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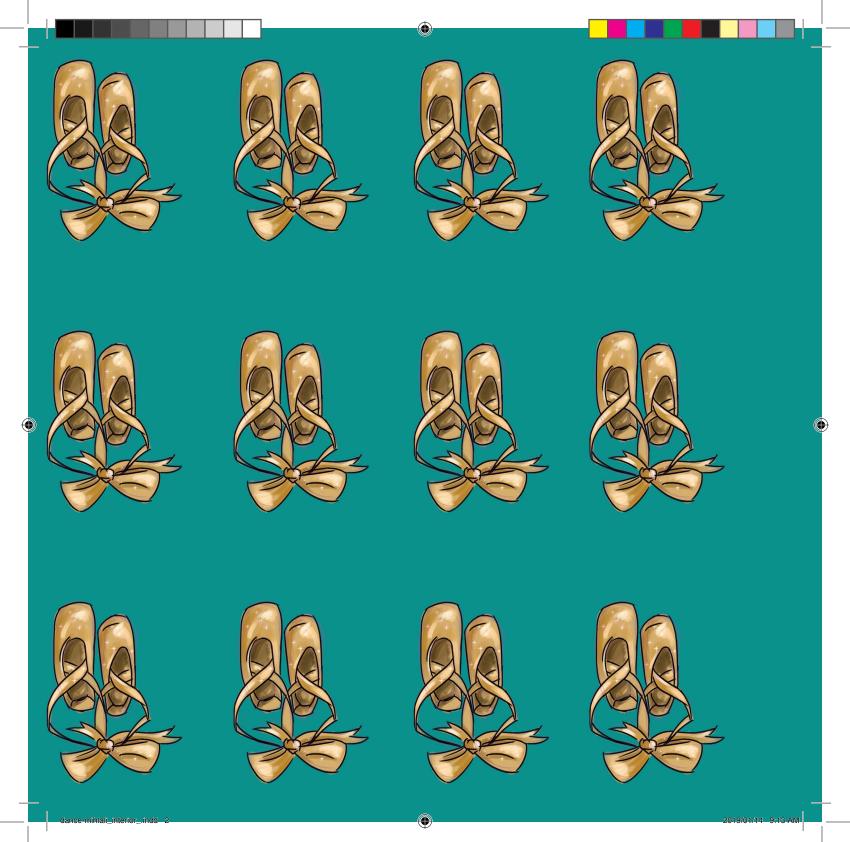
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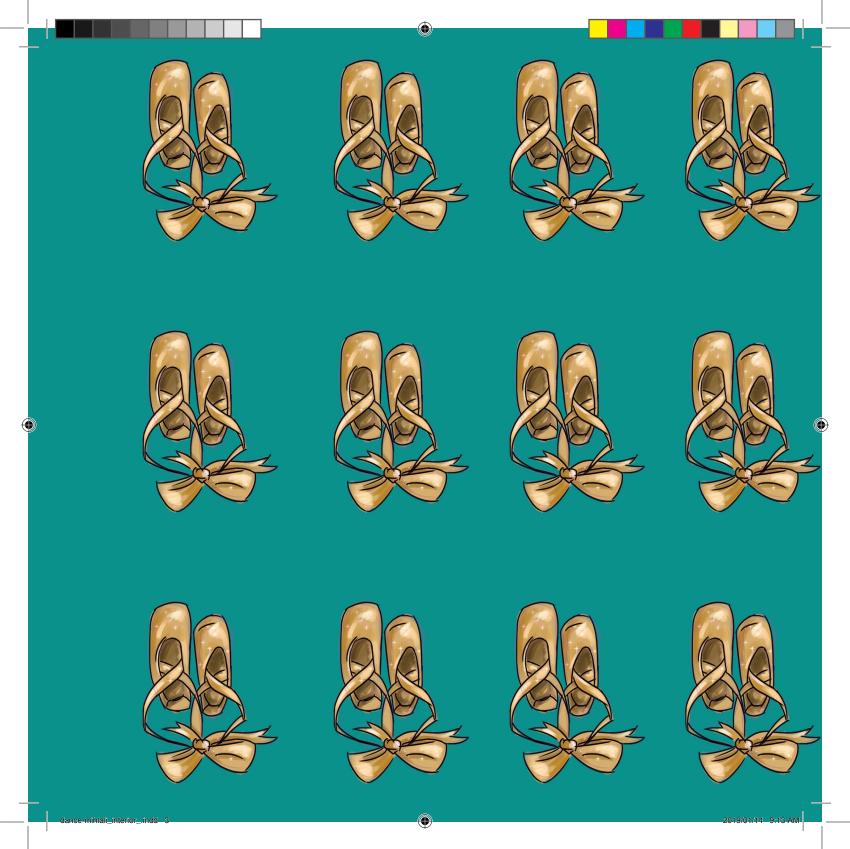


