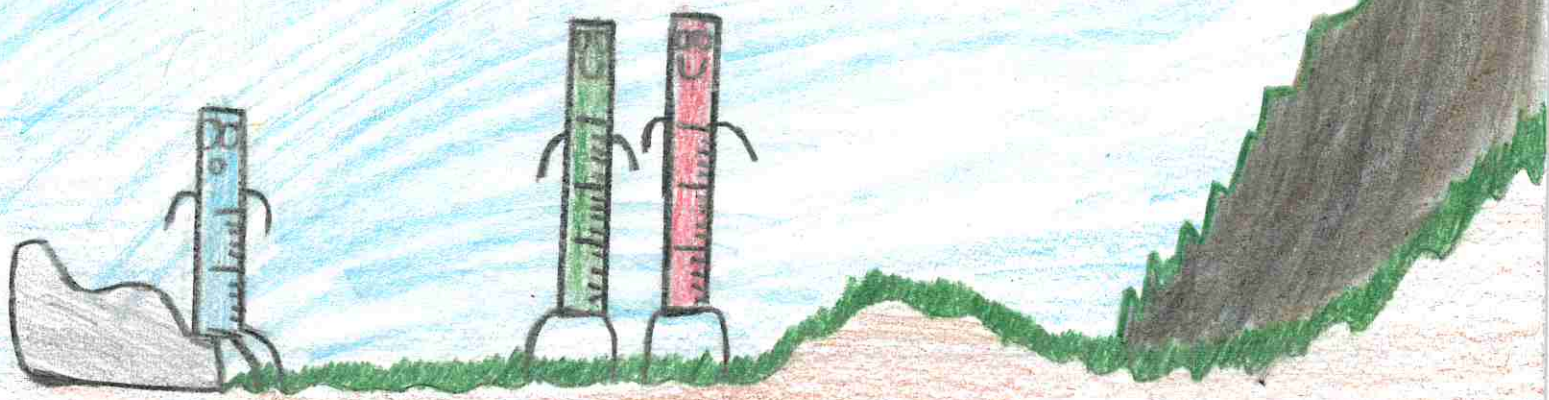


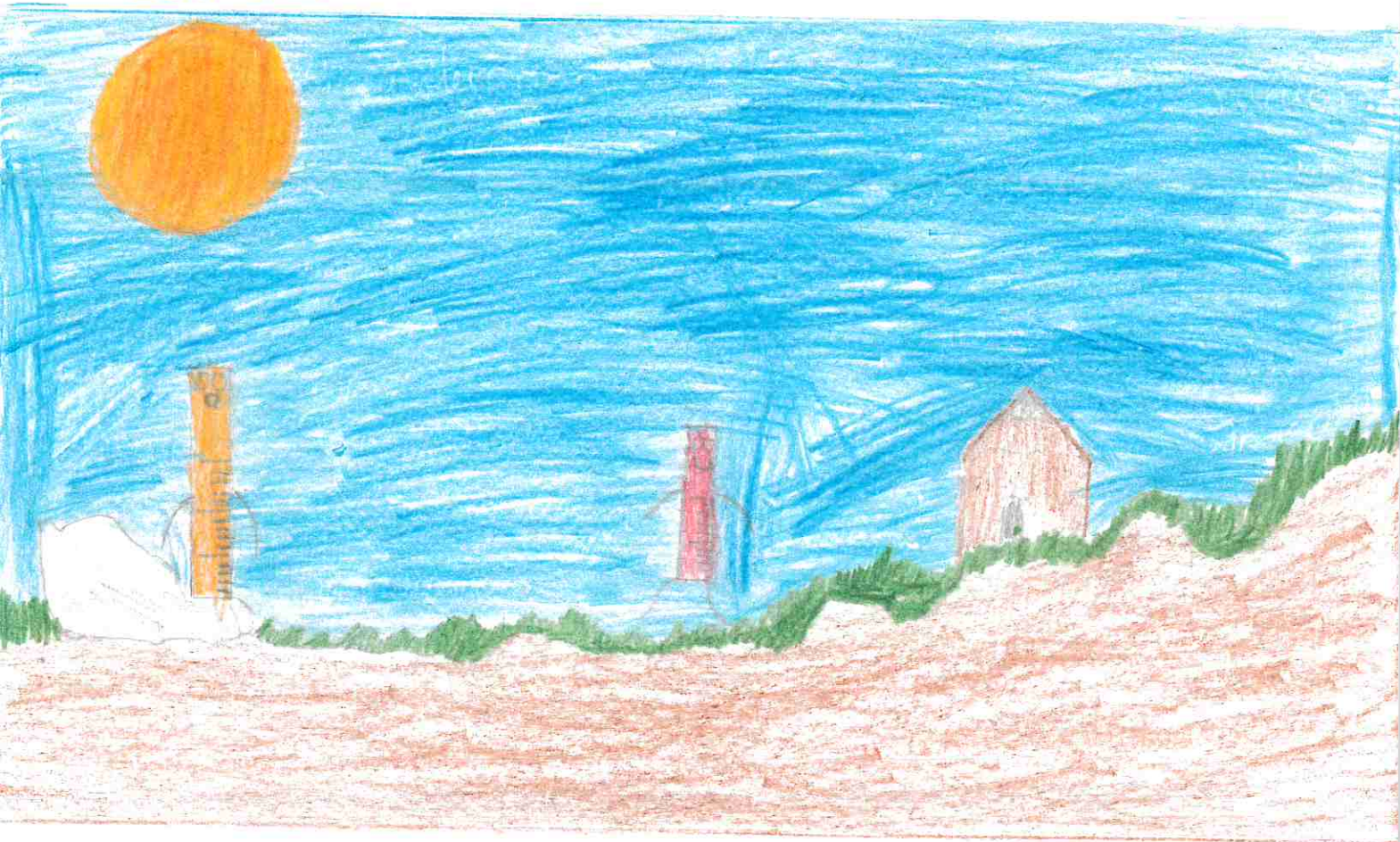
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