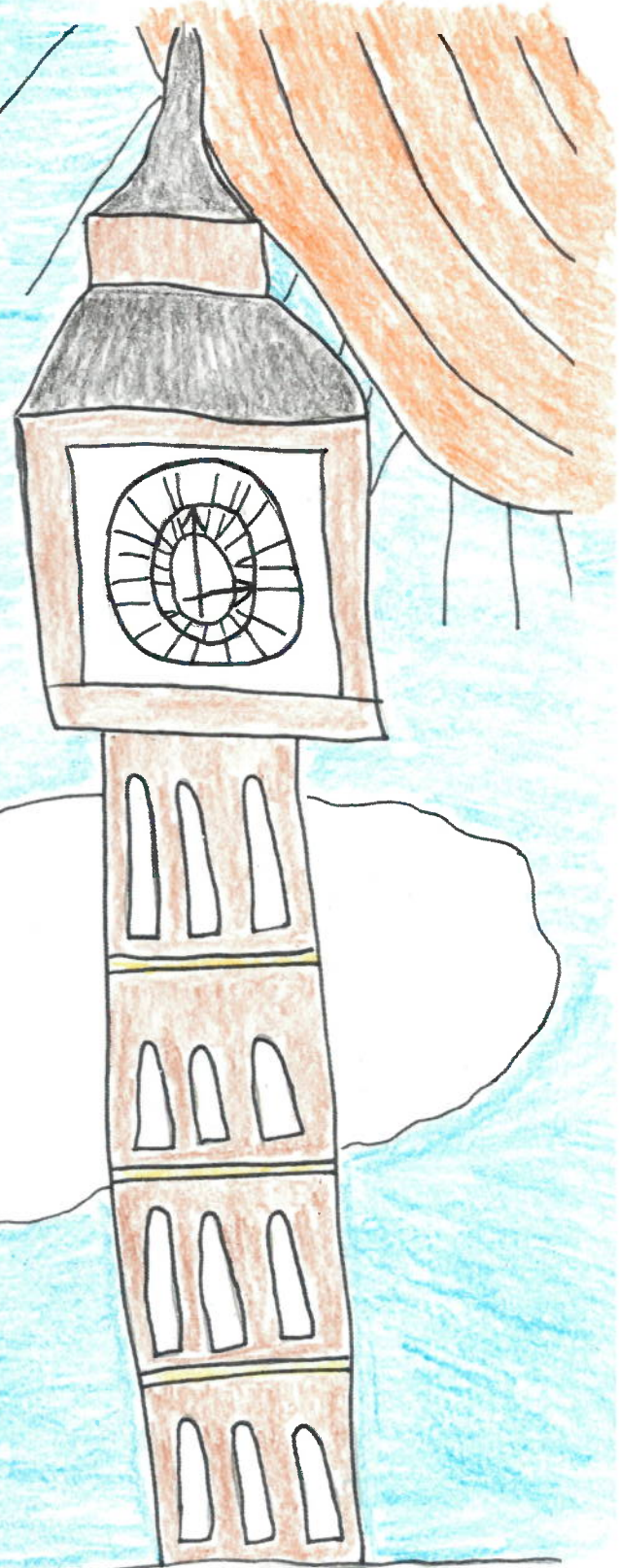
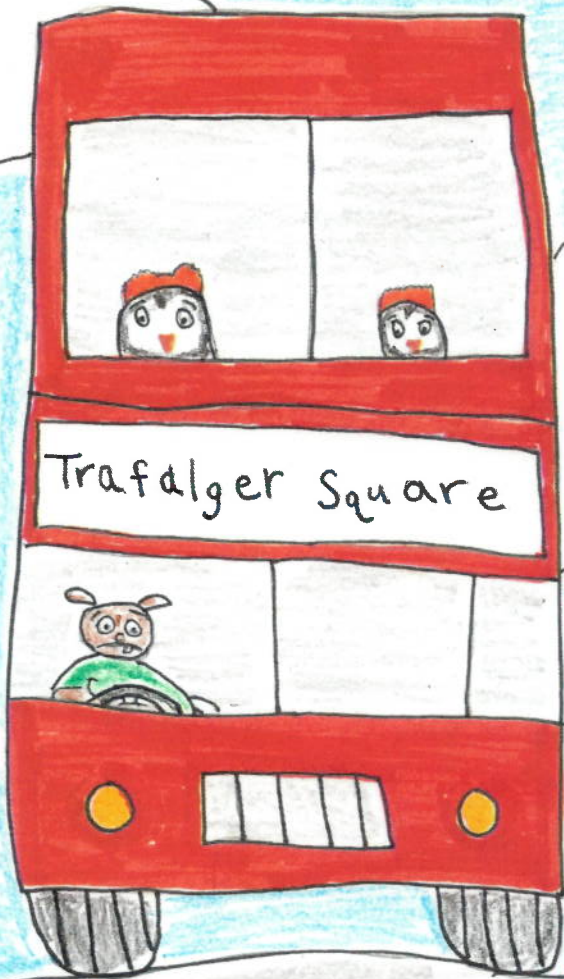


