

Dry paper. Underwater?

A cup. A splash.
A hidden surprise.



GUESS BEFORE YOU SWIPE

Wet? Or dry?

Paper is tucked inside.
The opening goes down first.

What do you think will happen?



FIRST, STRAIGHT DOWN

Still dry!

Gina lowers the cup
without tilting.
Air keeps water from the paper.

Lift it straight up to check.

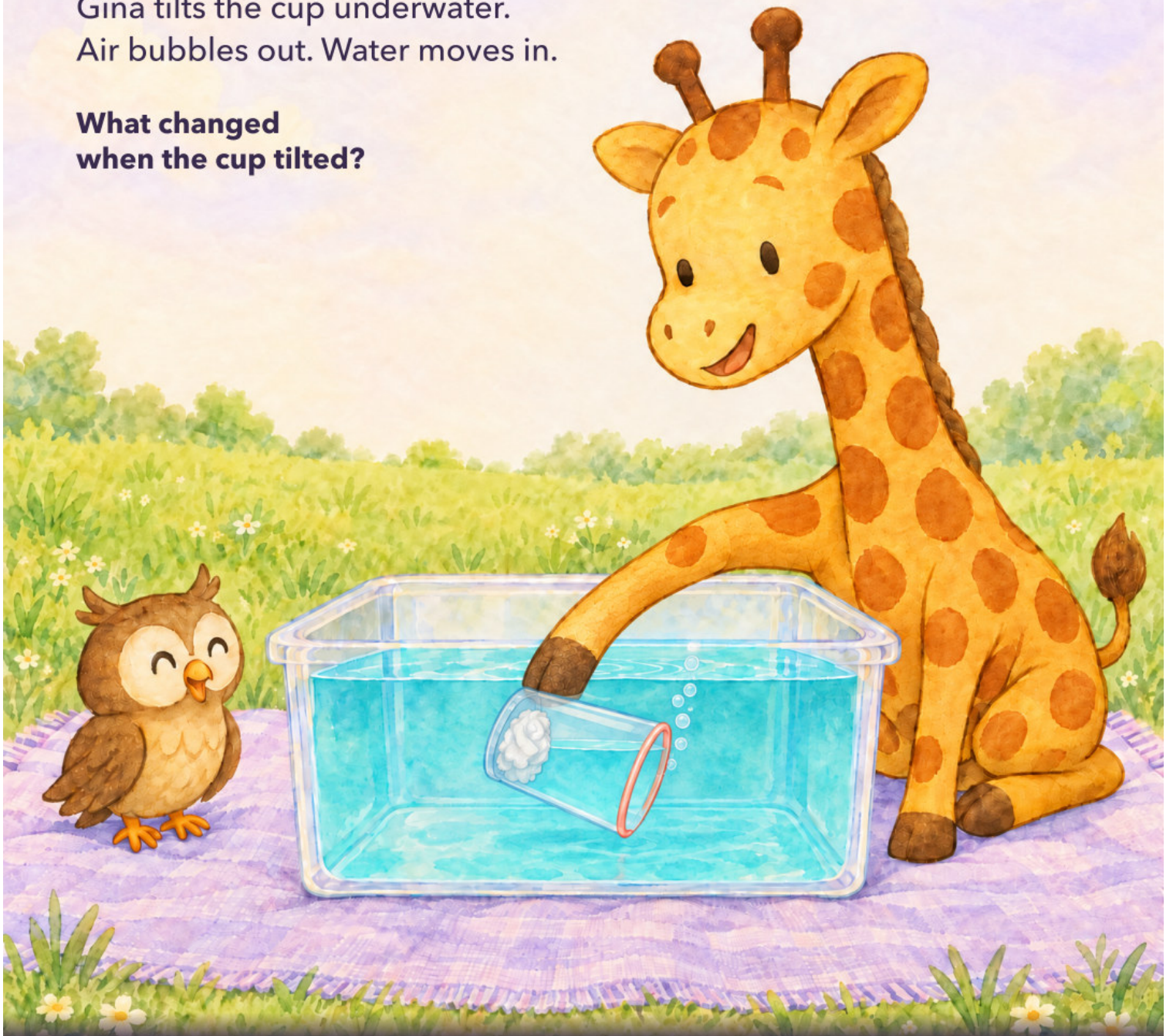


NOW, TRY A TILT

Hello, bubbles!

