

QUARANTINE



A COMICS ANTHOLOGY

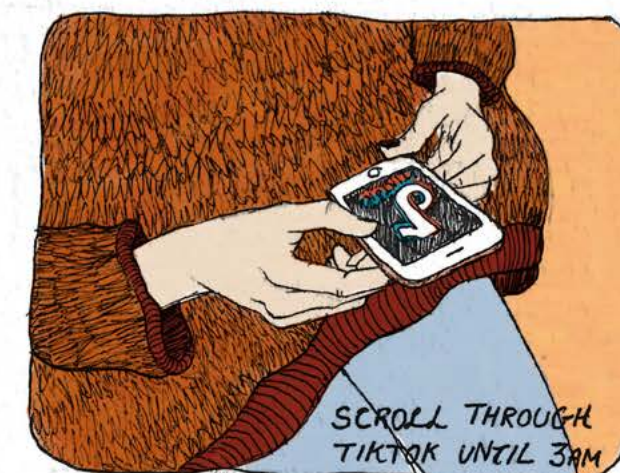
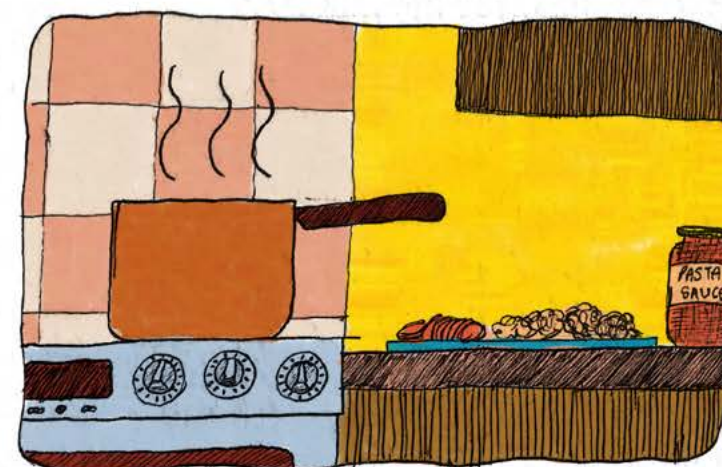
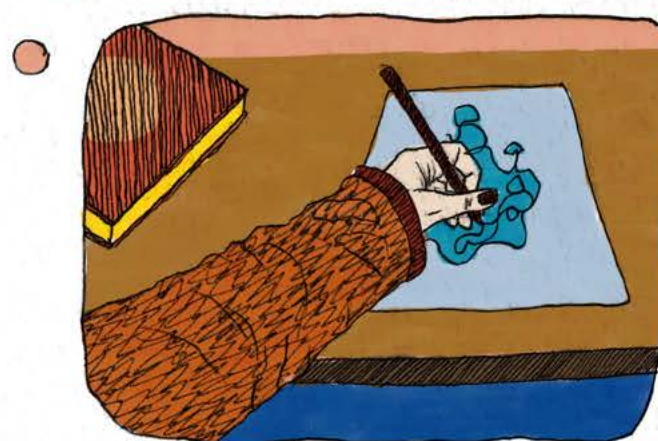
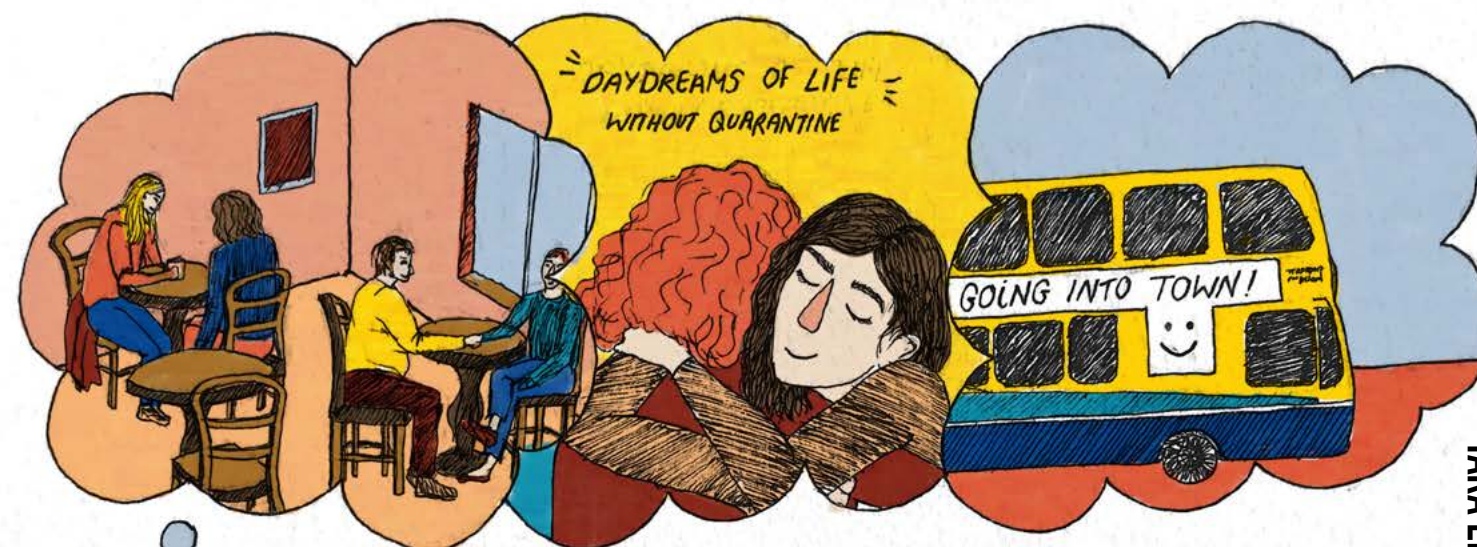
