HONING YOUR SCRIBBLES & SCRAWLS

WITH JAMES FOLEY!

& STELLARPHANT!

1. Watch Story Tools Series 3, Lesson 7: FROM SKETCH TO FINISHED ART.

2. Watch STELLARPHANT by James Foley on the StoryBox Hub website.

2. Choose ONE of the prompts below.

3. Use the spaces on the next page to experiment with some sketches and rough illustrations.

4. Polish and finish your illustration!

Stellarphant must have made some practise space suits before finding one that worked! Draw her in a not-quite-right suit.

What other exercises might Stellarphant have needed to do in the gym? Choose one, and draw her doing it.

Stellarphant had to study a LOT to become an astronaut. Draw her taking a hard test.

Stellarphant would have been AMAZED when she stepped out for her first space walk. Draw that!

Stellarphant could go anywhere in space - perhaps even the moon! Draw her exploring another planet.

What - or who - might she find in space? Draw Stellarphant on another space adventure.

Some techniques that you may like to try:

- Colour - can set a mood and tone. How could you use colour to do this?
- Line - how can you use line to help show movement or direction?
- Size - how big or small are things in comparison to one another?
- Gaze - is the character looking at the reader, away or at something?
- Movement - how can movement or stillness be shown?
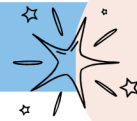- Composition - how have different elements in the illustration been arranged?

Remember, your roughs DON'T need to be perfect! Take your time, experiment, and have fun figuring out what works for YOU!

Take a look at James's examples on pages 4-10.

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Draw a rough, pencil sketch of your illustration.

Use this space to PLAY with your roughs, sketches, doodles and ideas!
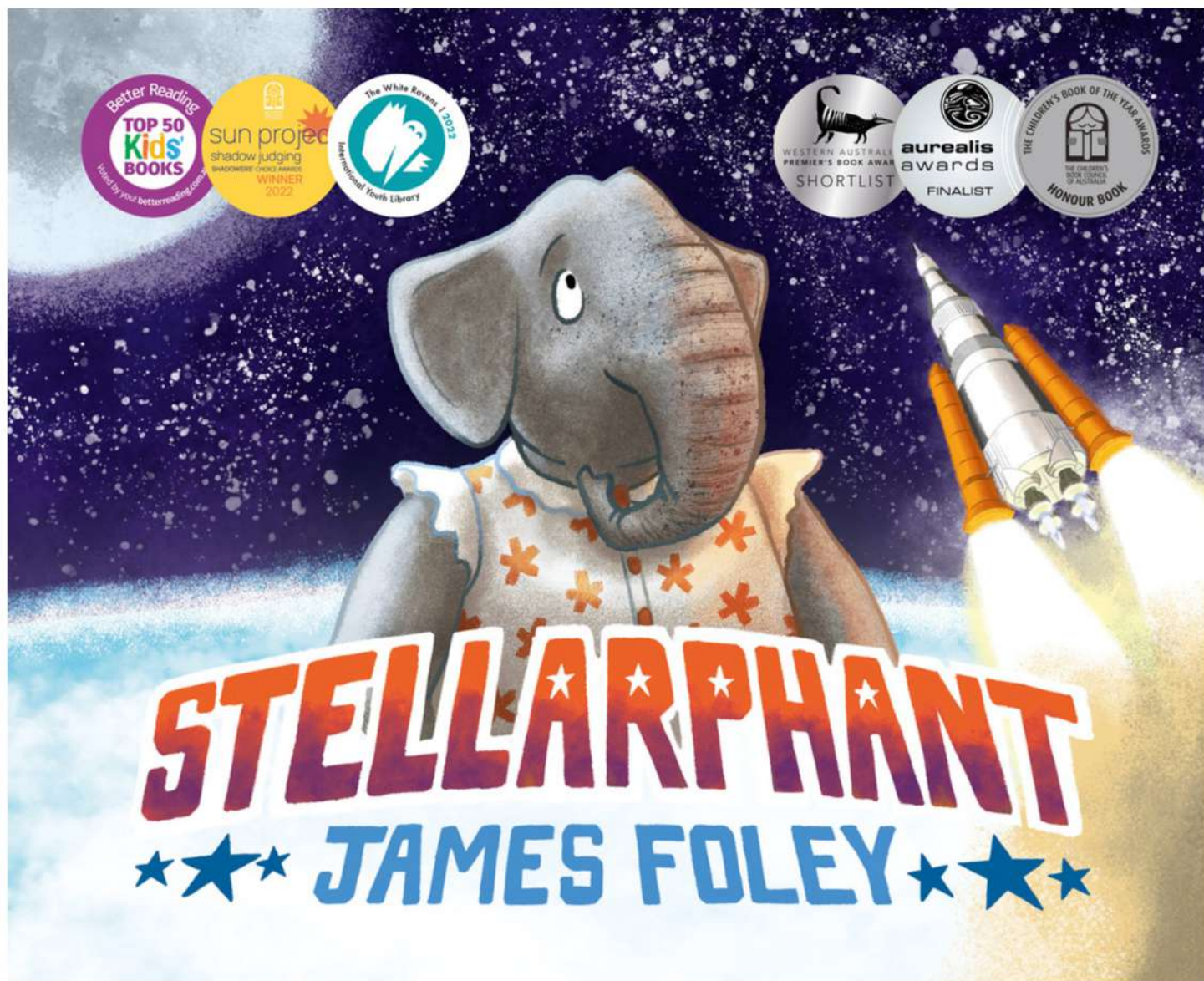
Try it again! Try something else!