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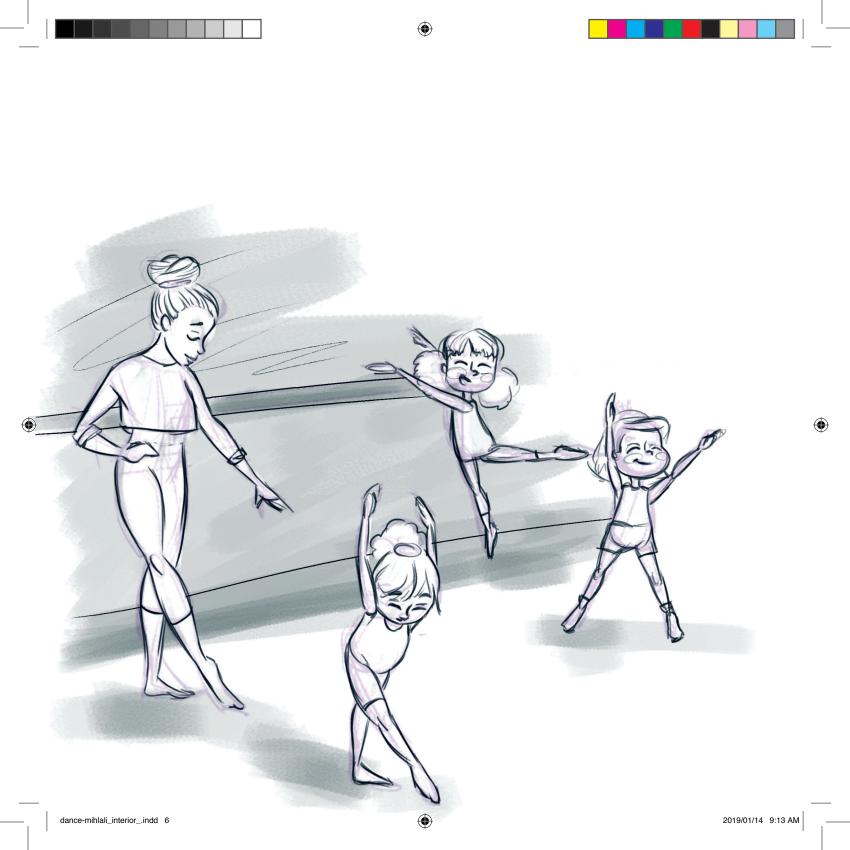
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It is almost time for the big concert at school. All the children are having fun practising. But not Mihlali ...