Flappy and Flop Go to LONDON



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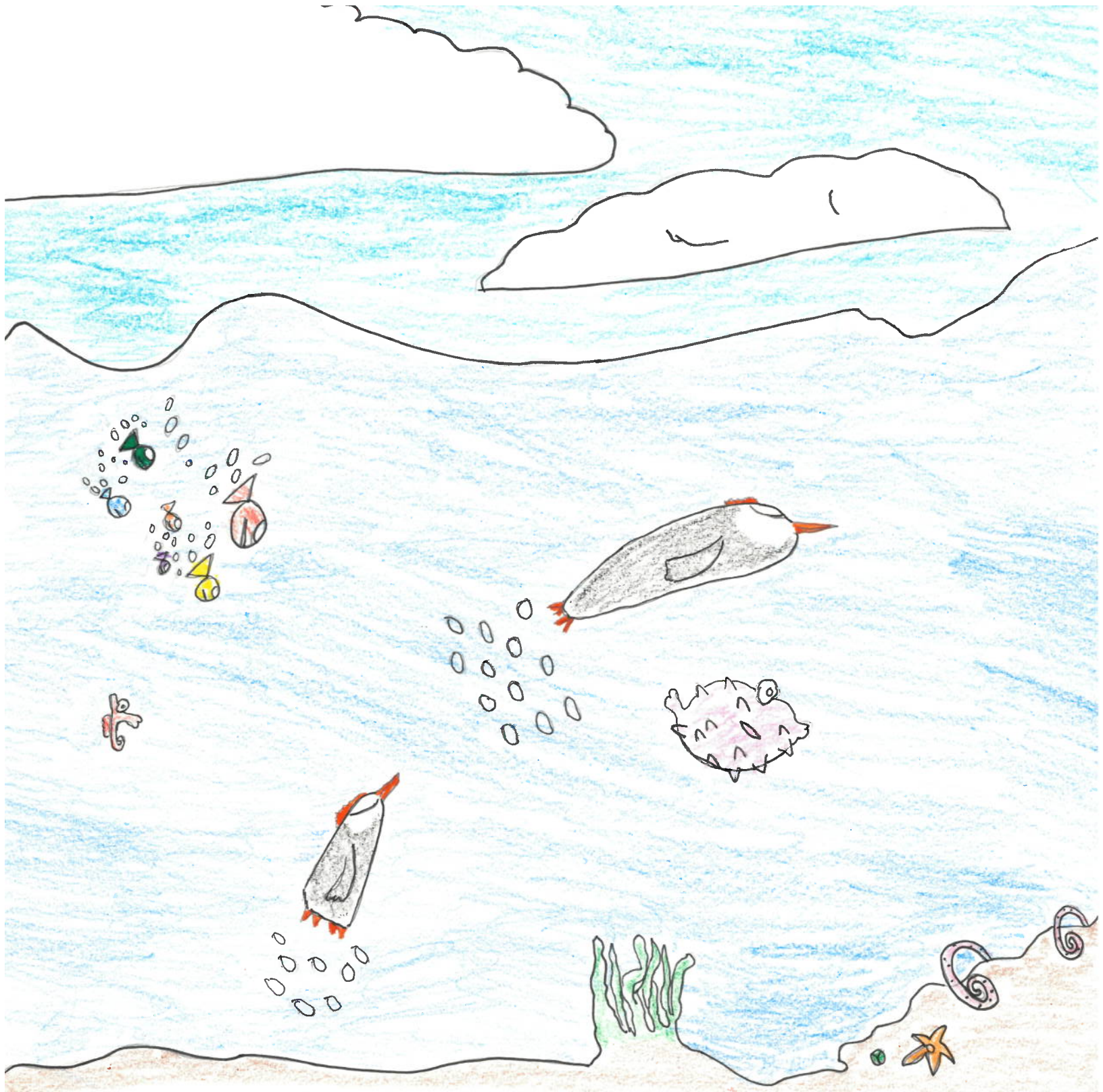
Once there was a short and wide penguin with a very silly waddle.