Make it a bit cleaner. Fix any mistakes or things you want to improve.

Experiment with some colour.

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FINISH YOUR ILLUSTRATION!

Stellarphant
Written and Illustrated by
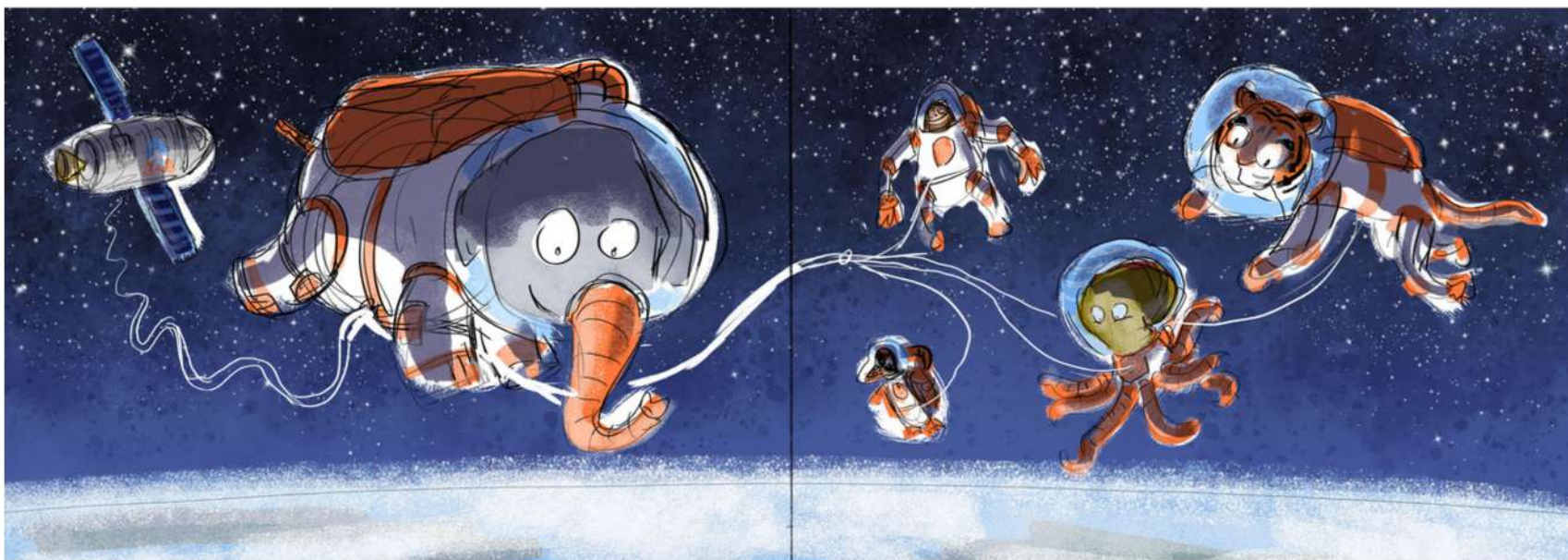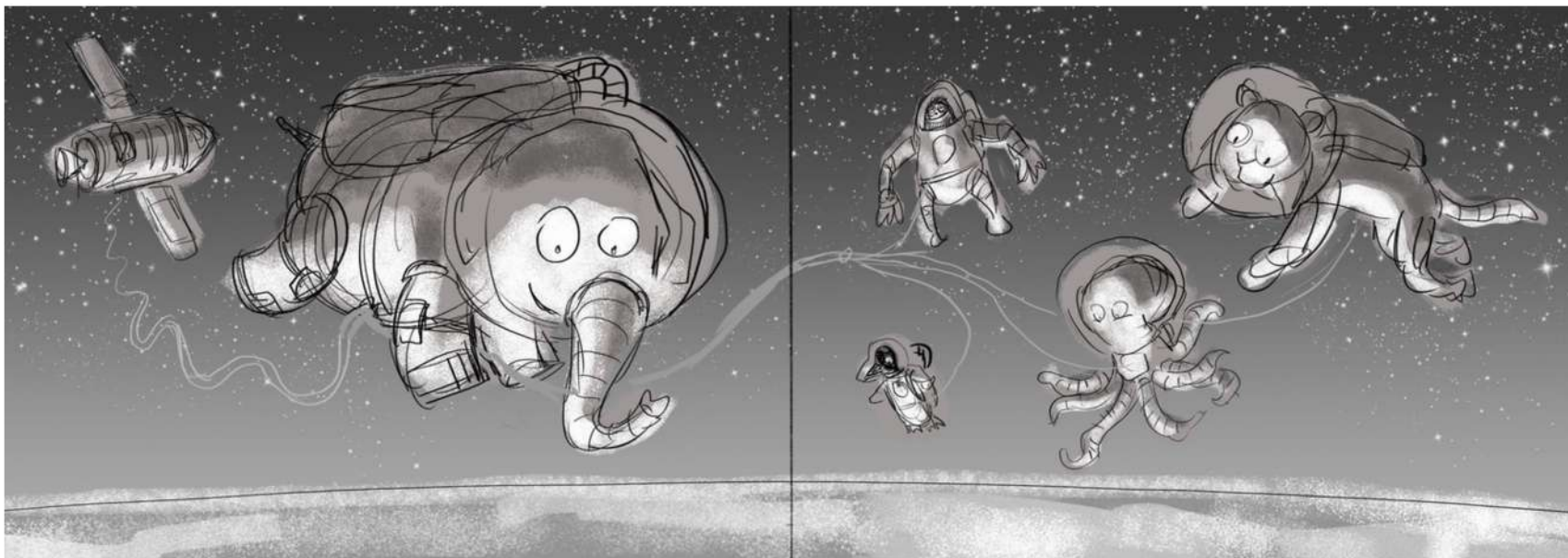James Foley
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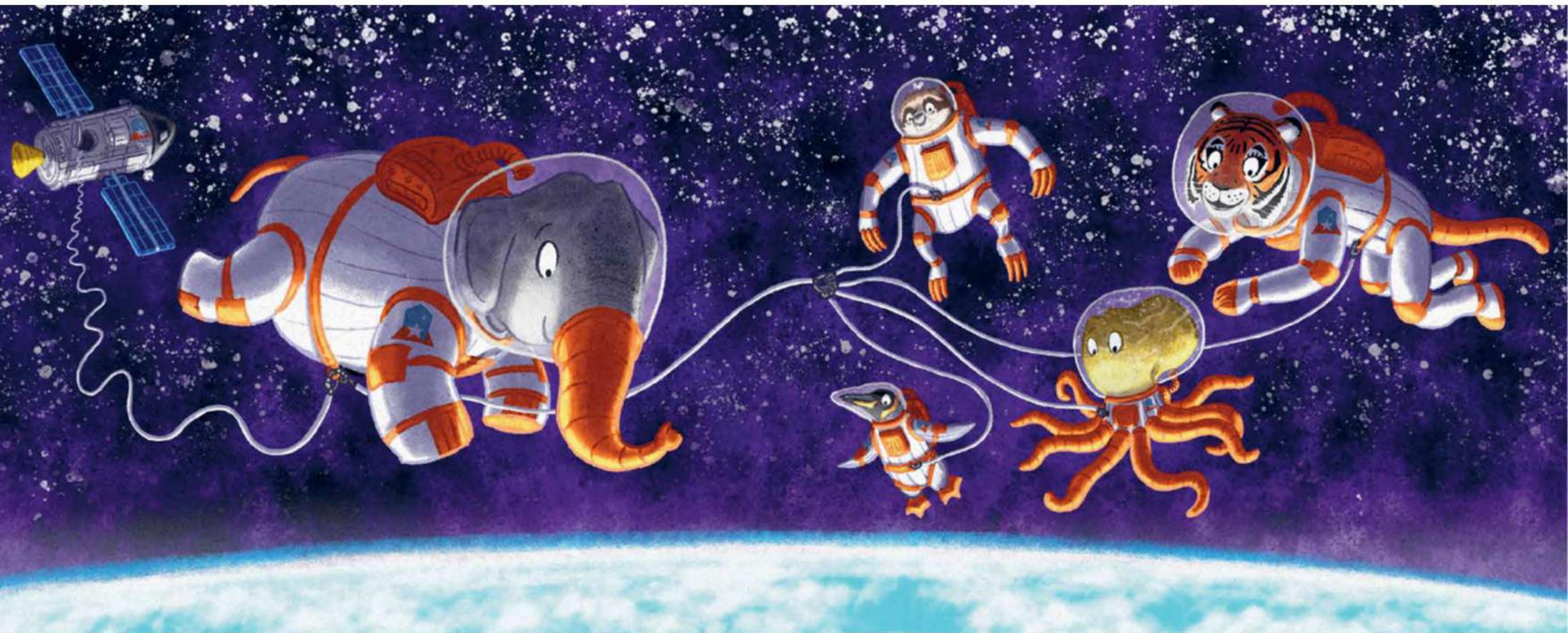*FOR DISPLAY ONLY – NOT TO BE PRINTED*