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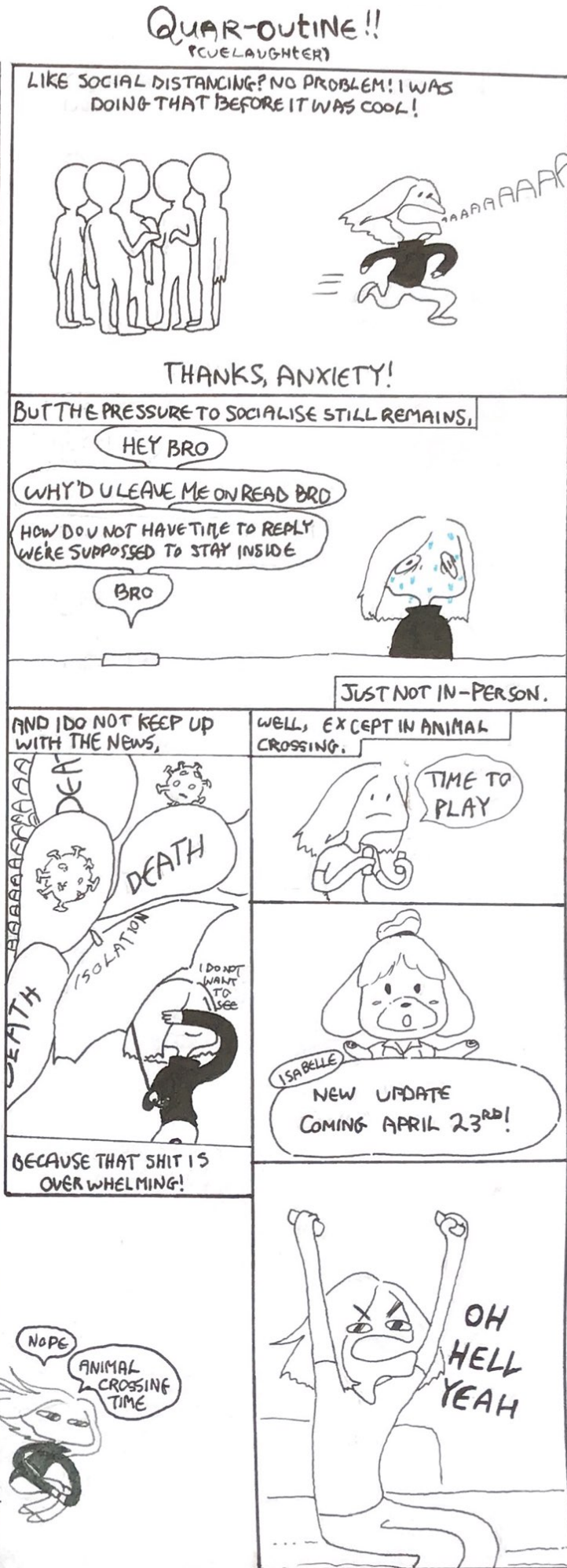
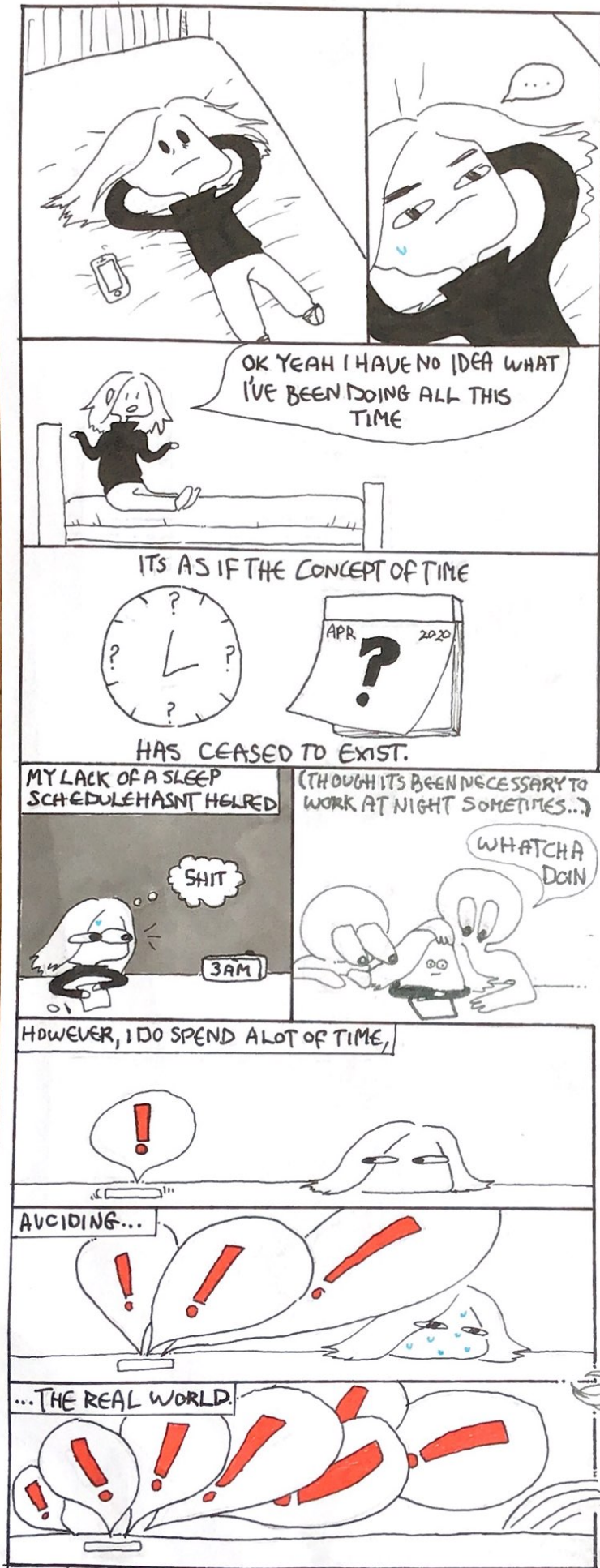
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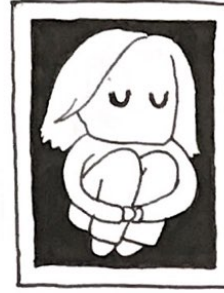


