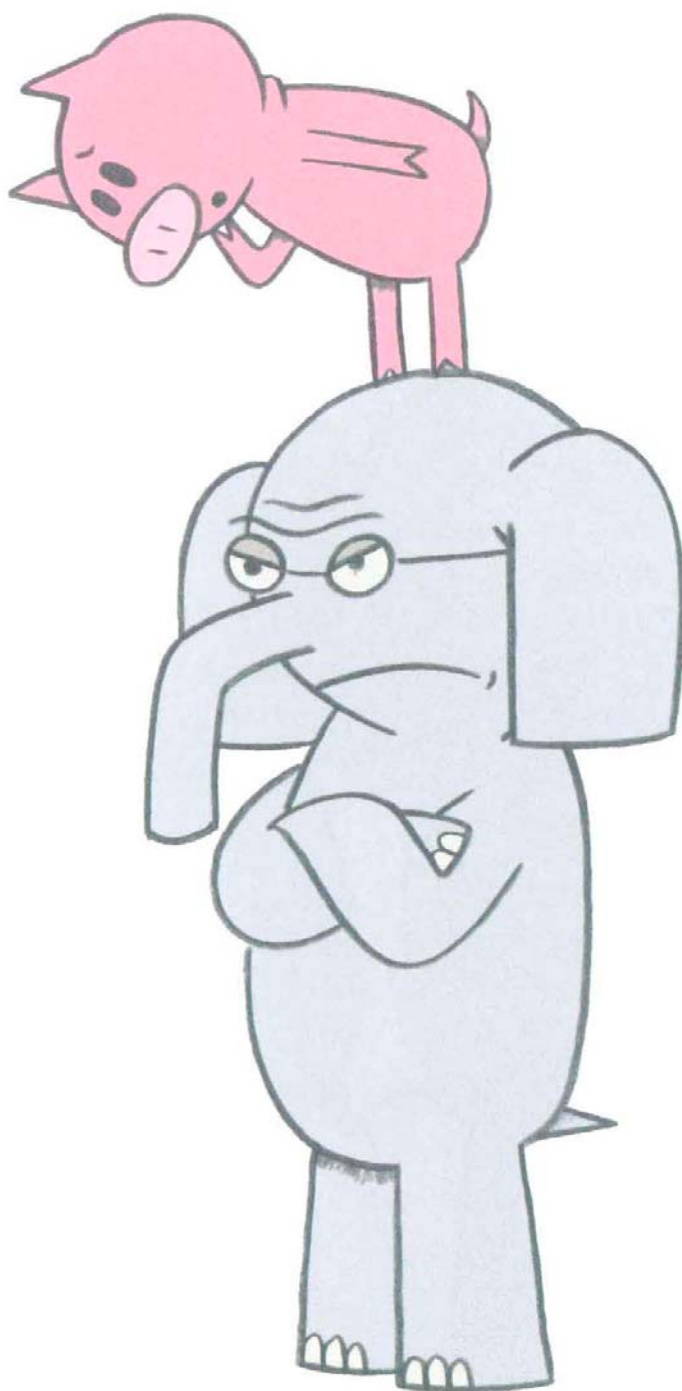
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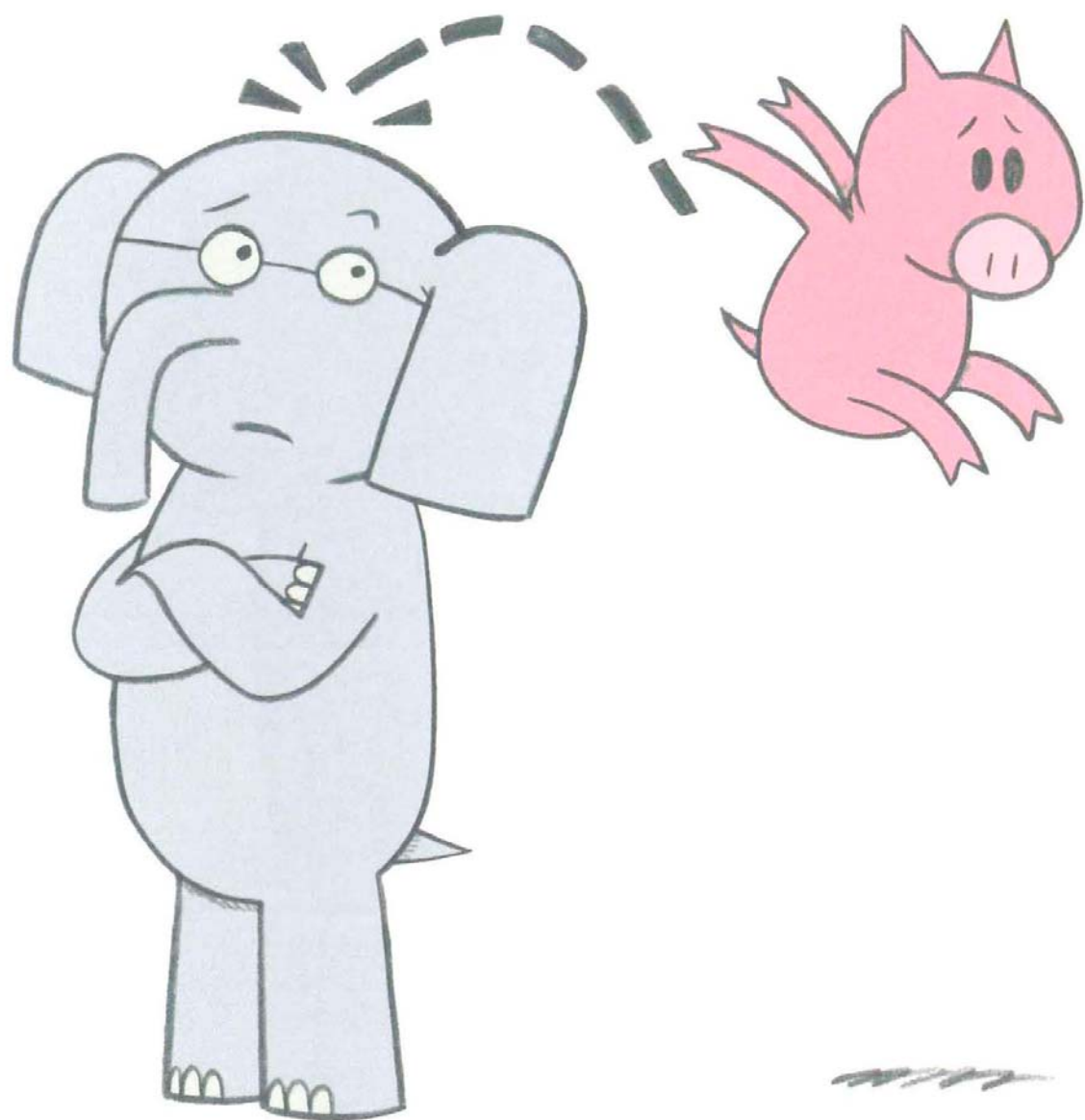