His name was Flappy.

The little penguin always by his side was Flop.

Today Flop was excited.

His dad was taking him on a special trip.



AS they swam, Flappy explained this wasn't
just any place.
They were going to visit London.



When they arrived, Flop saw a very tall tower with a clock. He saw a red telephone booth and lots of red busses. "Look at the bus, Dad! Can we take one?"





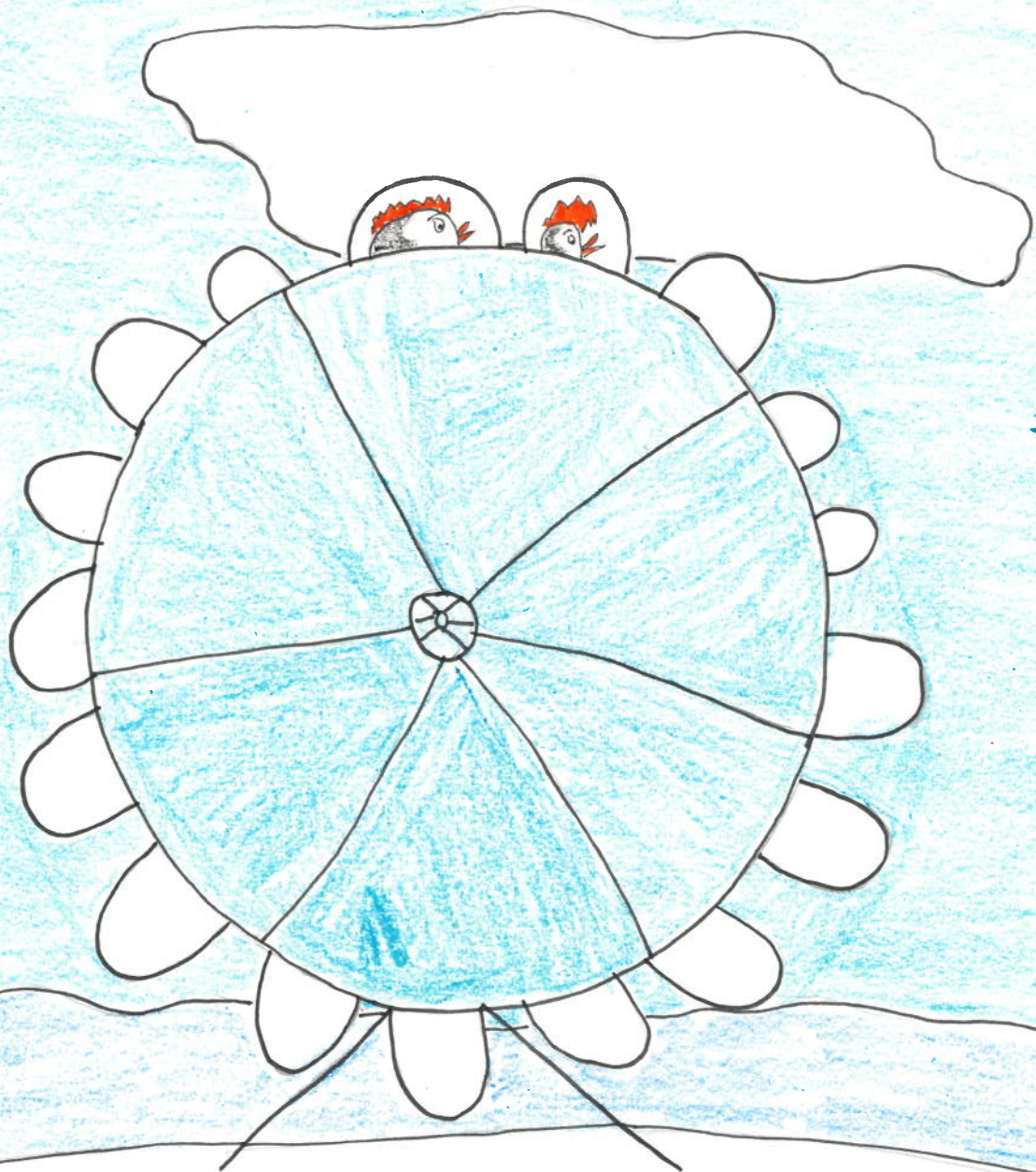
"It's a museum," said Flappy.
Inside there were big paintings.
Hop tried to see, but it was not
easy.