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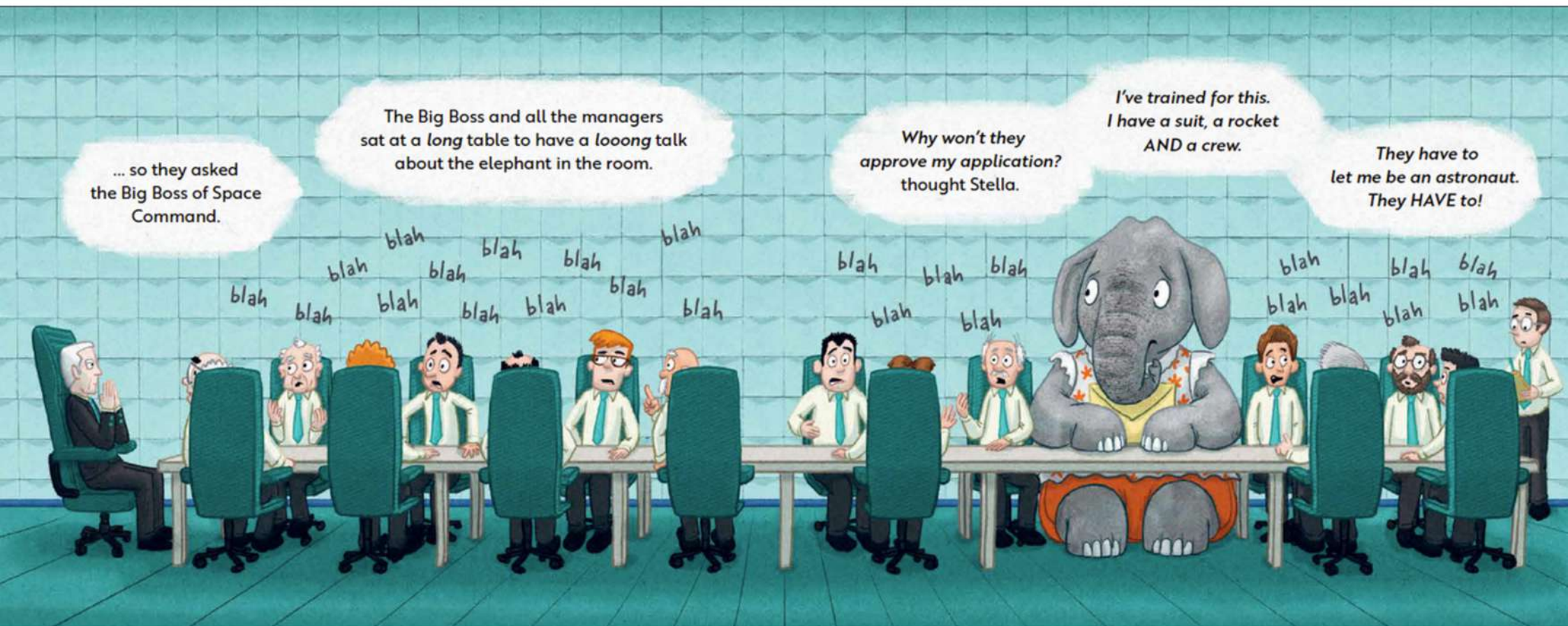
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