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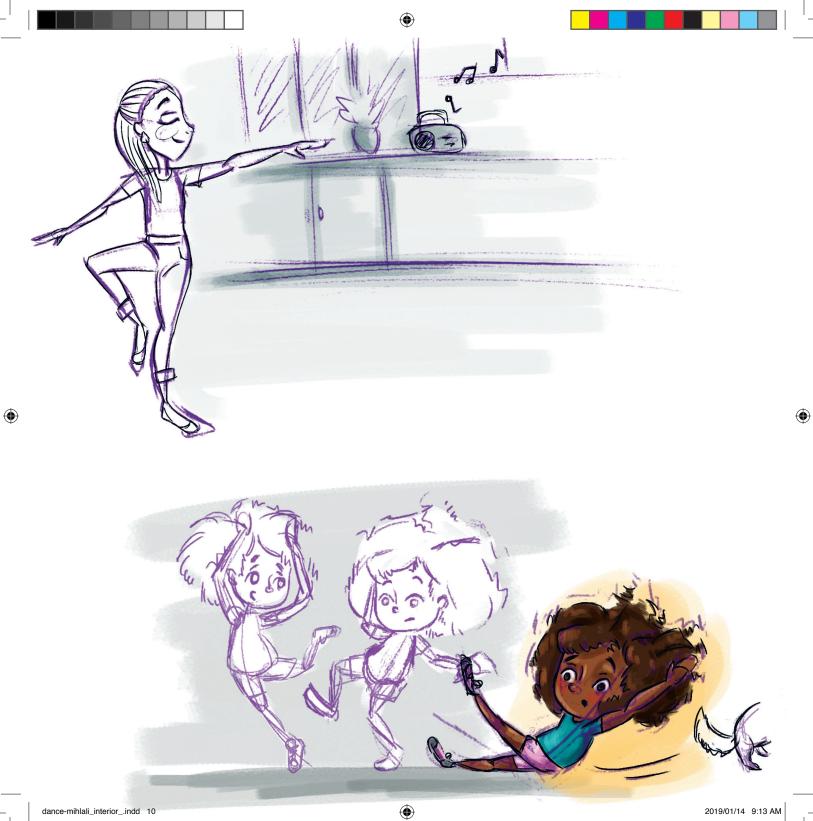
She is worried she will forget her dance steps.

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"I'll help you practise at home."

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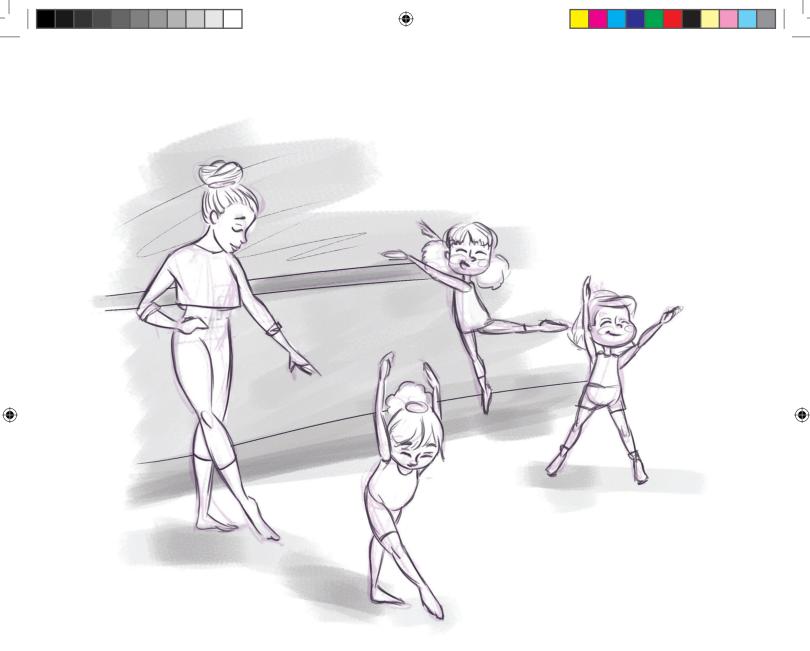


"I wish this concert would never happen!"