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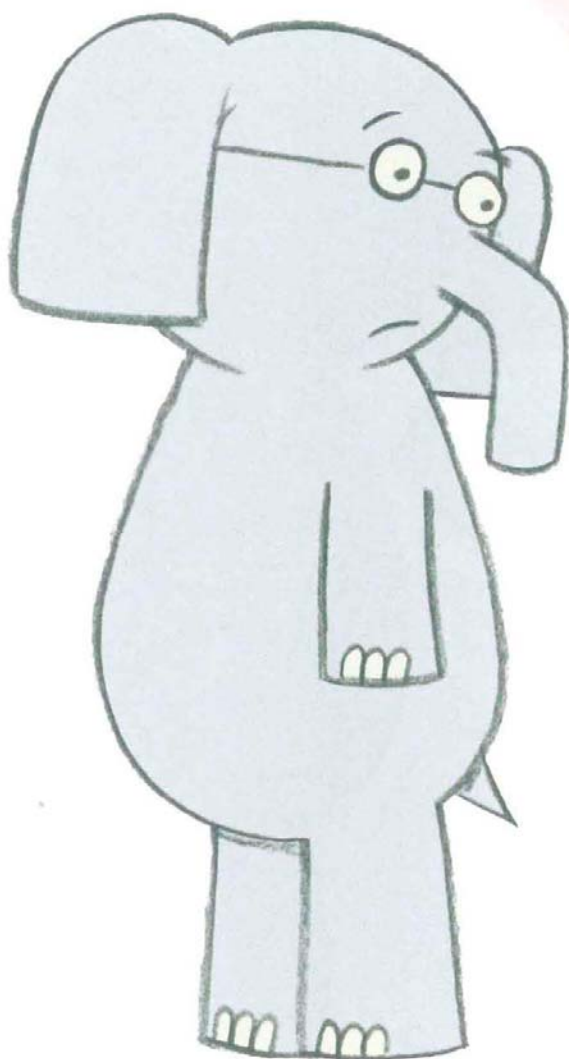


I jumped?

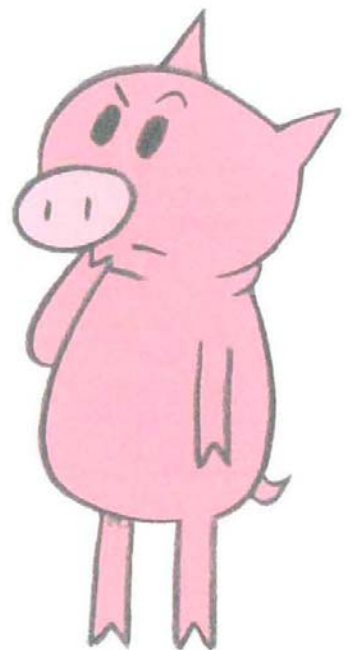
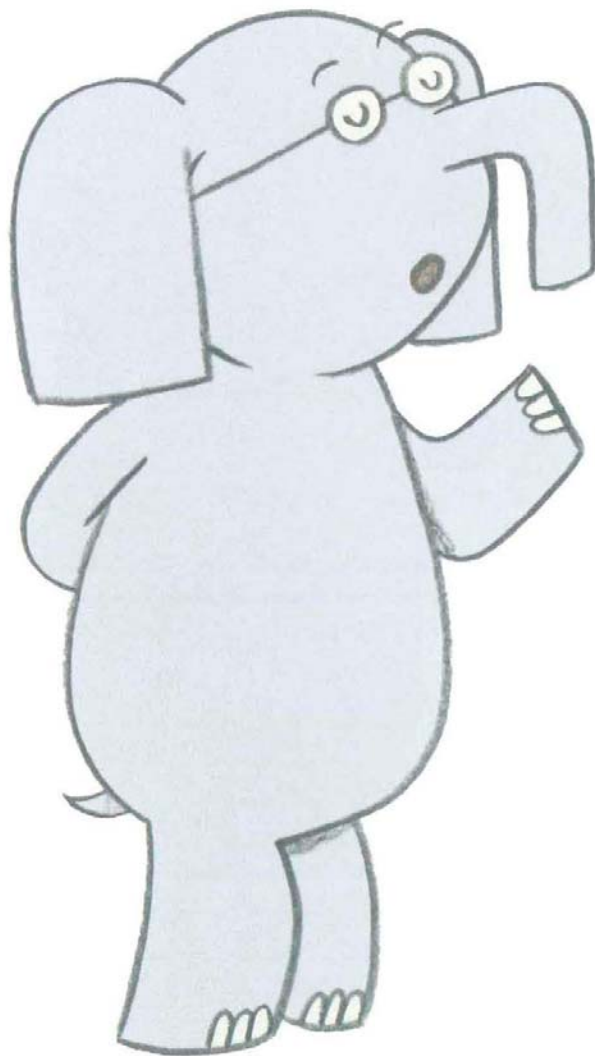




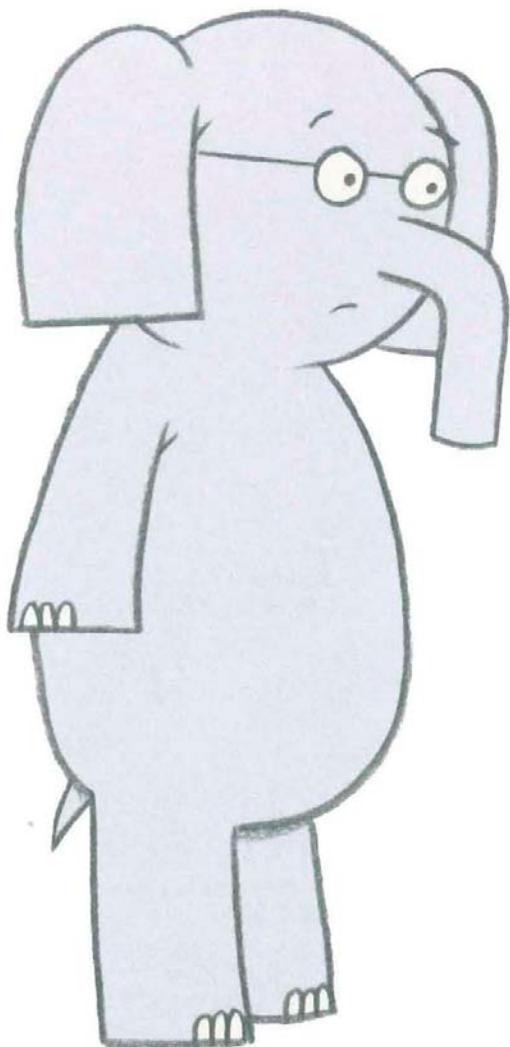
It was a big jump!



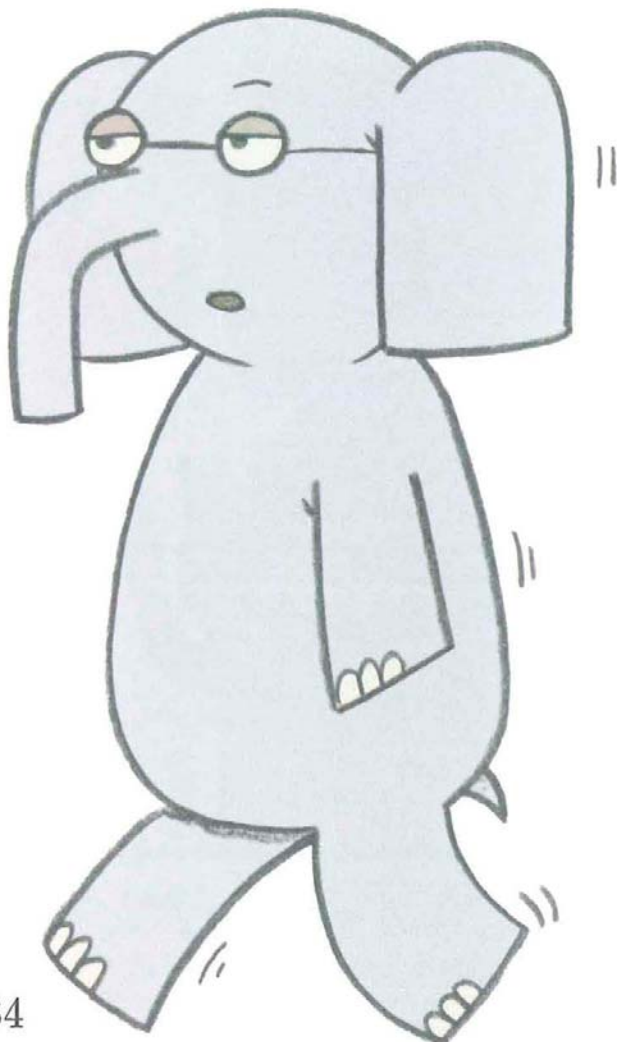
Yes, it was a big jump.
But you did not fly.



