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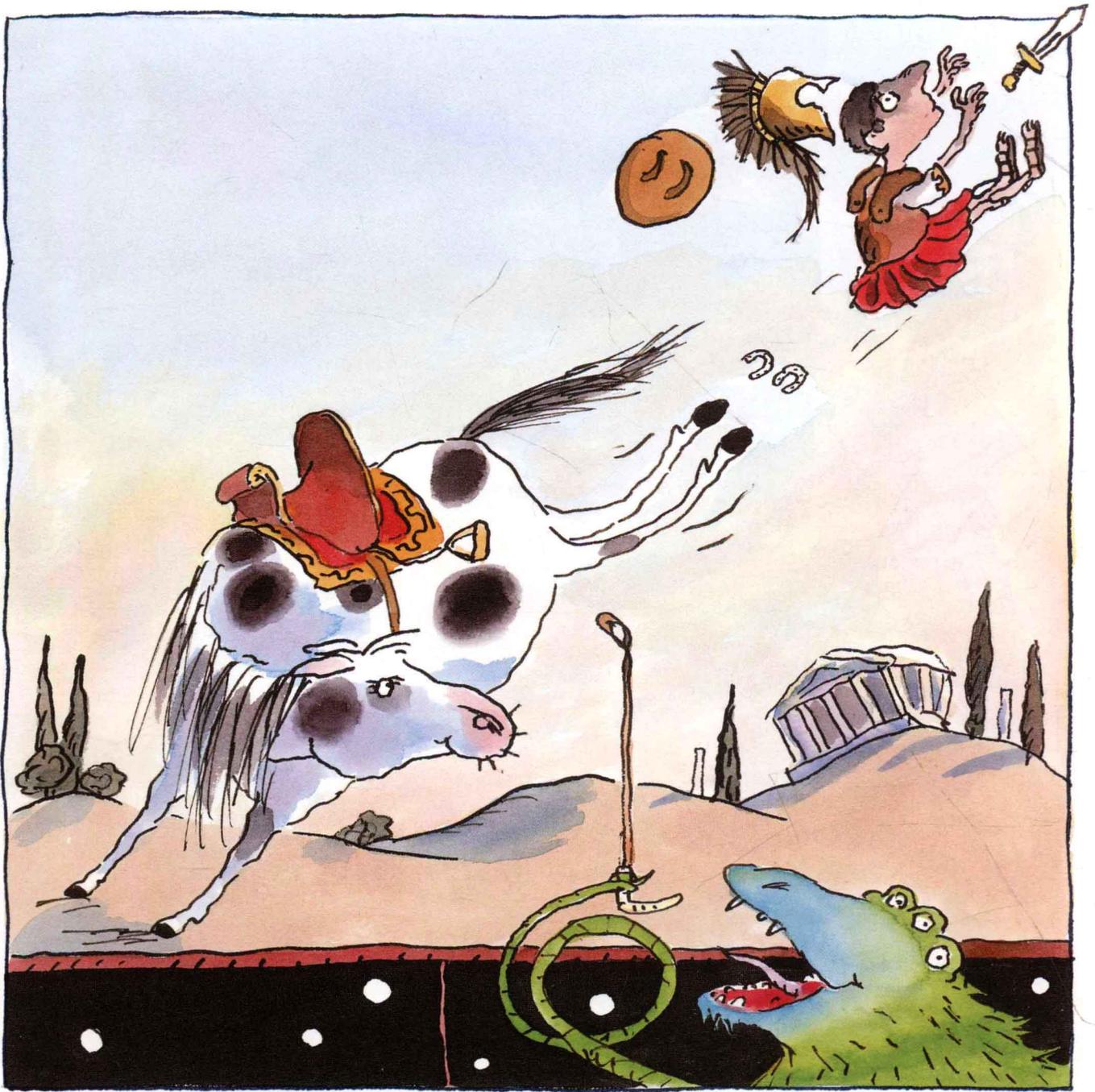
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Good morning, class. Today we are going to learn how earthlings travel.



Earthlings can reach a top speed of one mile in three minutes in their vest and pants.



The oldest form of transport known to them is the Dobbin.



To catch a Dobbin, put a square of sugar on your hand and creep towards him. Grab his hairdo and fling your legs in the air.



When startled Dobbins do a handstand.



This earthlet is able to travel at many miles per hour down a steep slope. He has attached wheels to his footwear, but no brakes.



Here he is again in the casualty department.



