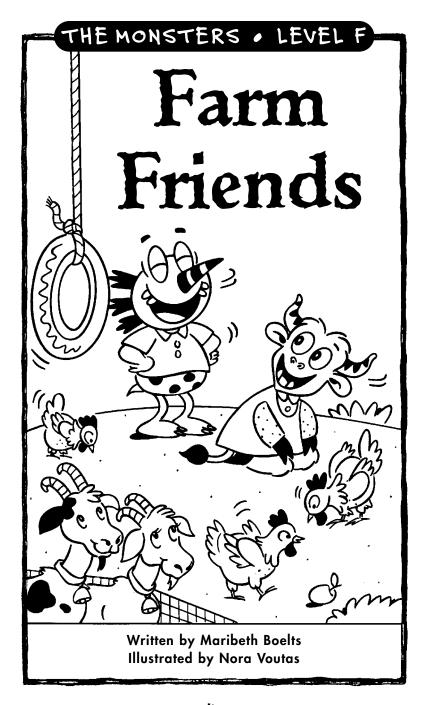
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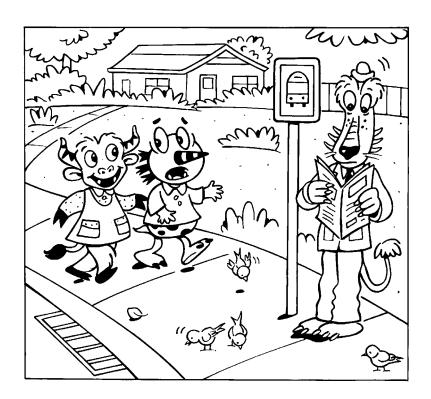


"Would you like to go to my grandpa's farm?" asks Jupe.

"Is there a mall by the farm?"
Bonk asks.

"No," says Jupe.

"Is there a skatepark?" asks Bonk.



"No," says Jupe. "But there are cows."

"Oh," says Bonk.

"There are pigs, too," says Jupe.

"I don't think I like farms," says Bonk.

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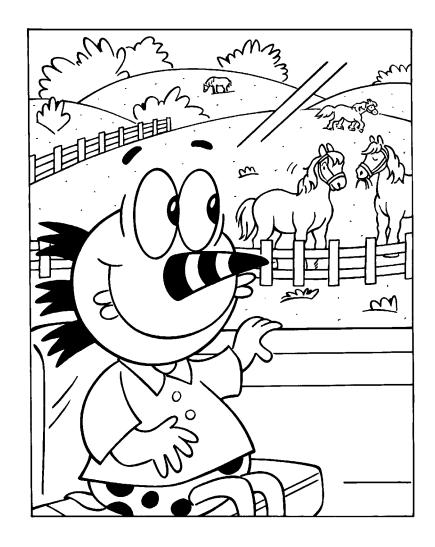


Then Jupe tells Bonk about her grandma's cookies.

"Cookies will help me like the farm," says Bonk.



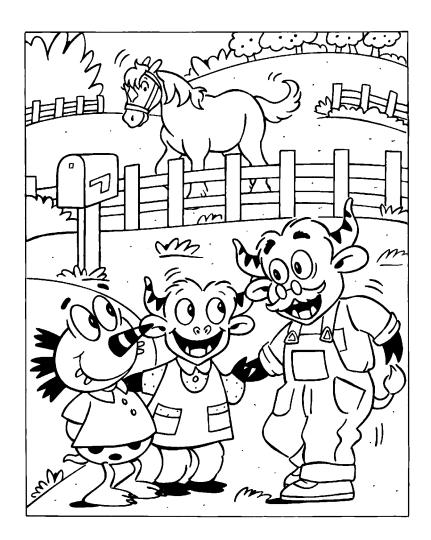
Soon the bus comes. "Ready?" says Jupe.



Bonk watches out the window of the bus.

He sees horses.

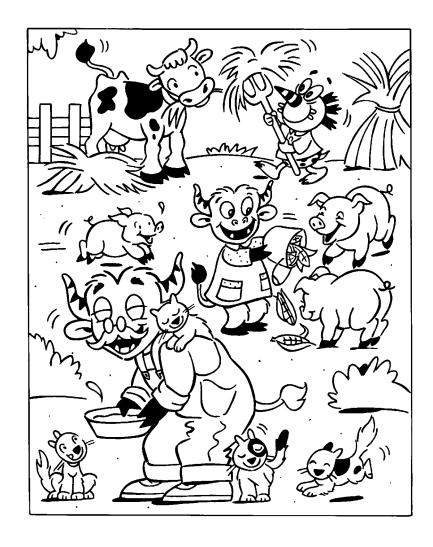
He sees hills and fences.



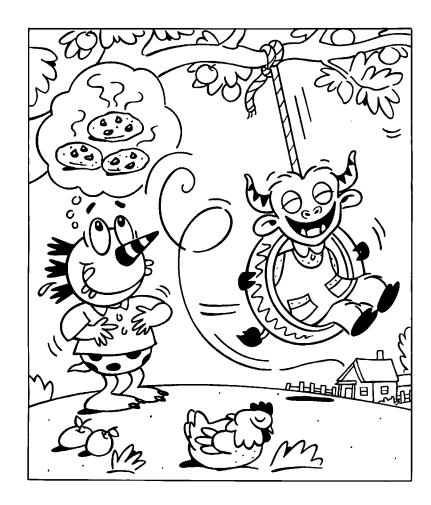
Then Bonk sees a farm.

"Hello!" says Grandpa.

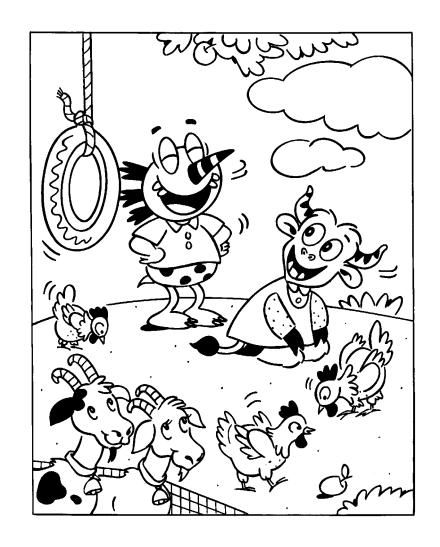
"You are just in time to help me feed the animals."



Bonk gives hay to the cows. Jupe gives corn to the pigs. The cats meow for their dinner, too.



Then Jupe and Bonk play near the barn.
They swing on the tire swing.
Bonk's tummy growls.
He smells cookies!



"I think it's time to feed someone else," says Bonk. "The goats?" asks Jupe.

"The chickens?" asks Jupe.



"No," says Bonk.
"The monsters!"

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