I will try again!



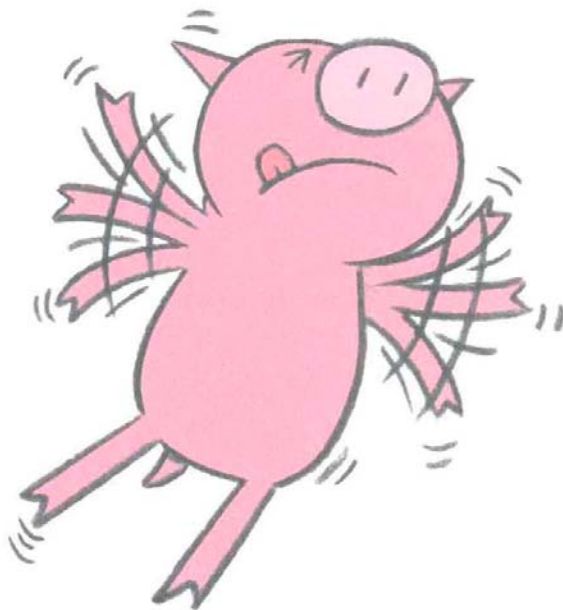
I will eat lunch.



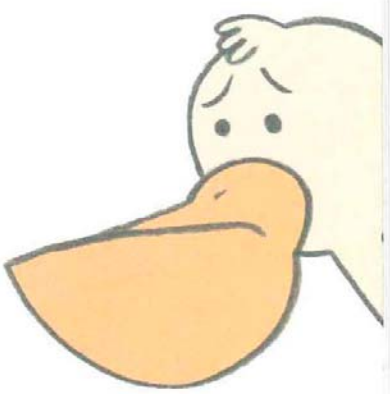
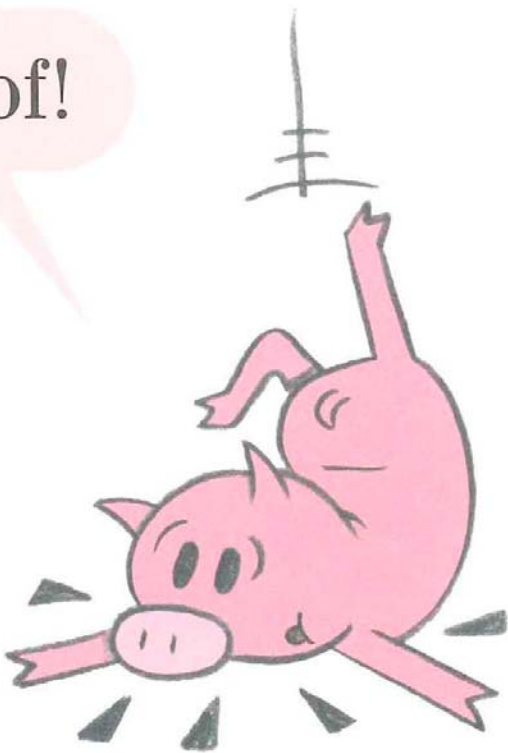
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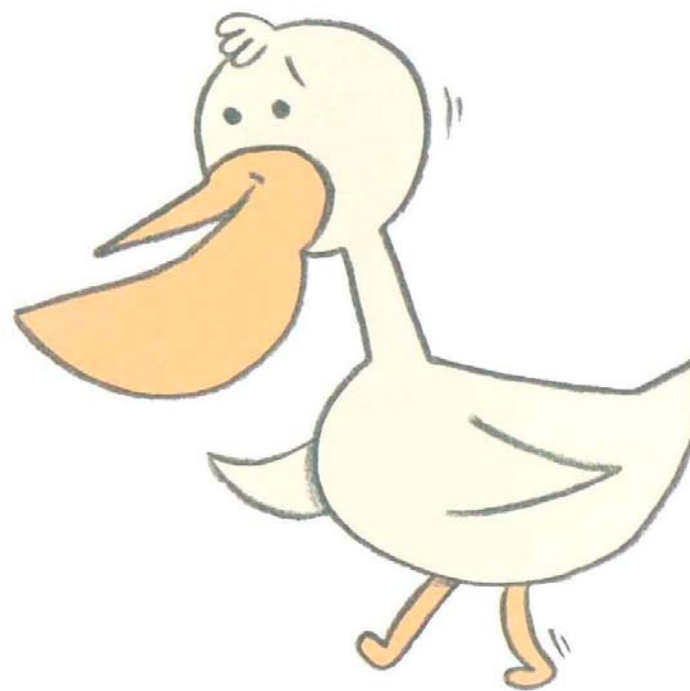
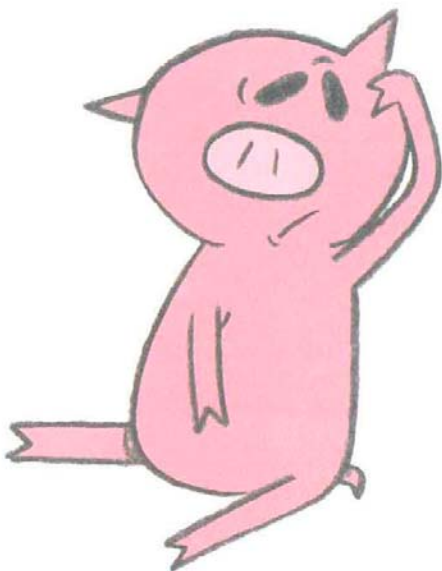
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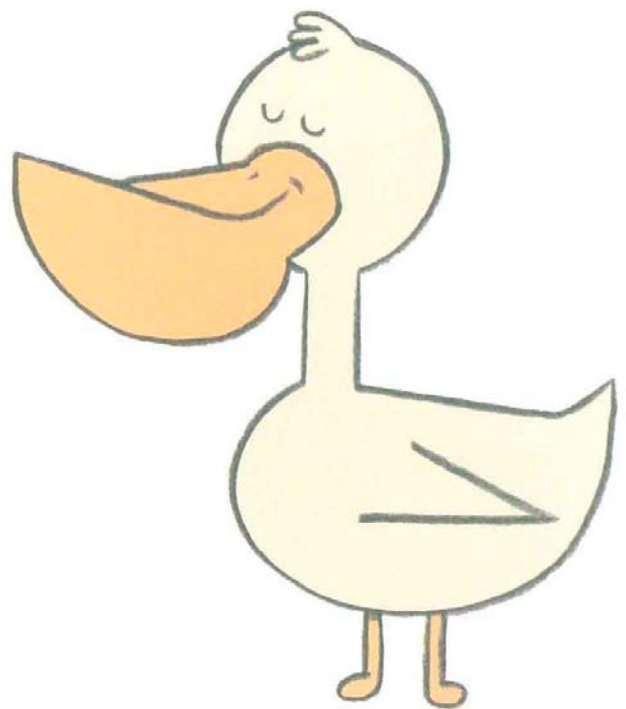
