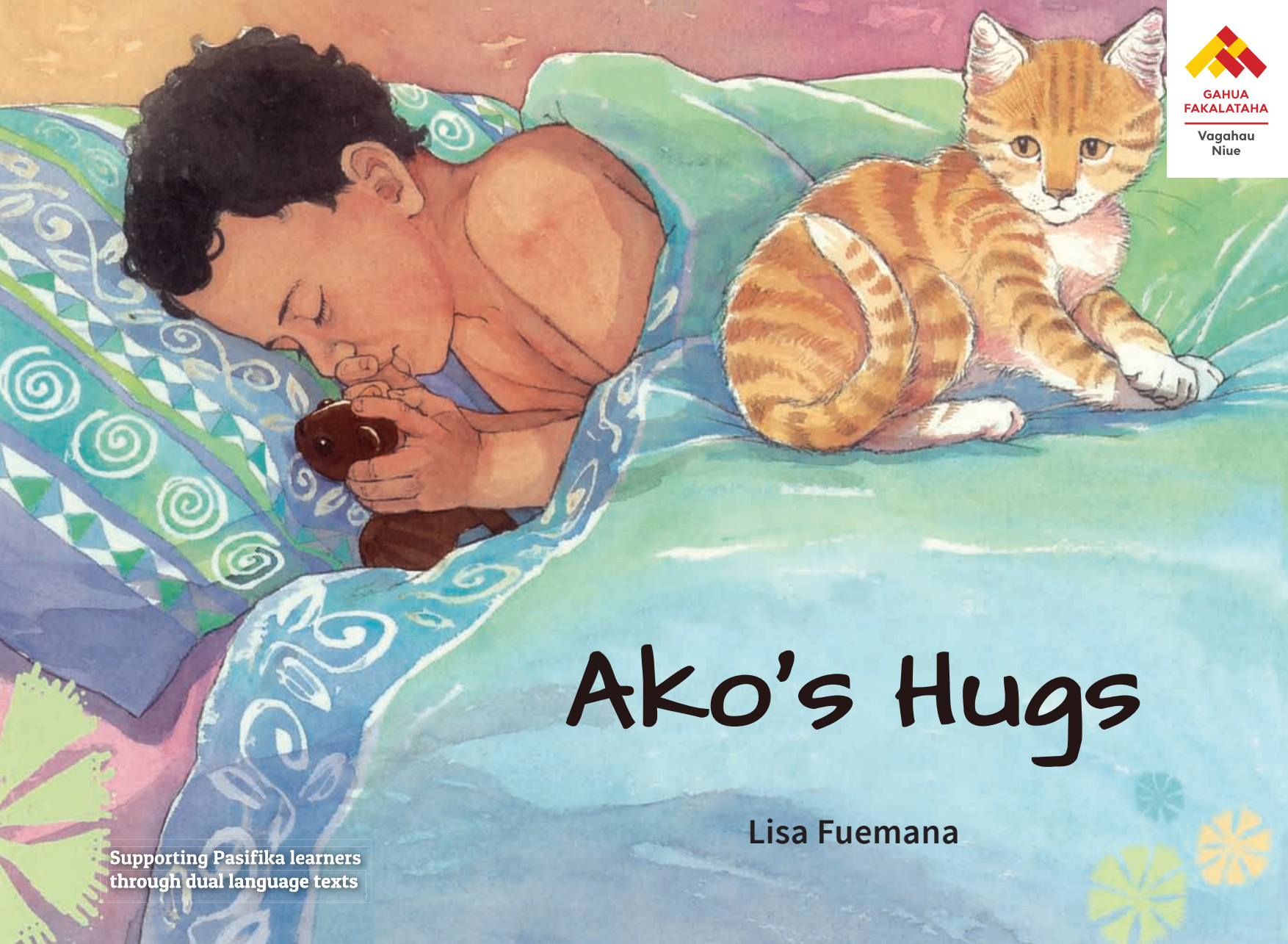




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Ako hugs Mum every morning,
before she gets up.



He gives Dad hugs after breakfast,
before Dad catches the bus.



Ako hugs his big brothers,
before they go off to school.
They don't really mind.





He gives gentle hugs to Soisoi, the cat.
She doesn't really like hugs,
but she lets him.



When Nena and Papā come
on a visit from Niue,
Ako gives them great big hugs.

But most of all,
Ako loves to hug Kuku,
his fruit bat.

Good night, Ako and Kuku,
sweet hugs!