TARA LYNCH





BUT ISOLATION IS NOTHING NEW FOR ME



IT WAS ALWAYS MY DEFAULT OPTION WHEN THINGS GOT ROUGH (LIKE THIS PAST WINTER HAS BEEN).

THOUGH NOW THAT I'M ACTUALLY WRITING THIS, I REALISE...



HOLY SHIT.

BUT WHATEVER.



HOW MUCH LONGER CAN I LIVE LIKE THIS?



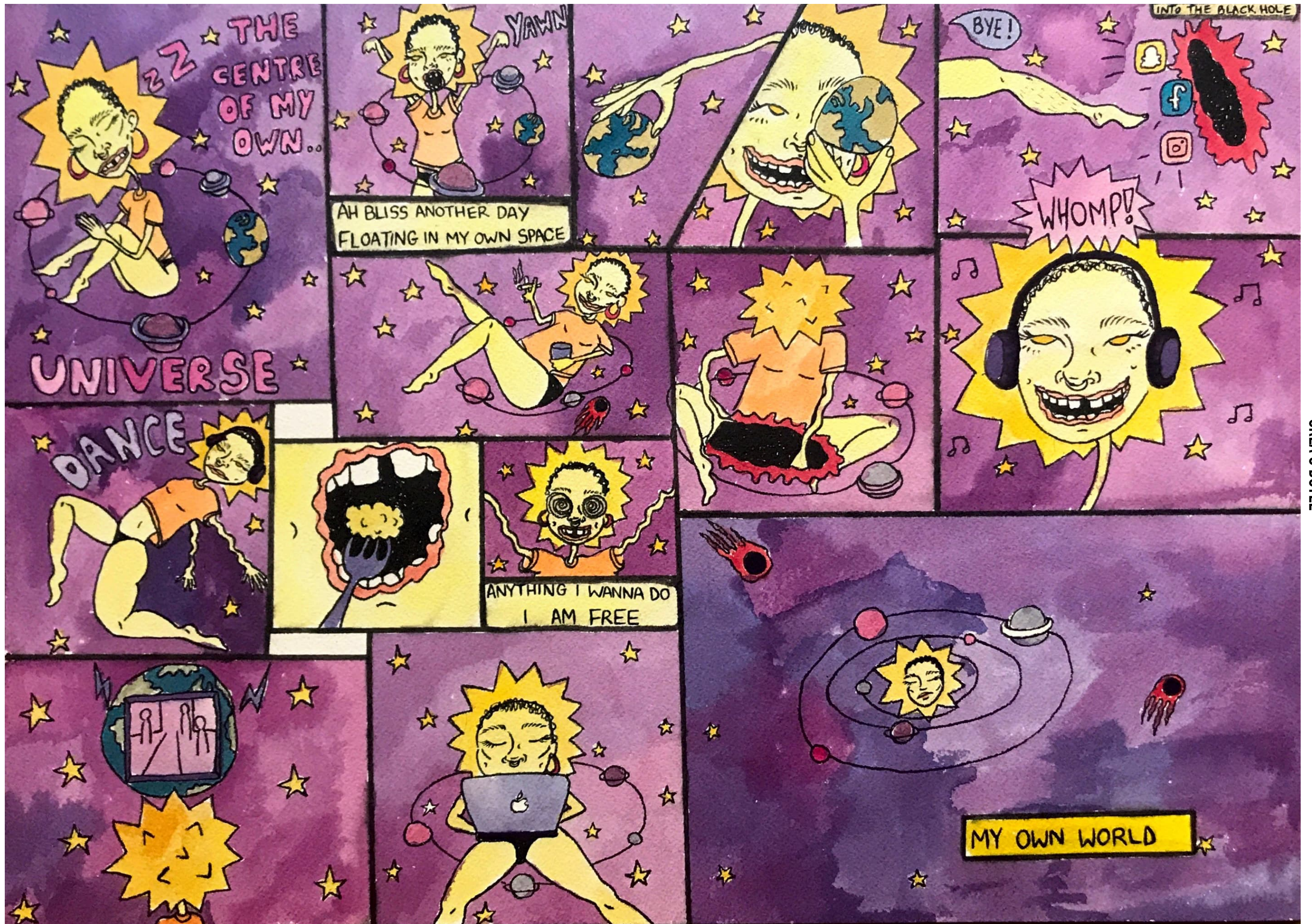
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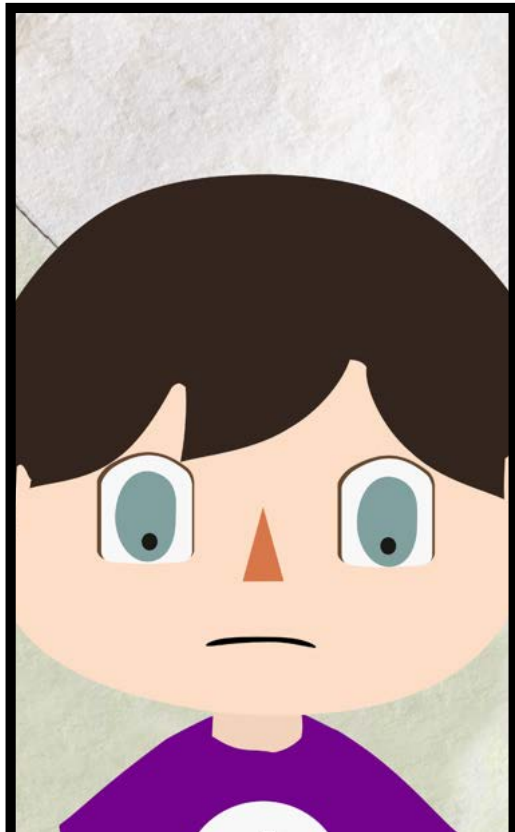
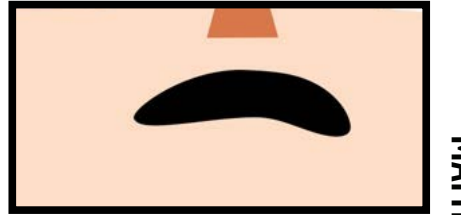