Luckily there was a fountain
outside... but not for swimming.
Sadly they waddled across the street.
"Hold my wing, so you don't get lost," Flappy
told Flop.



The penguins were hungry but
they were also wet.
"Sorry, you can't go here."
They waddled on.

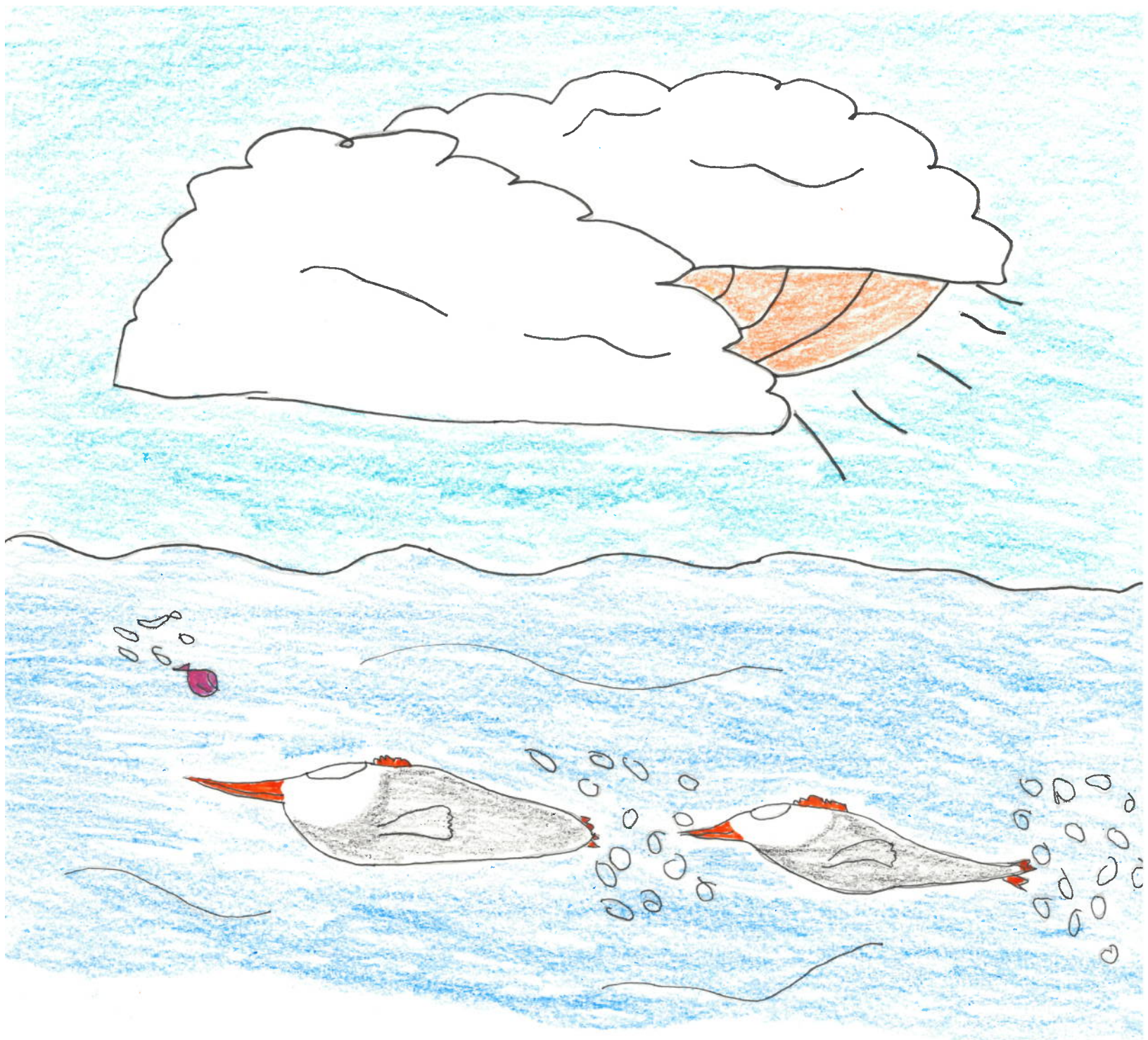


"What is that big Spinning
circle, Dad?"

It was the London Eye.

They happily jumped on.

They saw the river and a big
bridge.



Soon it was time to go home for
supper.

They swam together thinking of
all the sights they saw.



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