

Level 4 – Blue

Helpful Hints for Helping Your Child to Read

E E A F E G A E E F
 A E F E A G A E A E F E
 CA CA BEF D B A C E .

Phase 3			
j (jug)	v (van)	w (wet)	x (fox)
y (yellow)	z (zoo)	zz (buzz)	qu (quick)
ch (chip)	sh (shop)	th (thin/then)	ng (ring)
ai (rain)	ee (feet)	igh (night)	oa (boat)
oo (boot/look)	ar (farm)	or (for)	ur (hurt)
ow (cow)	oi (coin)	ear (dear)	air (fair)
ure (sure)	er (corner)		

E E A E E D C C D A
 F D C .

Phase 3 Tricky Words			
he	you	she	they
we	all	me	are
be	my	was	her

GPC focus: /igh/ar/

TOP TIPS FOR HELPING YOUR CHILD TO READ:

- Allow children time to break down unfamiliar words into units of sound and then encourage children to string these sounds together to create the word.
- Encourage your child to point out any focus phonics when they are used.
- Read through the book more than once to grow confidence.
- Ask simple questions about the text to assess understanding.
- Encourage children to use illustrations as prompts.

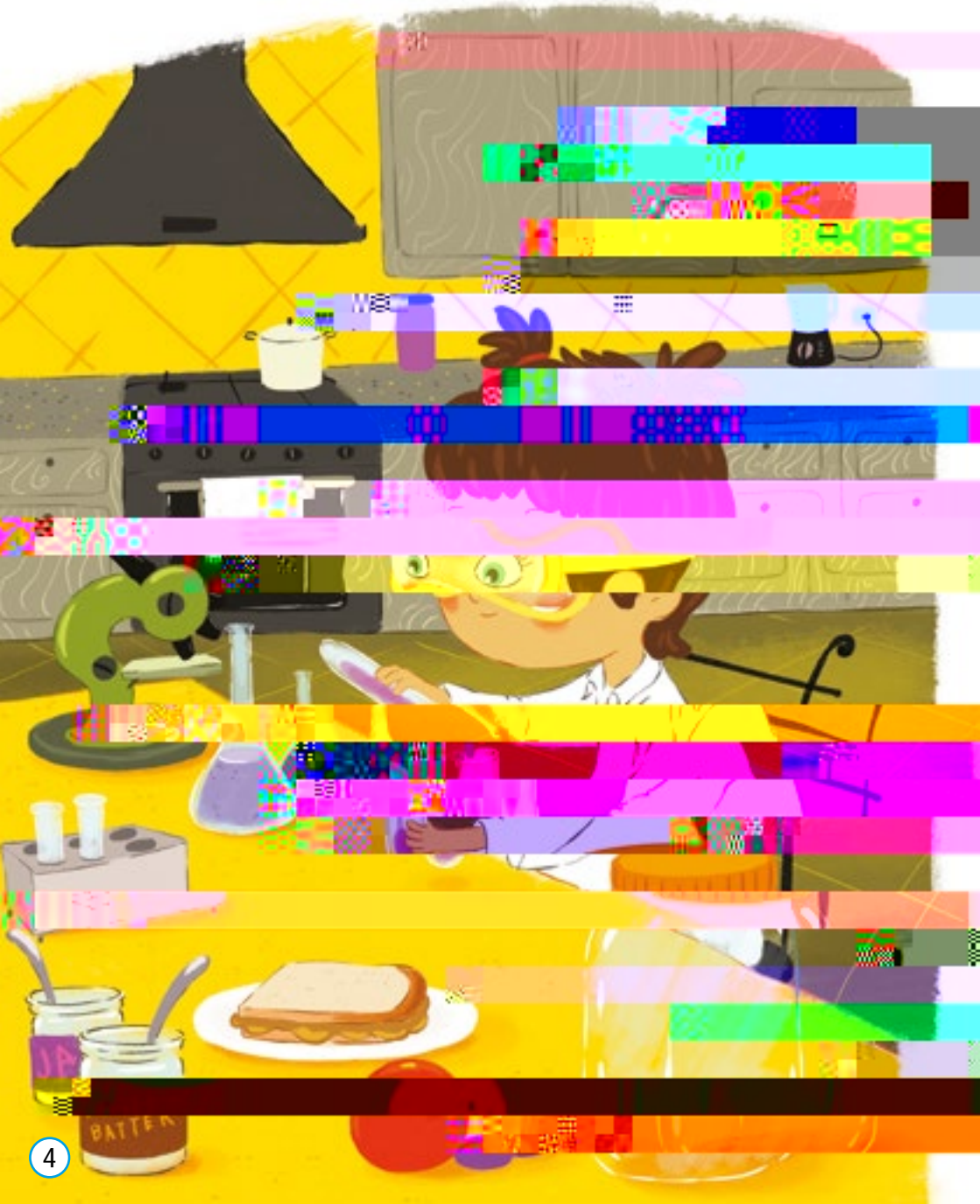
The Land in the Jar



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Carlee had a project to do. She had to hand it in that week.



She had a think. Then she had a plan.



She did the jar up tight and put in a vent.



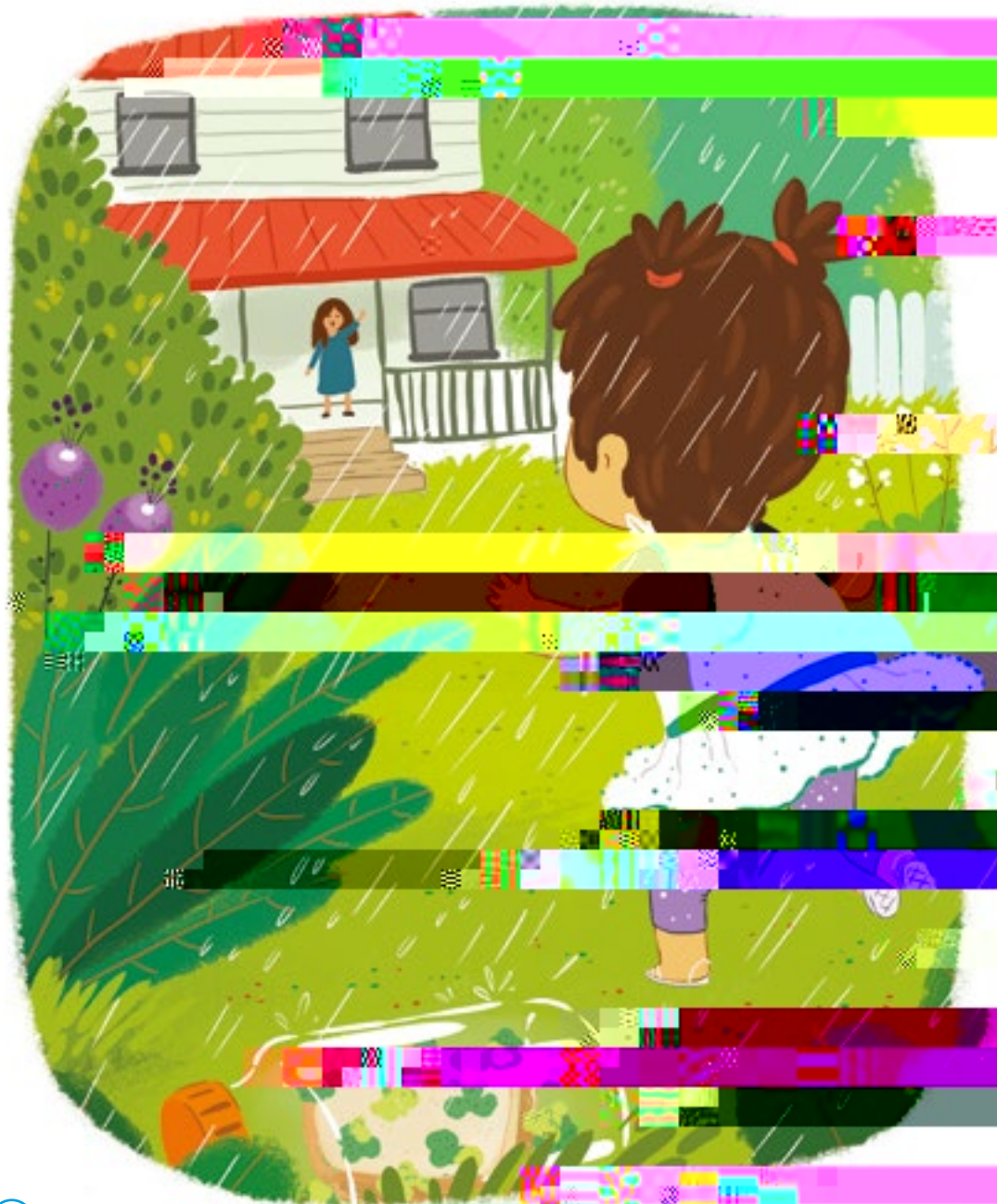
Carlee took the jar with her to the park.