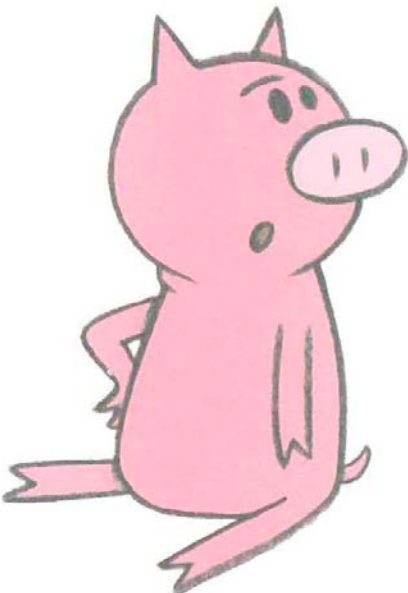
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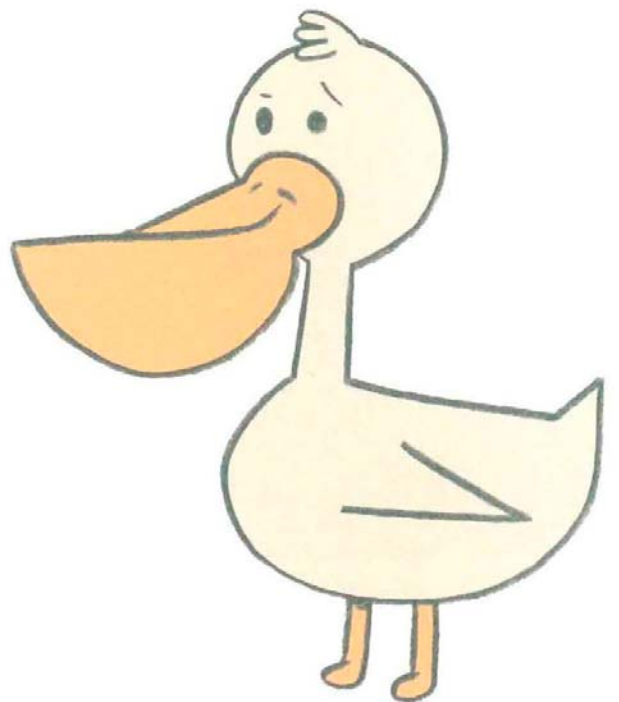
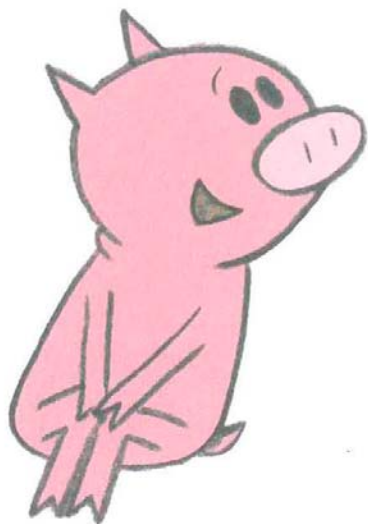
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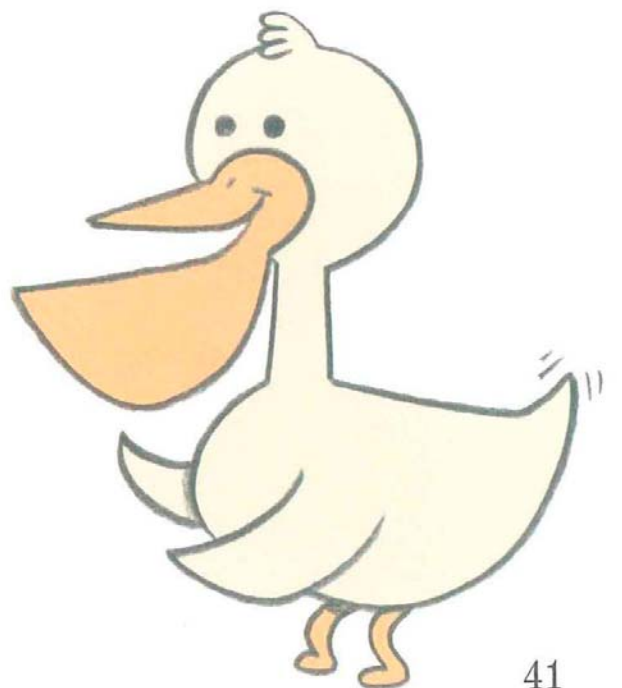
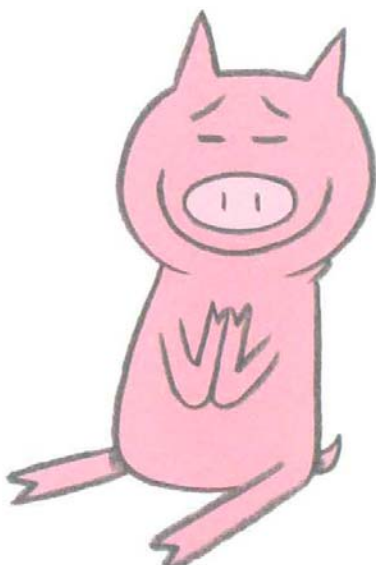
I do need help.



Will you help me?

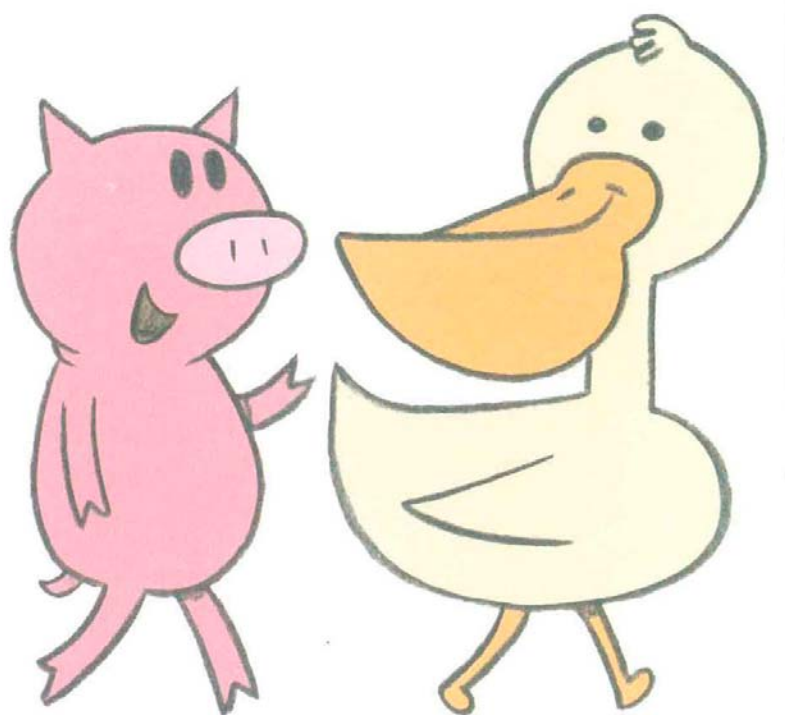


I will.
I will help you.