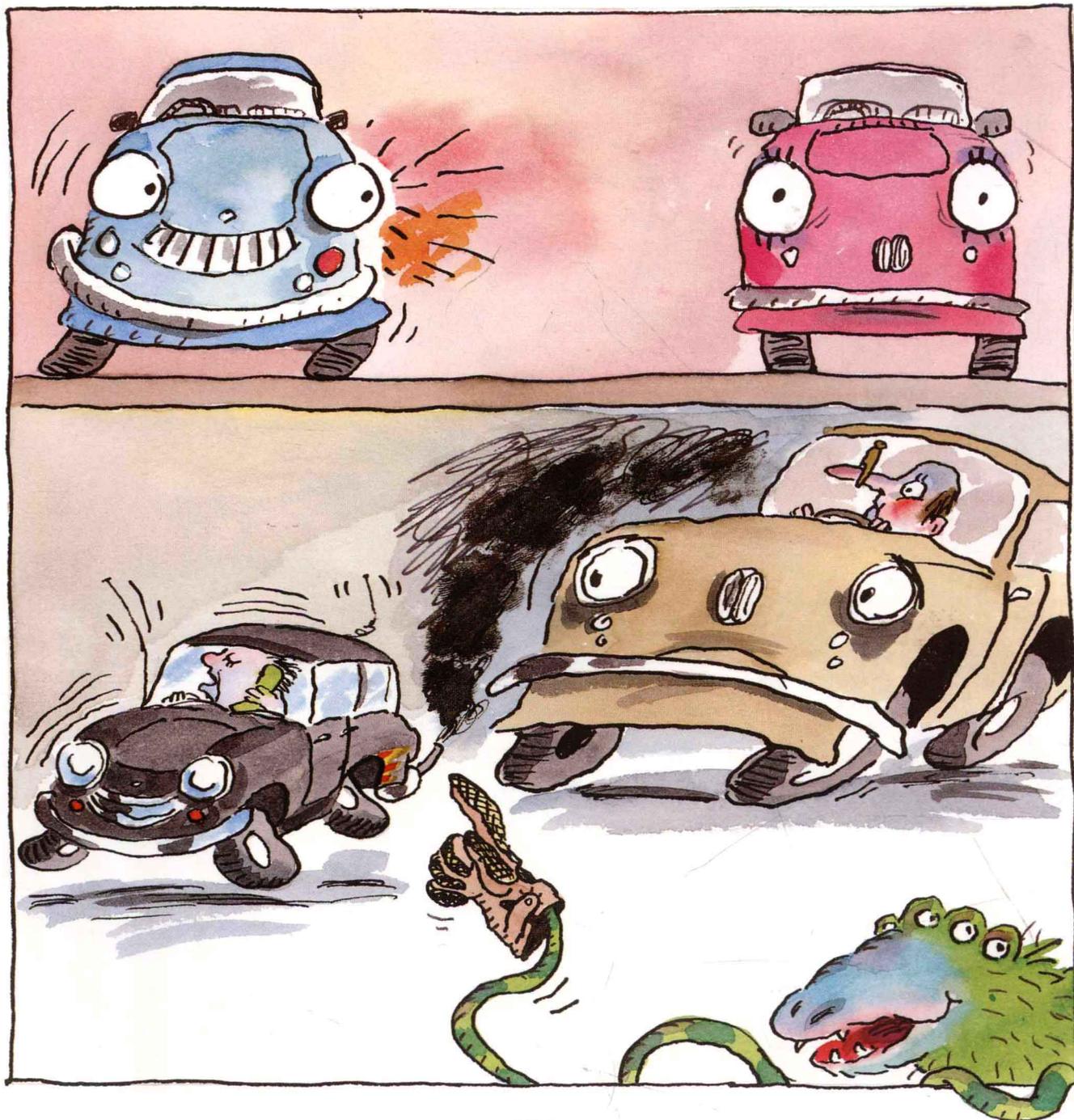
The bicycle is popular. The earthling must hang on to the prongs and move his knees up and down.



He must put a metal clip around his leg to prevent the bicycle eating the trouser.



Earthhounds can run as fast as a bicycle with pigmeat in. If one approaches, press the ting-a-ling and prepare to eject.



A car has many eyes. It winks at its friends with these. It has a tail. Out of this comes stinkfume.



Every Sunday, the earthling strokes the car with a piece of soft material. He lies underneath it and tickles its tummy. For Christmas, he buys it two woolly cubes with dots on.



If someone bumps the car, the earthlings must go out and wave his fist in the air. He then calls the other earthling the son of a baboon and insists that he buys some spectacles.