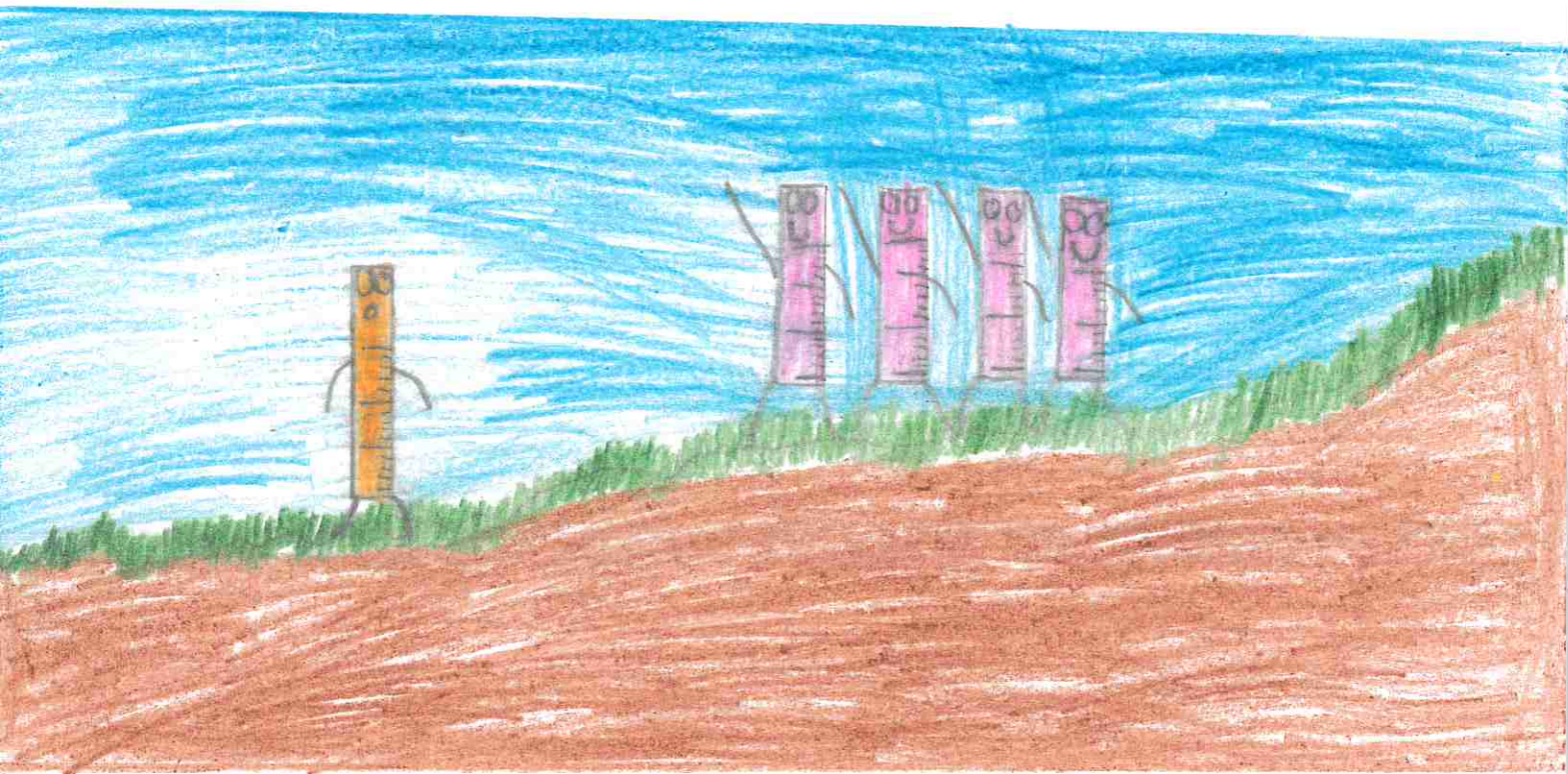
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In Measurement Land, there lived multiple measurements. One of them was named mr 0.33m because he was 33 cm tall.