She took it to bed at night and held it tight to her.



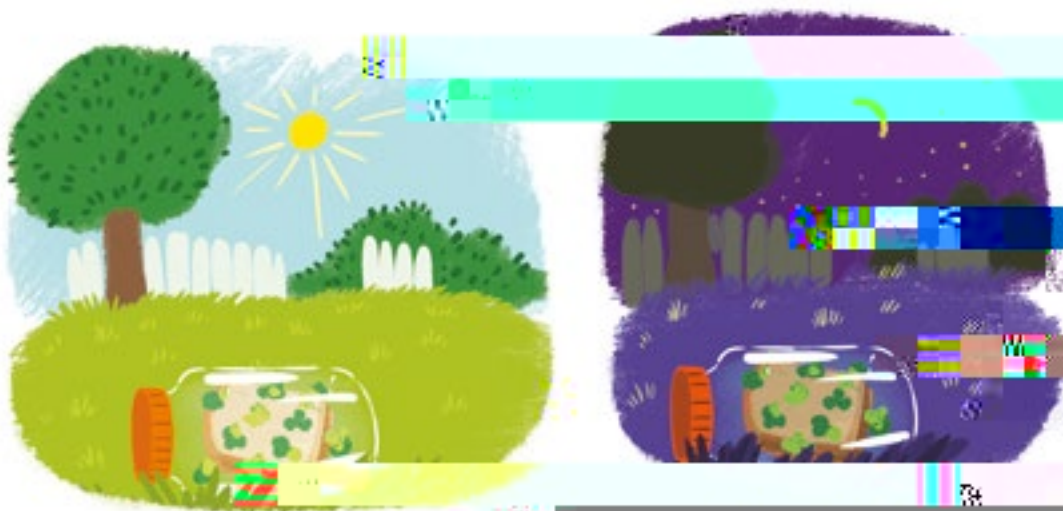
She took it to the yard. "Carlee, the rain!"



The jar sat in the rain. Boom! Lightning hit the jar.



The jar sat in the yard that night.
Carlee did not go back for the jar.



Carlee had to hand it in.
“ We must go, Carlee.”



“ The jar!”

Carlee ran to the yard and took a look.