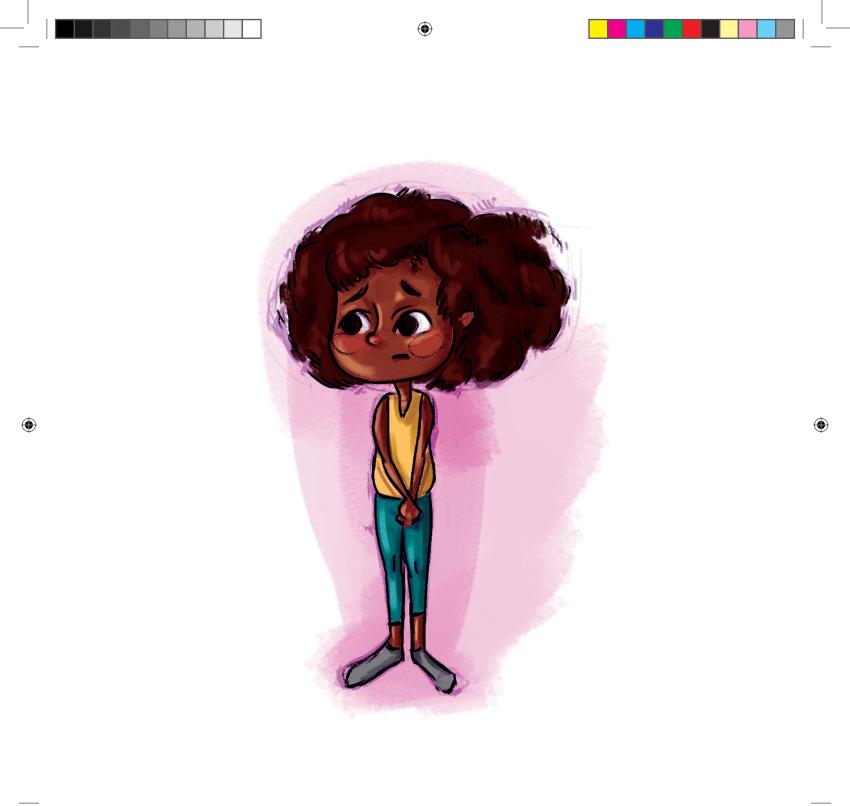
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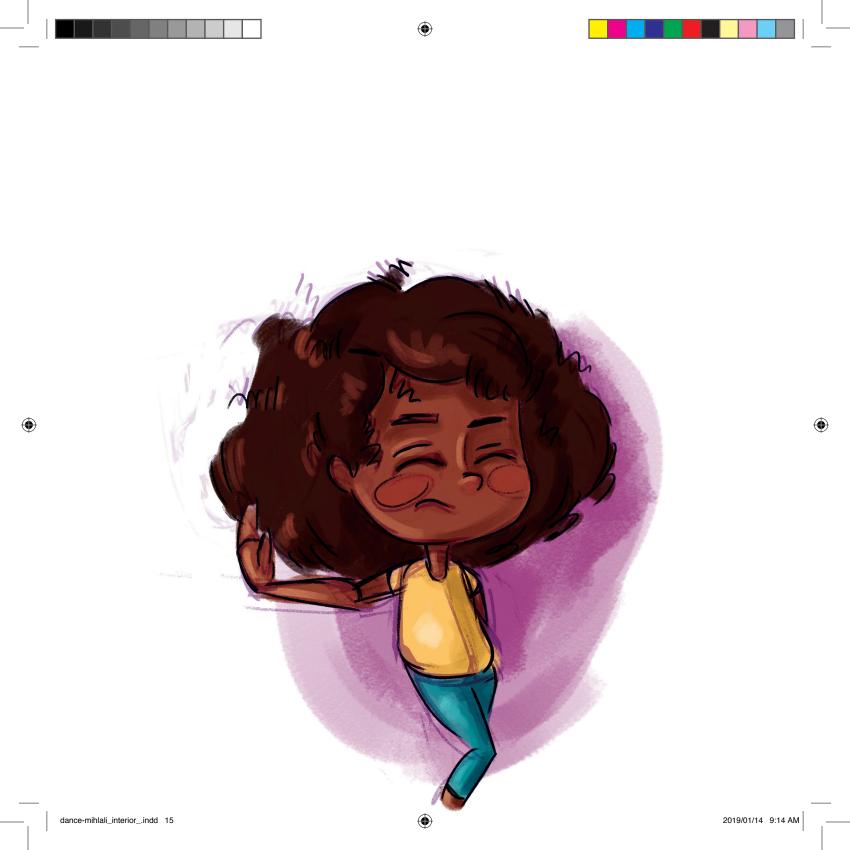
Not a chance! The day of the concert is getting closer...