The problem was, to live in Measurement Land, you needed to find someone who added up to make one metre with you, but mr 0.33m couldn't find anyone.

He went around the whole town trying to find someone, and eventually, he found the 0.25 m quadruplets. He did some quick thinking, and found out he can't be friends with them because  $0.25\text{ m} + 0.25\text{ m} + 0.25\text{ m} + 0.25\text{ m} = 100\text{ cm}$  which is also equal to 1 metre.



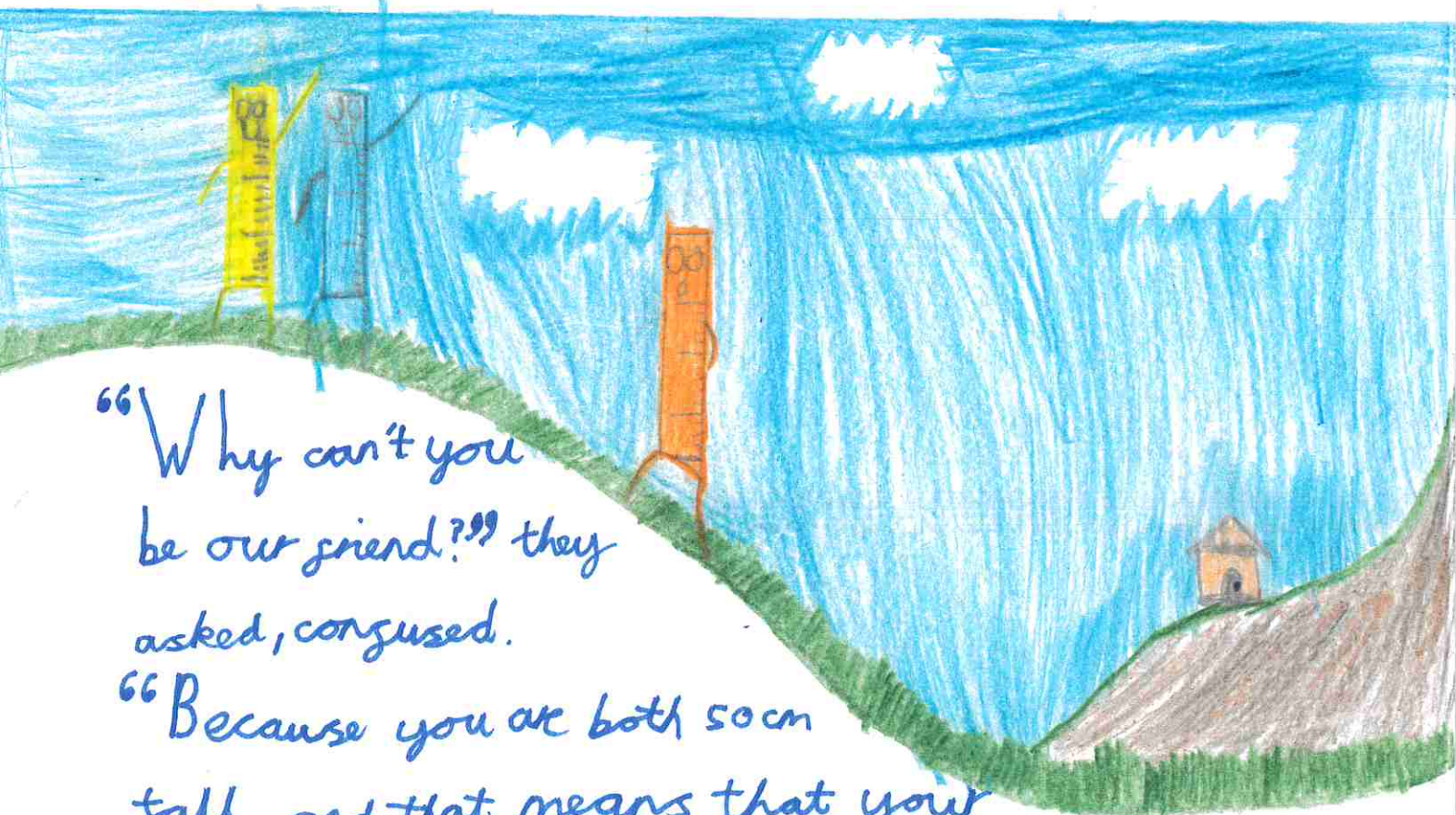
“Why can't you be our friend?” they asked.

“Because all your heights are 25 cm, and all your heights together are 1 metre!”

“Oh, we see your problem now.”

Once he said bye, he trodded along the concrete path, still searching.

He walked for hours trying to find someone else, but there was no one to be seen. But then, he finally found someone. Unfortunately, he couldn't be friends with them either because they were the 50 cm twins. Their heights already added up to 1 metre because  $50\text{cm} + 50\text{cm} = 100\text{cm}$  which is equal to 1 metre.



"Why can't you be our friend?" they asked, confused.

"Because you are both 50 cm tall, and that means that your heights together already equal 1 metre!"

"Oh, ok. See you later. Bye!"