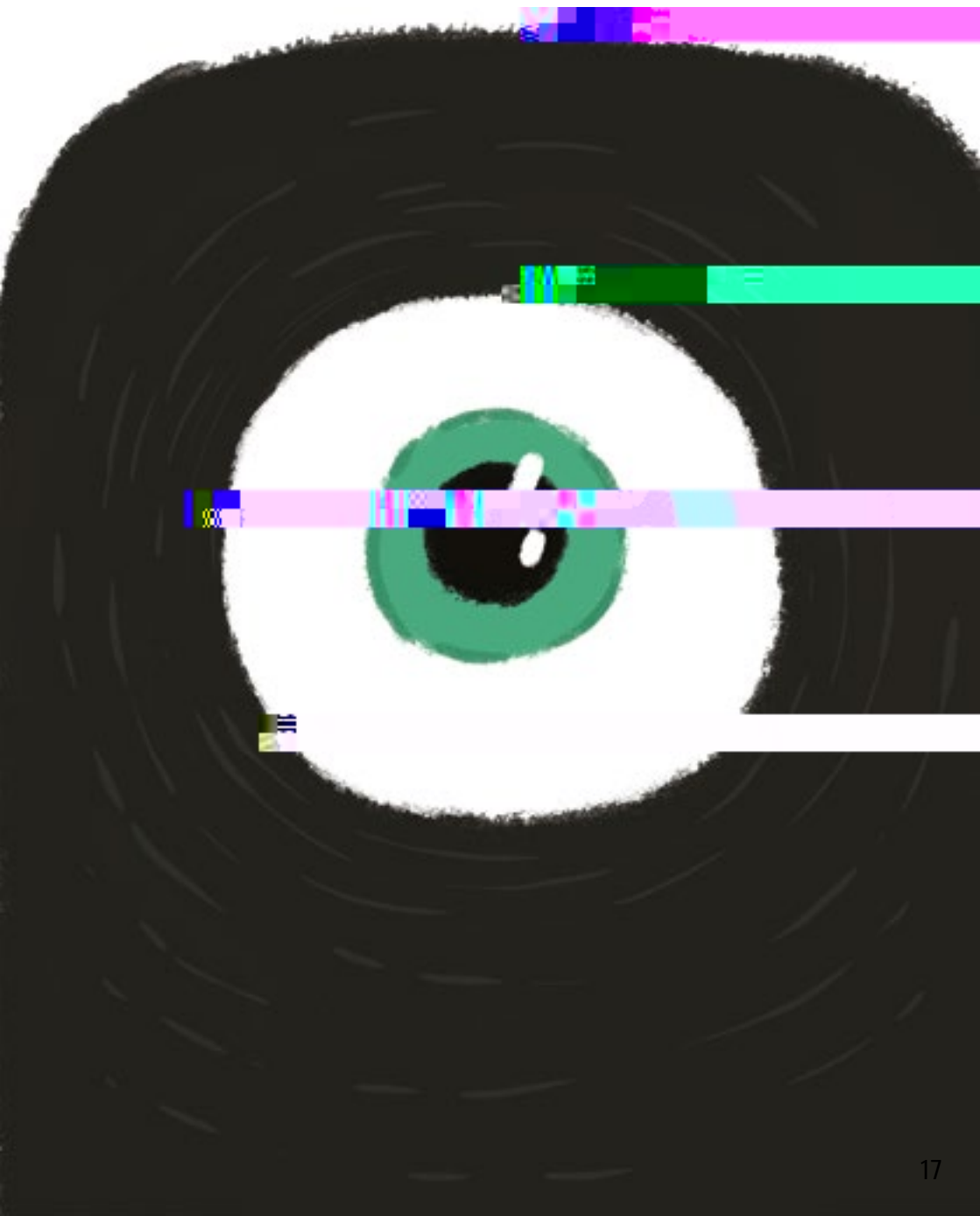
Carlee had a look. It had to win!



She ran right back in to get a good look.



“ That is odd!” Was that... No... Was it?



The jar had a tree and a kid and a car!
It was such a sight!



The jar! All of this in the jar!



She took a look at a man with a bell on his arm.



He was mad. His arm shot high up.
Carlee took a look.