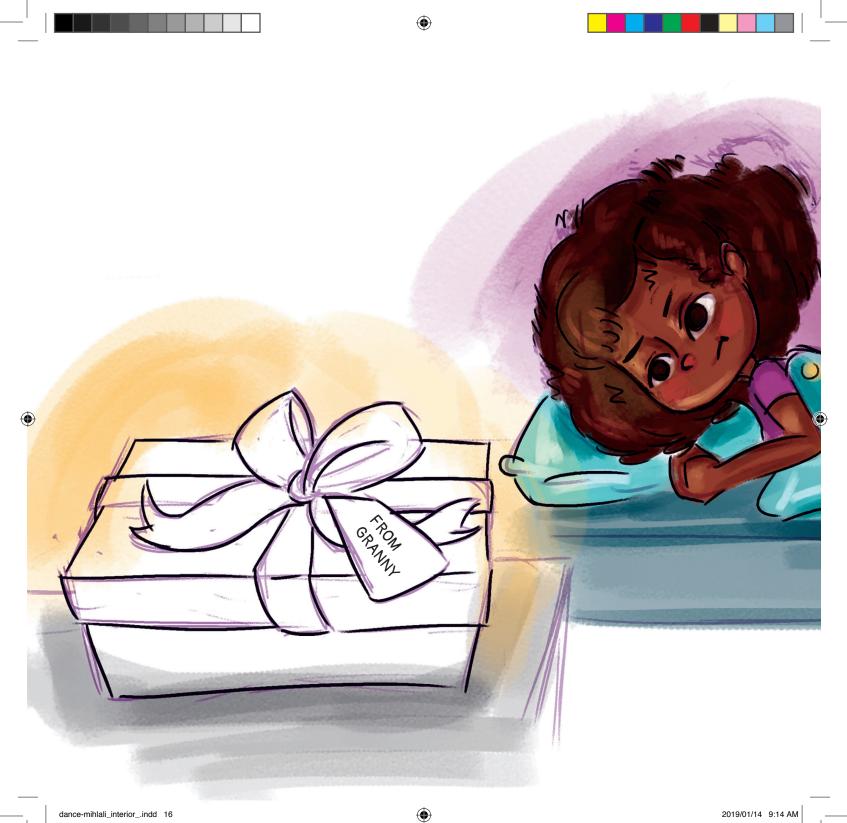


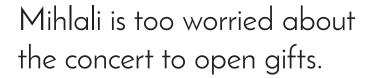


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"Granny has sent you a gift."