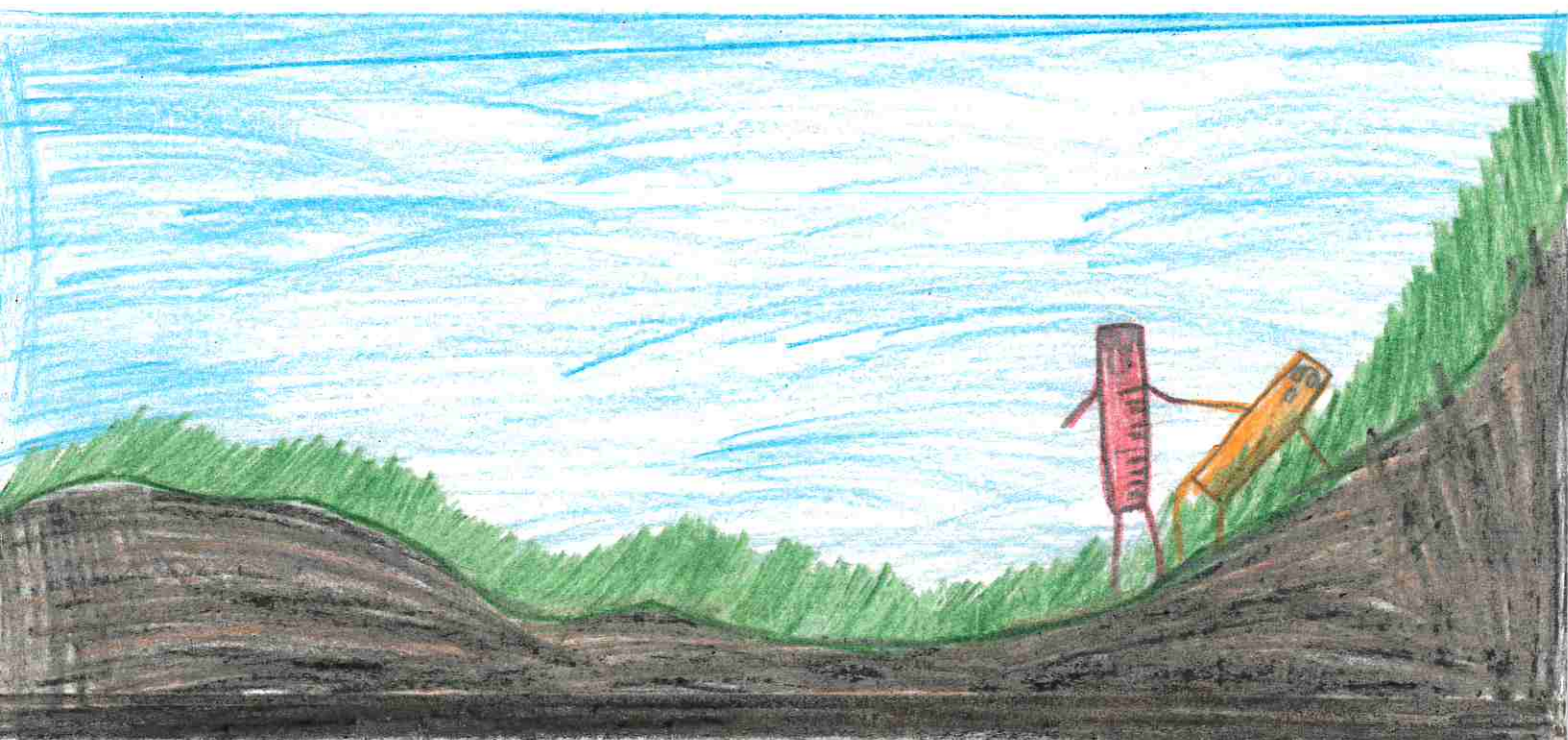
"Bye!" He faded away in the distance.

He strolled around the area, looking for more people. Eventually, he found Mr 90cm and Mr 10cm. But once again, he couldn't be their friend because he knew that  $90\text{ cm} + 10\text{ cm} = 1\text{ metre}$ .



Mr 90cm and Mr 10cm were going to talk to him, but they could tell Mr 33cm wasn't in the mood. He sat on the grass, and sobbed. He didn't think he'd ever find someone to be with him.

But then, someone came up to him. Mr 33cm thought he looked sad too. His name is Mr 67cm. He said that he was also trying to find someone to be with him. Mr 33cm thought about it and realised that that they could be friends because  $33\text{cm} + 67\text{cm} = 1\text{metre}$ .



They decided that they would be perfect for each other and decided to become best friends.

Mr 33cm has just moved in to Measurement Land but he can't find anyone to be friends with him! He has looked all over town, but he just can't find anyone to be friends with him. Will he ever find someone? Or will he never find anyone?



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