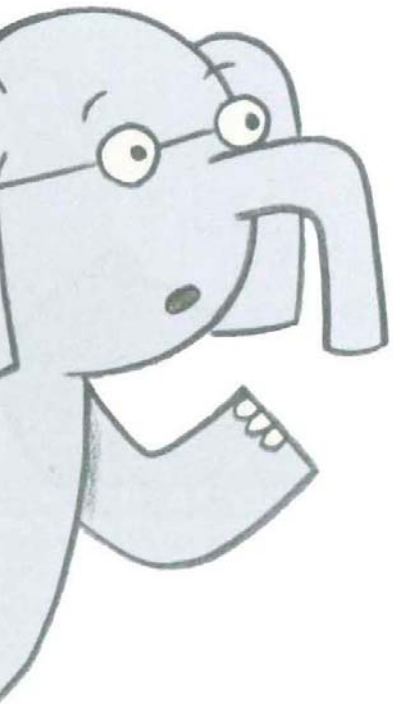




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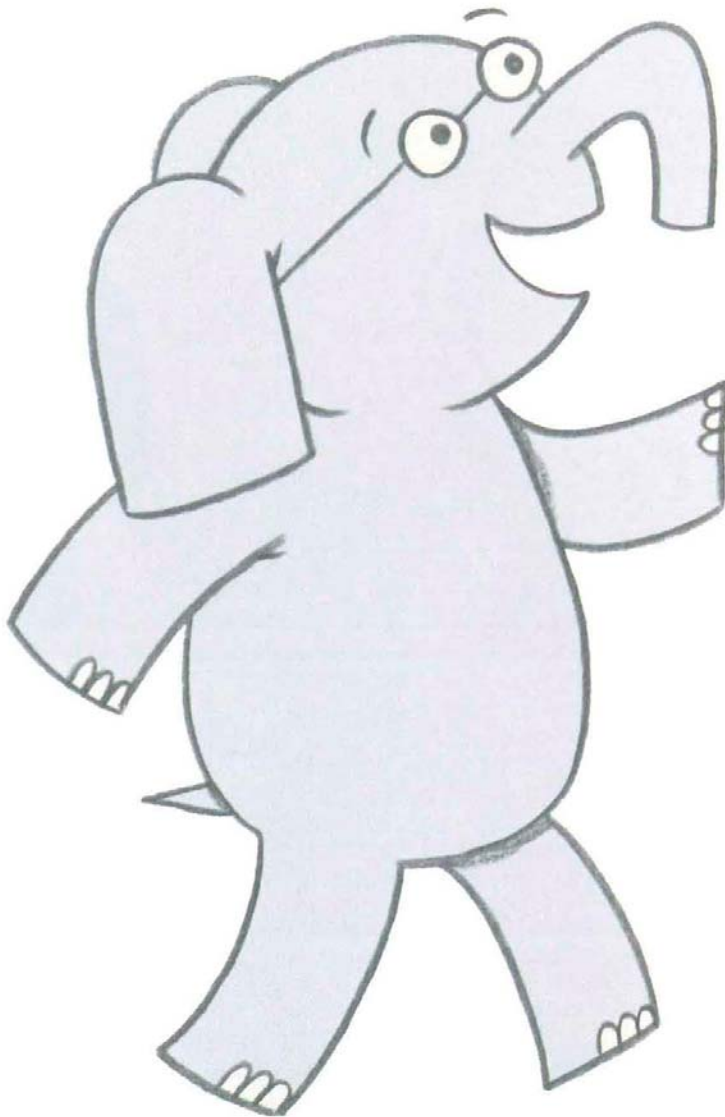


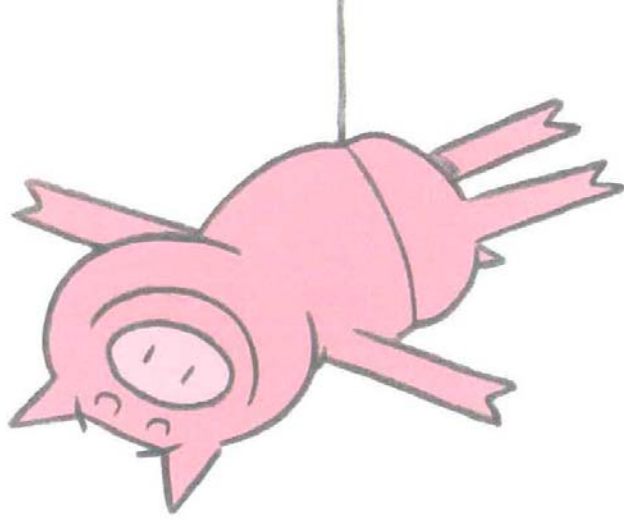


Hello!



You . . . you are
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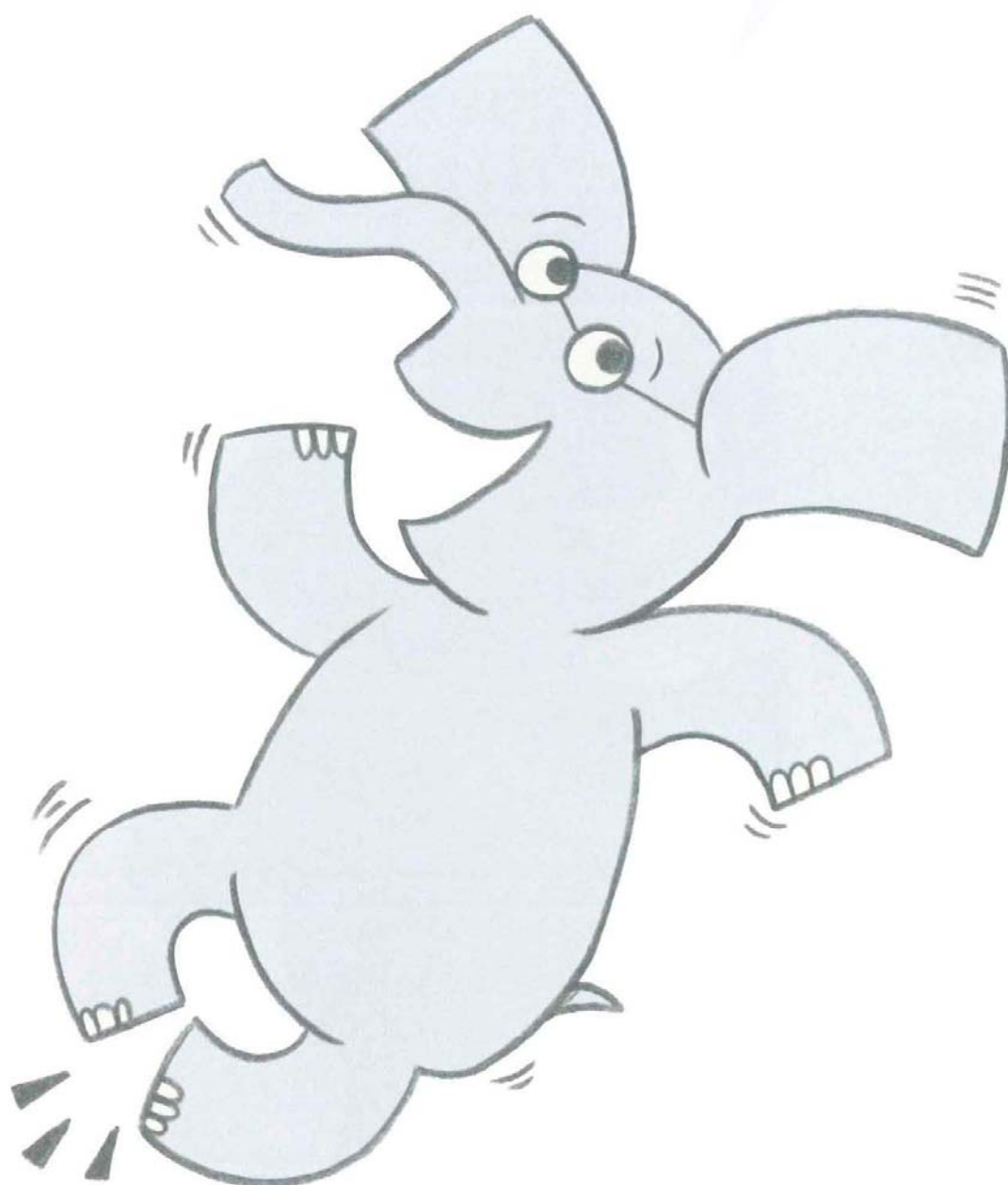