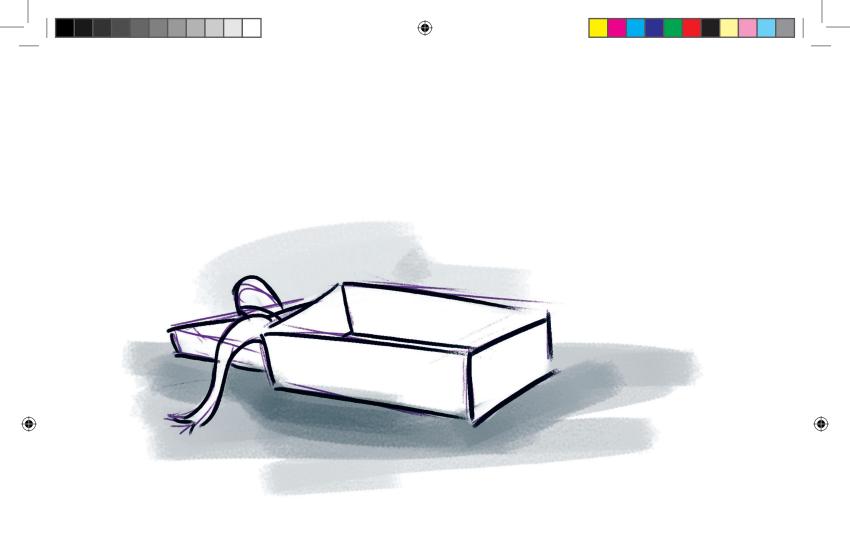




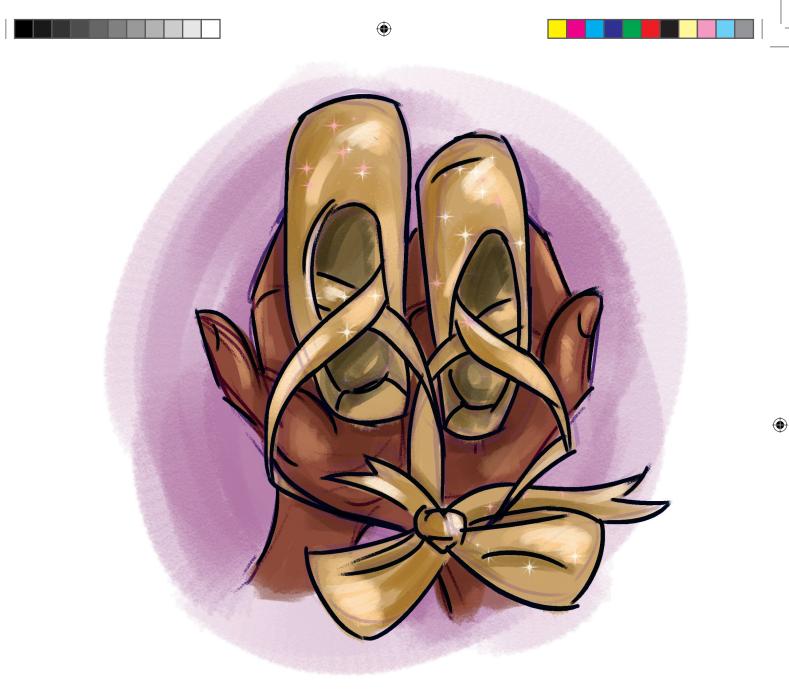


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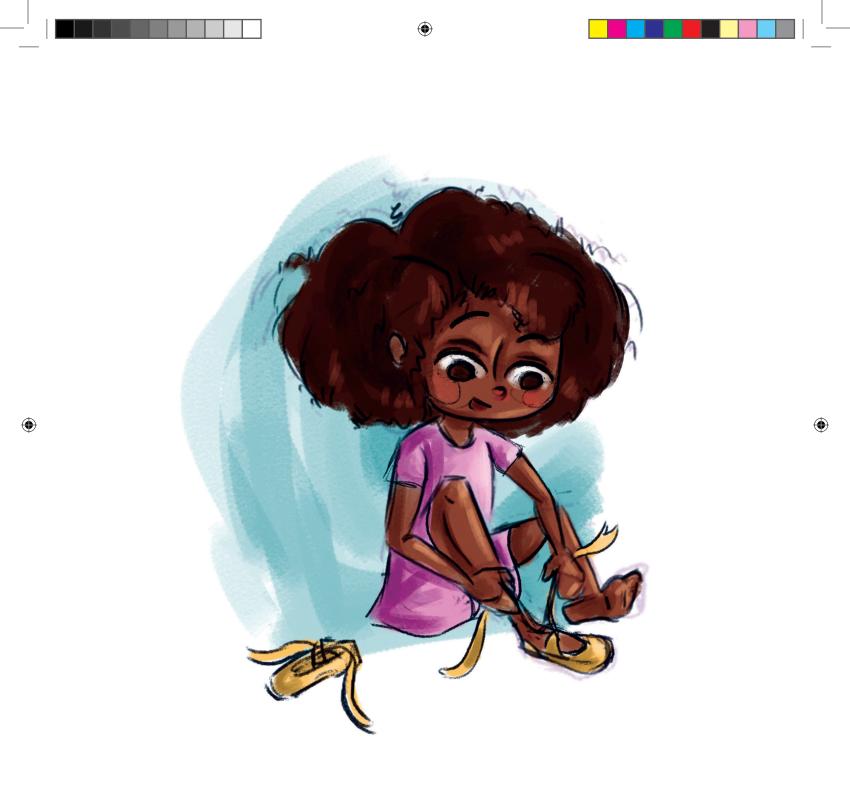
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Perhaps she should take a look inside.



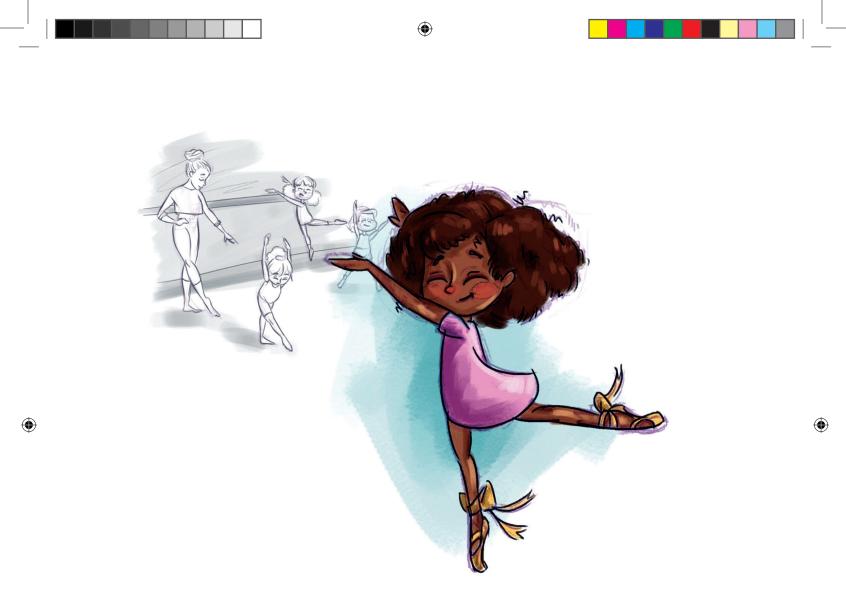
What great dancing shoes from Granny!