Gina tilts the cup underwater.
Air bubbles out. Water moves in.

**What changed
when the cup tilted?**

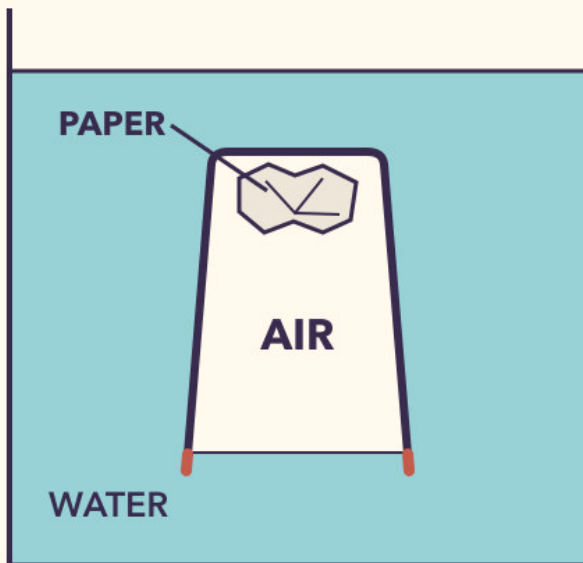


THE PART TO REMEMBER

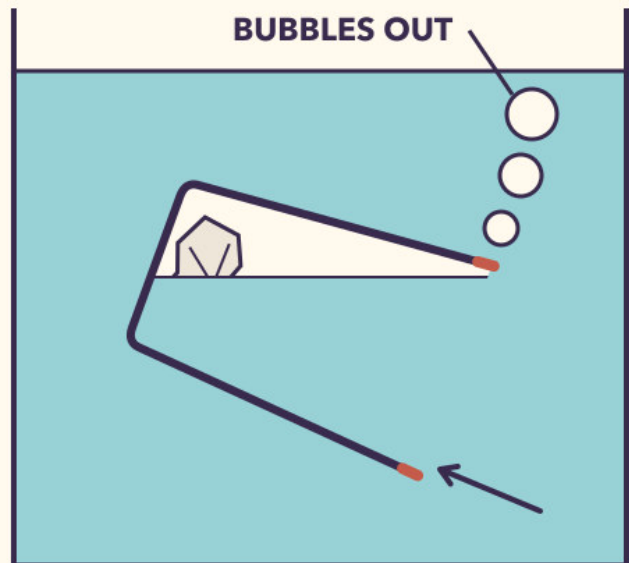
Air takes up space.

The cup was never empty.
Invisible air was inside.

STRAIGHT



TILTED



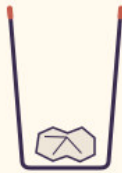
Invisible does not mean empty.

TRY IT TOGETHER

Catch some air.

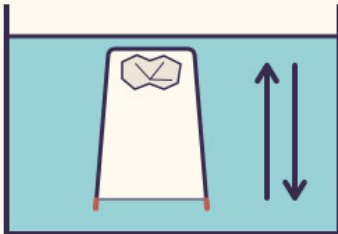
With an adult: a clear plastic cup, paper towel and a small tub of water.

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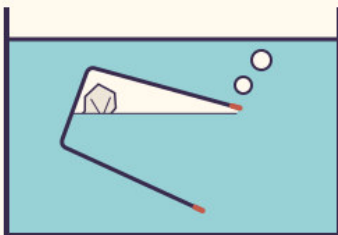
Crumple dry paper.
Wedge it firmly at a
dry cup's closed end.

2



Turn over. Down and up.
Keep straight. Dry the rim.
Check the paper.

3



Try again. Tilt underwater.
Watch for bubbles.

Predict. Try. Tell what you noticed.

Adult stays beside you. No glass.
Wipe spills. Empty the tub afterward.

KEEP EXPLORING TOGETHER

One mystery. Another adventure.

Follow Gina's next water question in
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