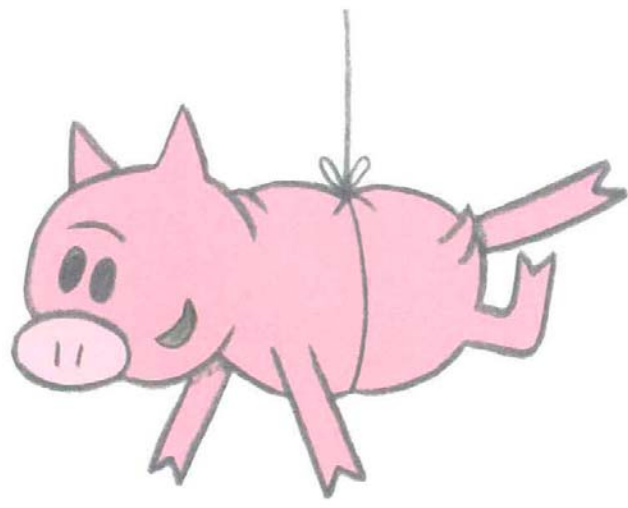


You are flying today!



My friend can fly!
She can fly!

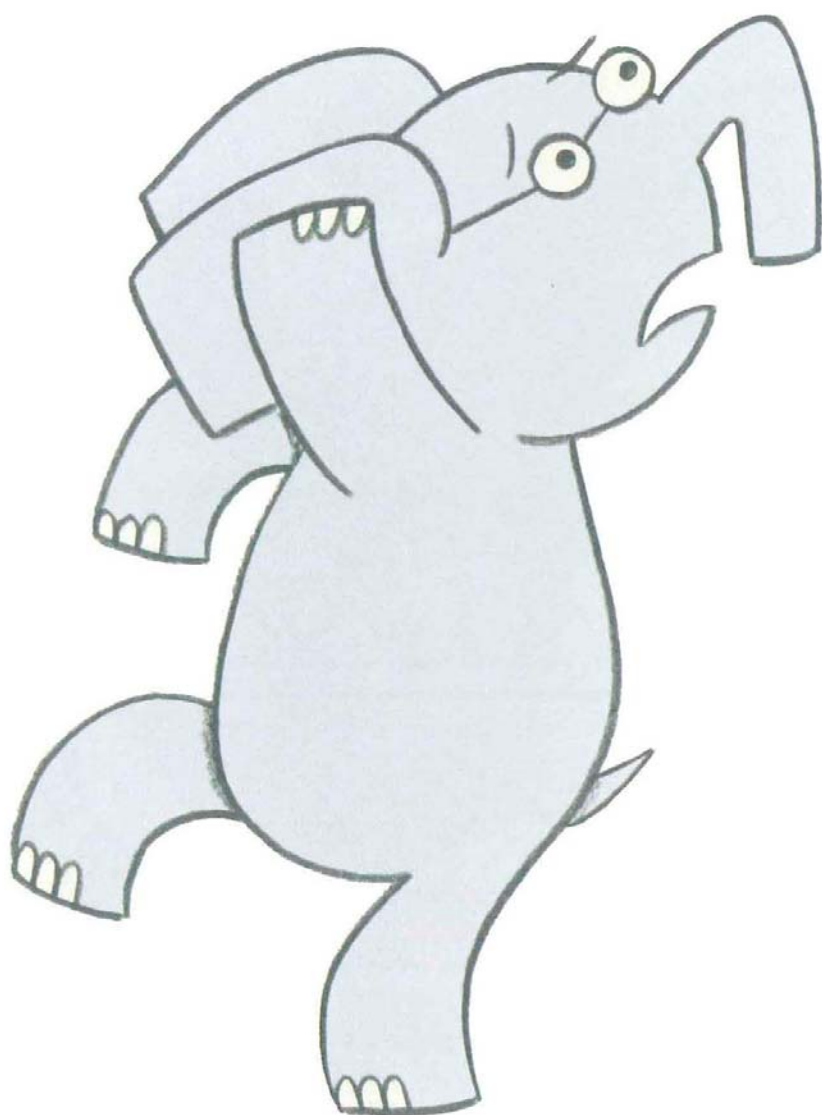


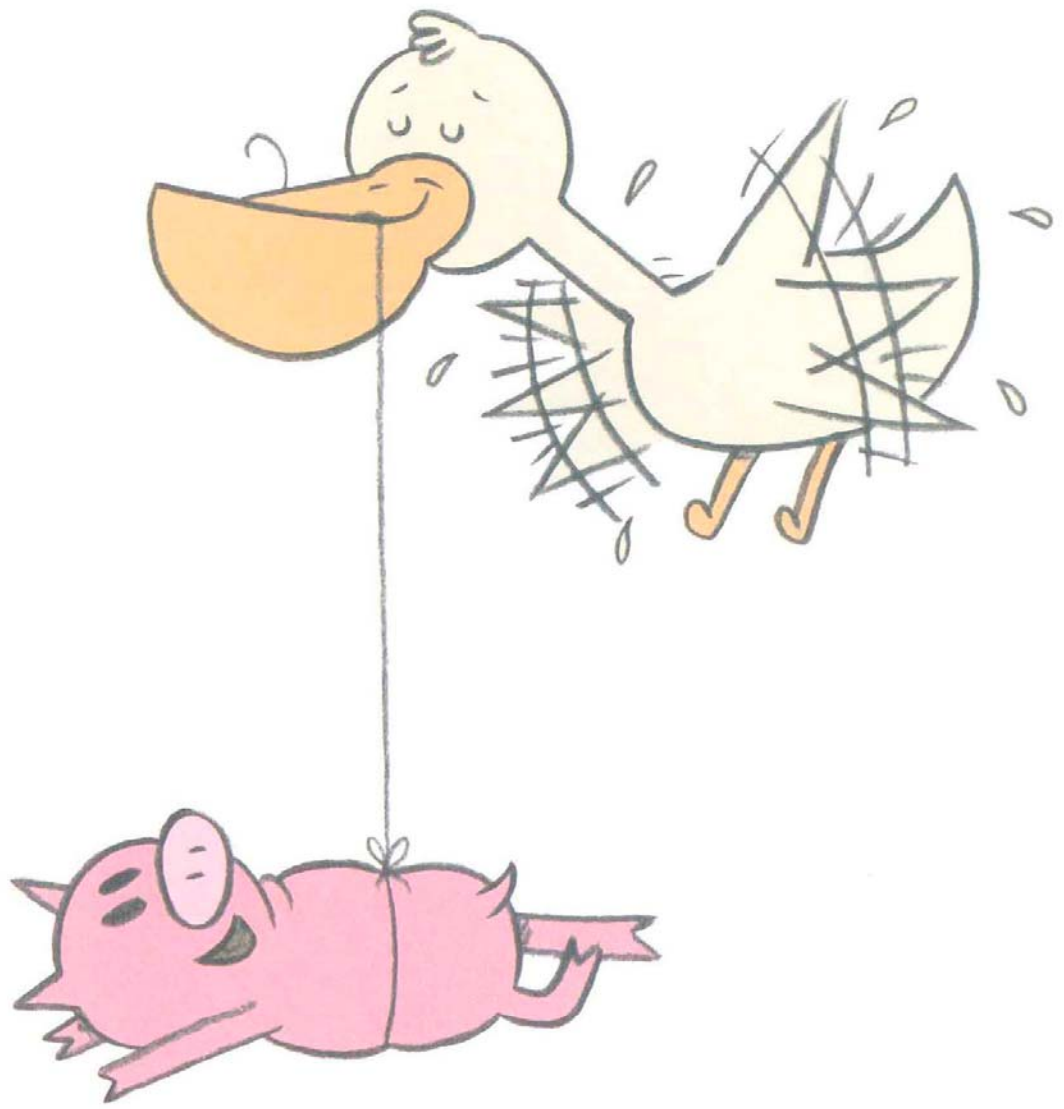


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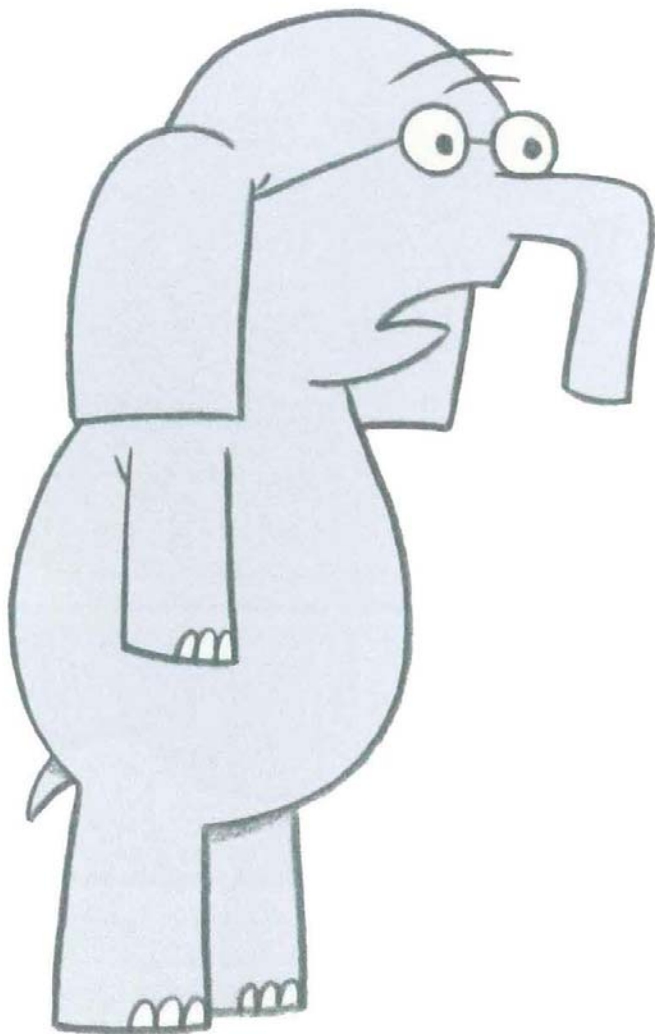