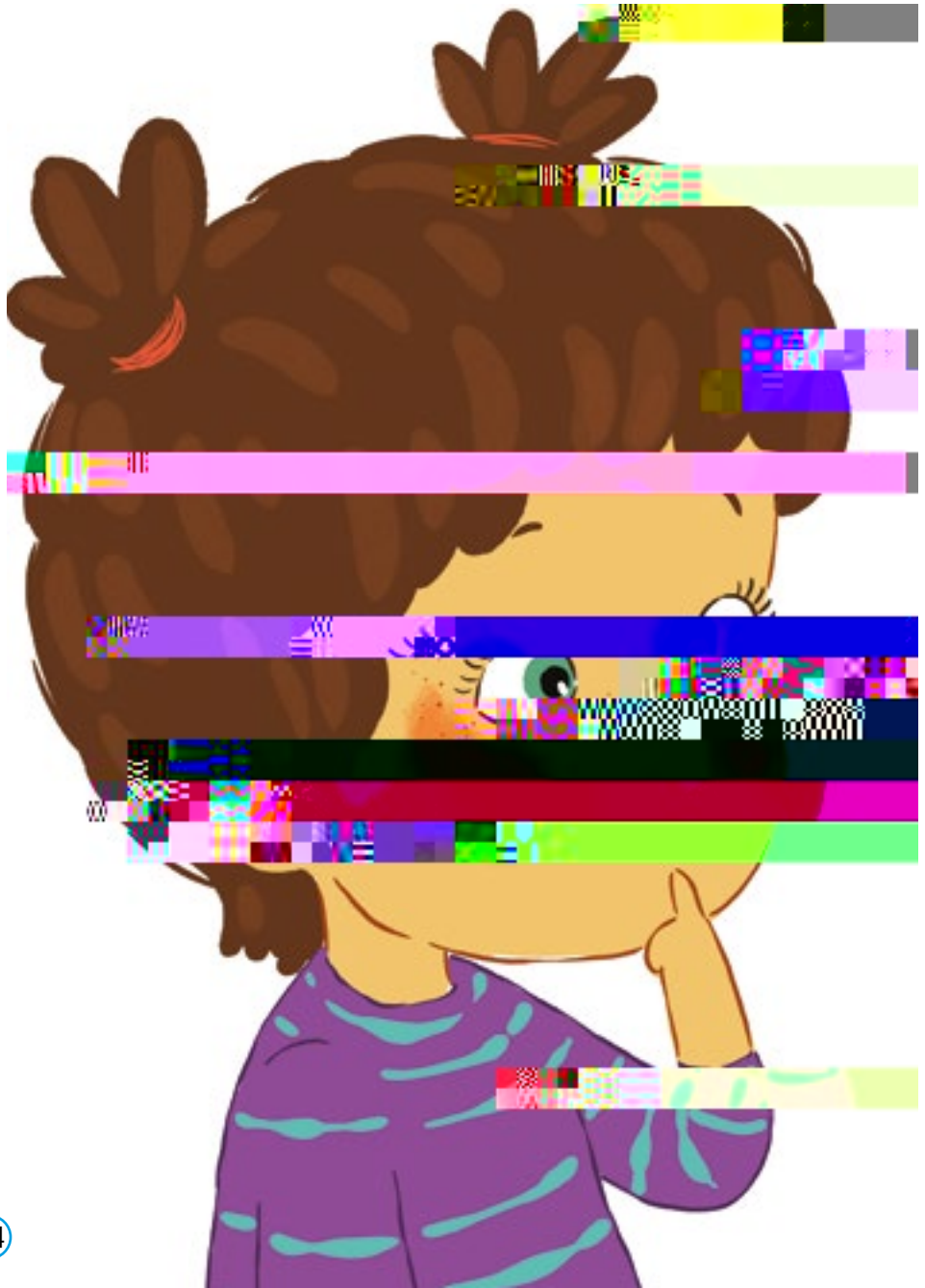
“Carlee, if we do not get a lot of jars,
we will go.”



“ We need a big jar – a lot of jars! Or we will all go when Miss Tarn has a look!”



“ If we go, you will not win. Will you get us a lot of jars, Carlee?”



“A lot of jars – all right. I will get you all the jars.”



Carlee took the jar in. Miss Tarn got up.
“... and the thing that will win is...”



"... this jar, Carlee!"

Carlee took a look in the jar.



That week she got ten jars. She took all the jars up to her room.



Soon Carlee's room was all jars and they did not fit in her room.



The Land in the Jar

1. What did Carlee put in her jar at the beginning of the story?
2. Where did Carlee take the jar to?
3. What did the man have on his arm?
 - (a) A jar
 - (b) A horn
 - (c) A bell
4. How many jars did Carlee get?
5. Why was the man angry? How did Carlee make him feel better?

Life