Granny was the best dancer ever.

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Mihlali practises and practises at school...

And at home!

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And she dances in her dreams.



Mihlali must rest.

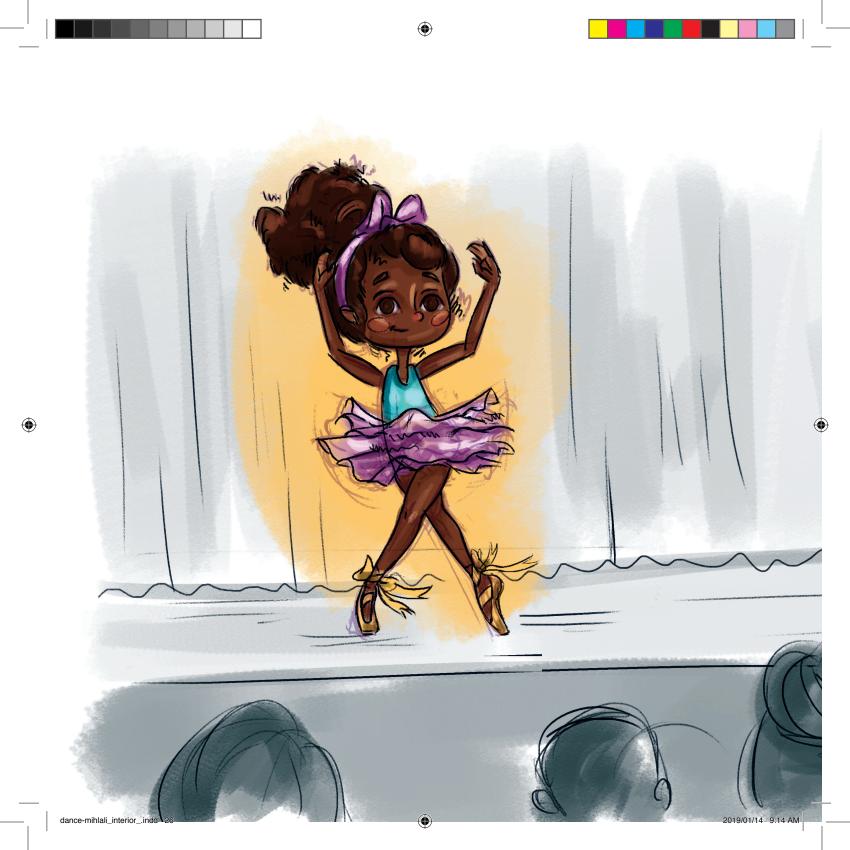
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The big concert is tomorrow.

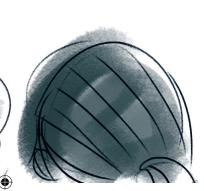
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It's concert day. Mihlali does her dance just right. What great fun!

And surprise! Granny has even come to watch Mihlali dance.





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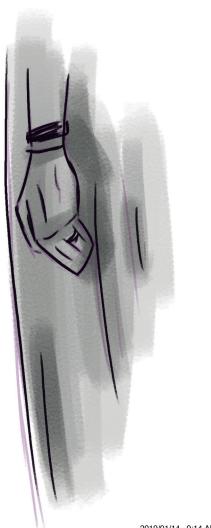
"I danced just like you, Granny."



"You were amazing! You are the best dancer I've ever seen."

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