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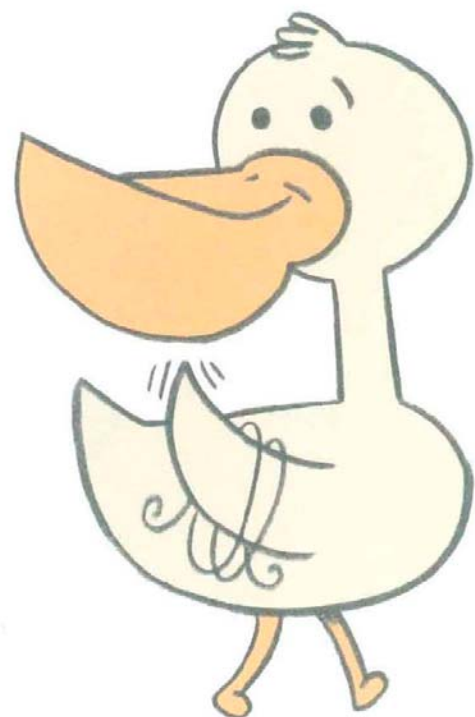


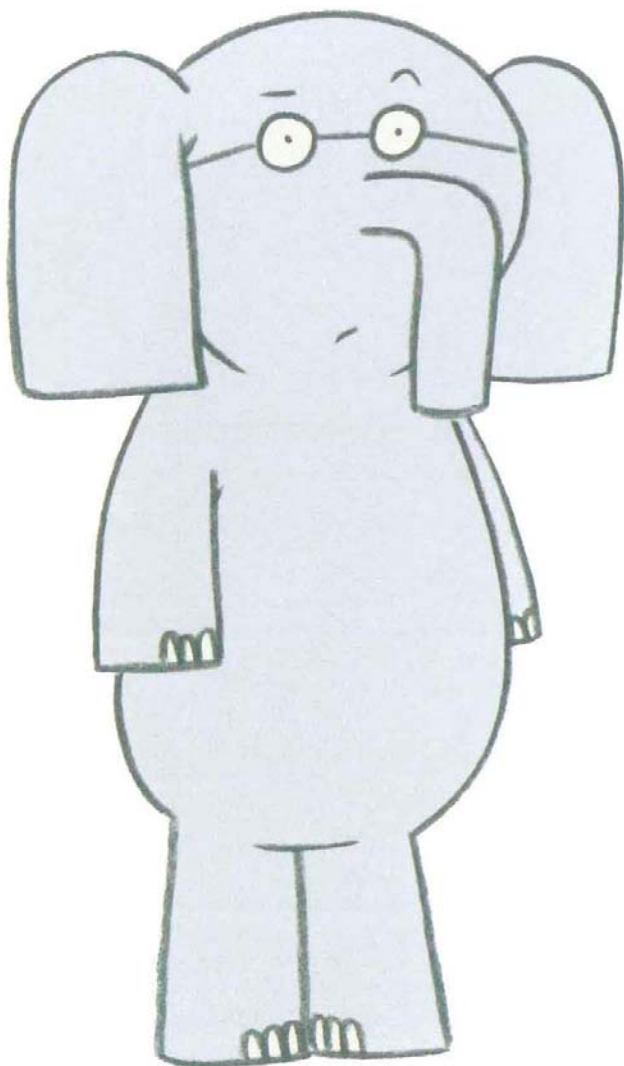
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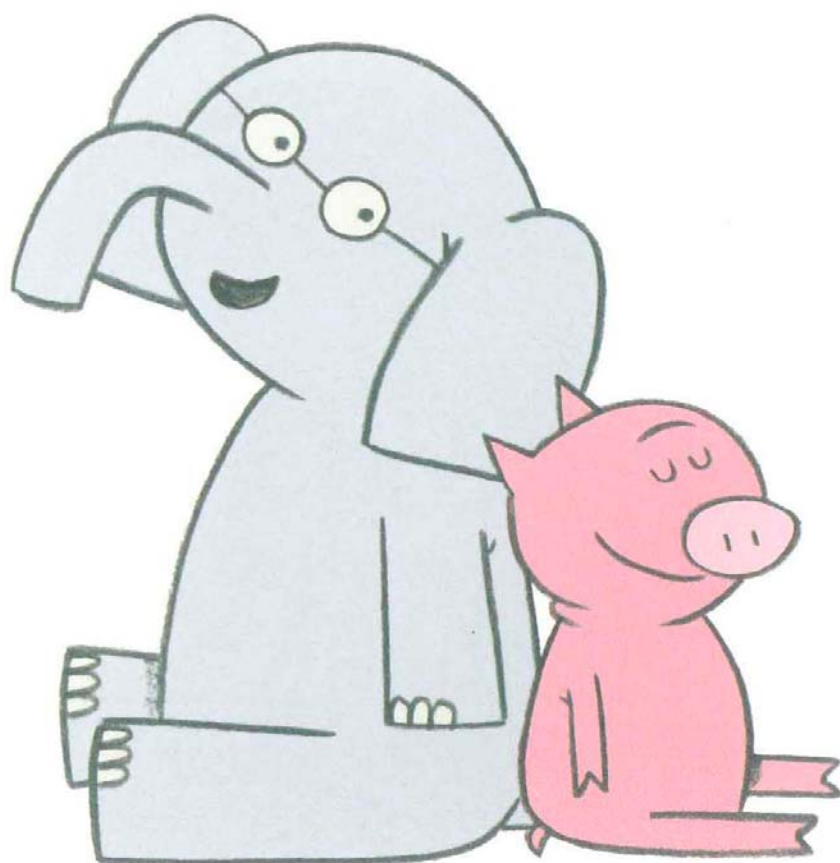