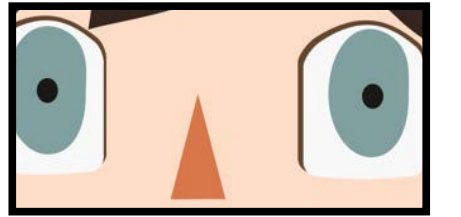
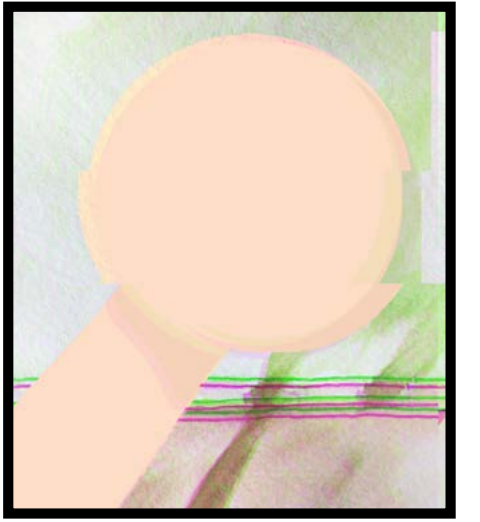
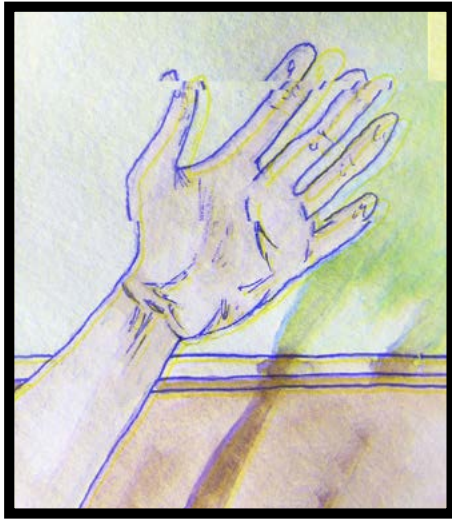
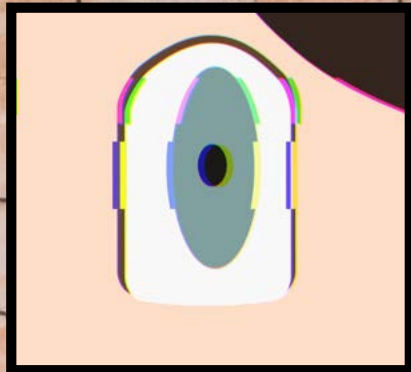
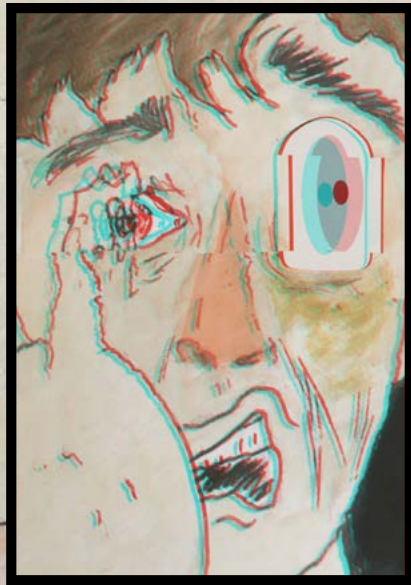
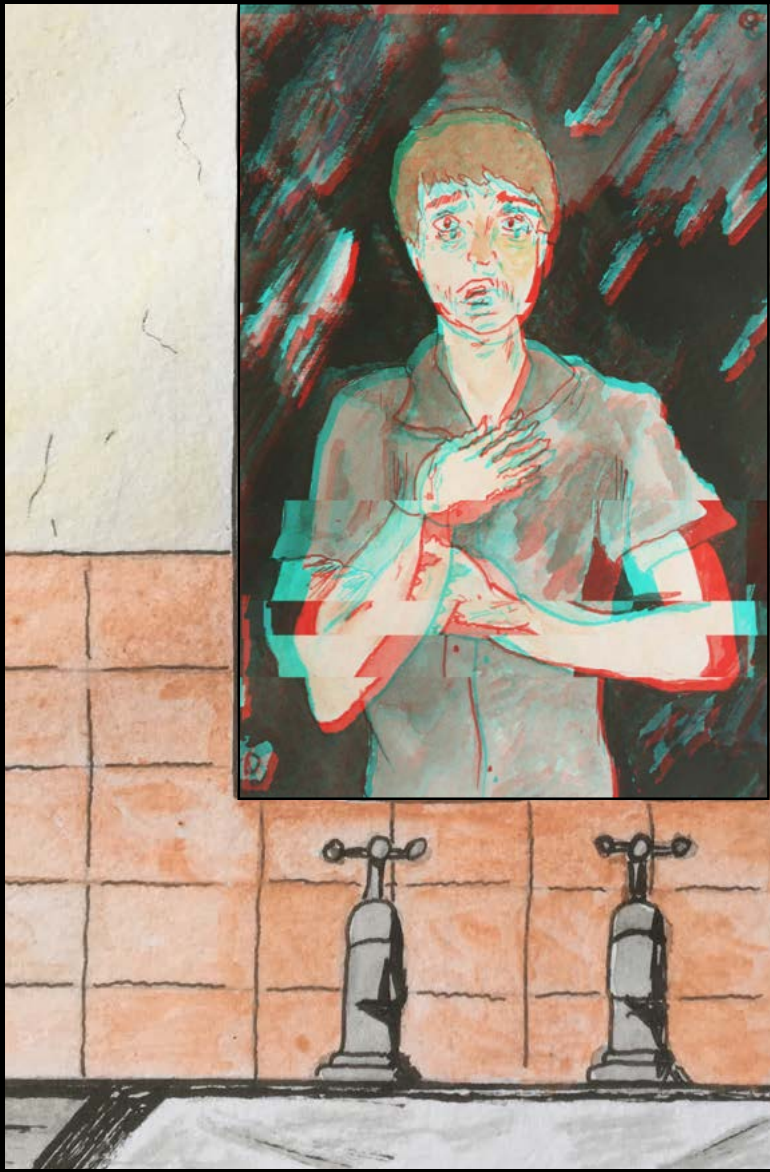


