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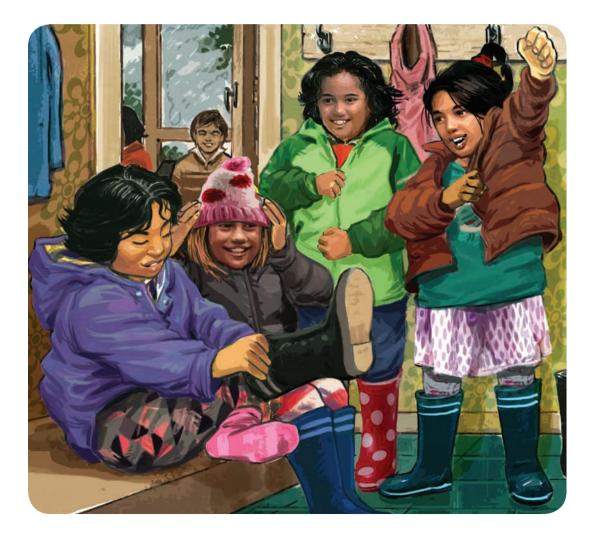


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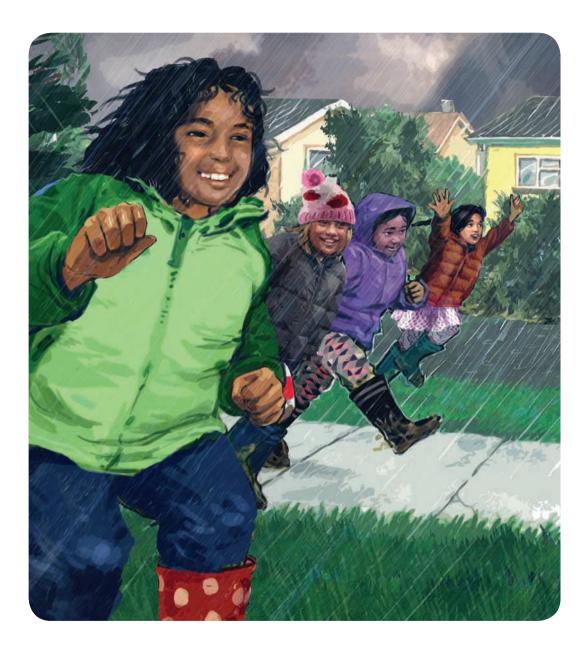
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When the last bell goes for the day, we get ready to go home. On rainy days, we put on our raincoats and gumboots.





We run in the rain. We splash in the puddles and slide in the mud.



I run with my friends and race the wind – but we watch out for cars.



When the wind is too strong, we hide under the trees, pretending to be birds.



When we get home, we take off our wet clothes.



We put our muddy boots on the steps. Nena tells us to hang up our raincoats.



Then we have cocoa with Nena.