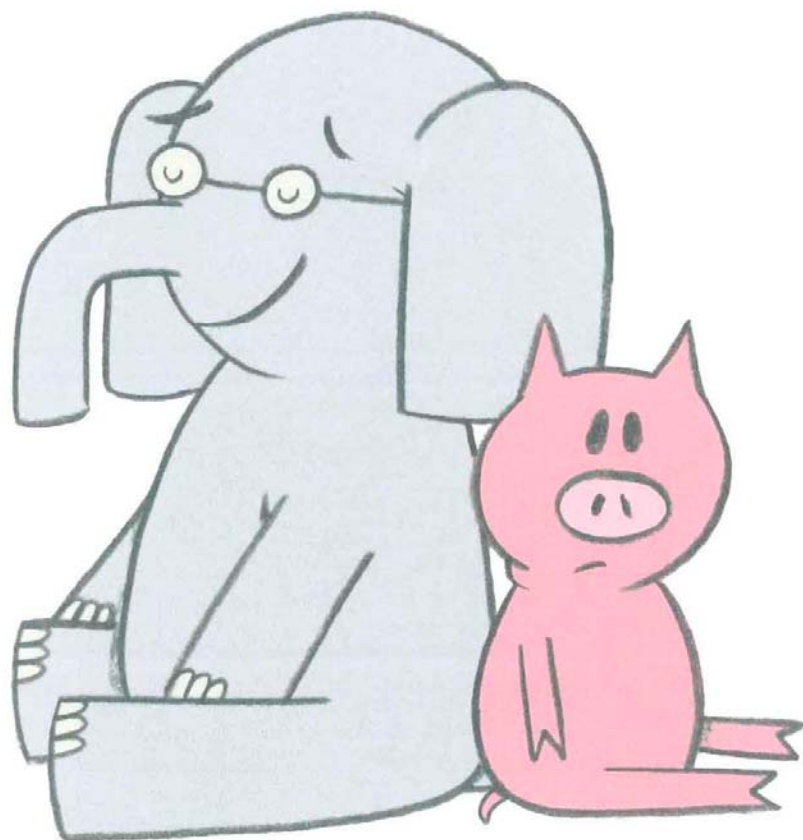
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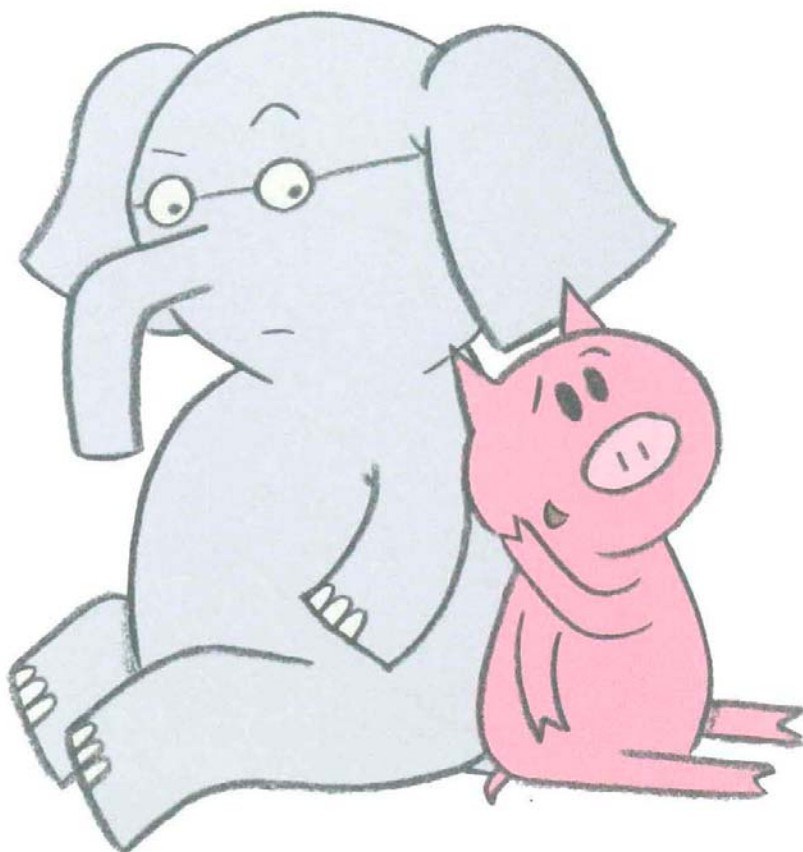


Tomorrow *I* will fly!





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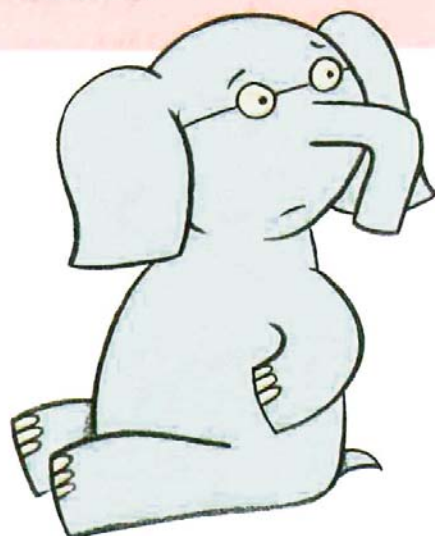
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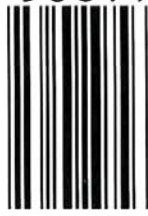
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