I WILL I WILL I PROMISE

END





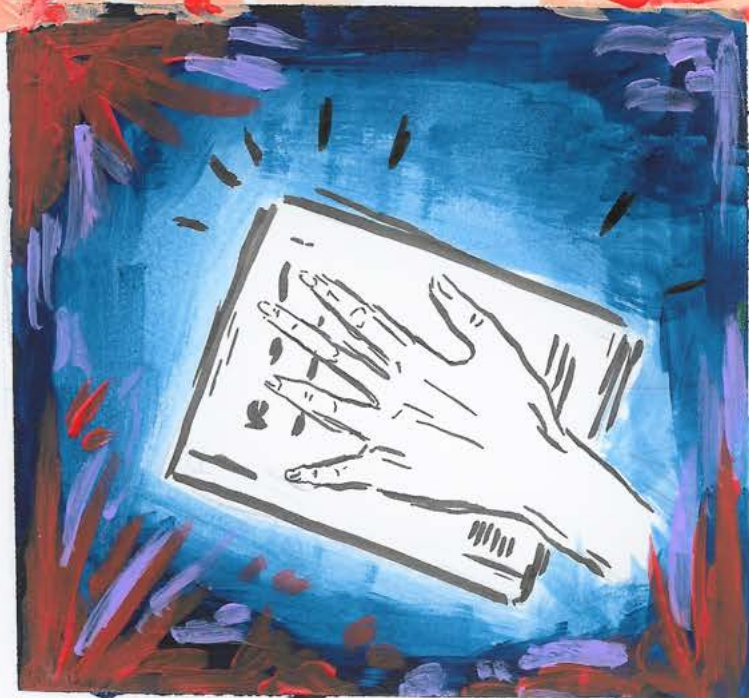


Inside notes

EVA VITKUTE



At this point I'm
down for
whatever.



There's nothing left for me
to say no to.



My bones feel
older than
me.
I'm sinking free.



There's nothing left for me to see,
in these grey walls there's no mystery



I'm disconnected



I'm spinning free

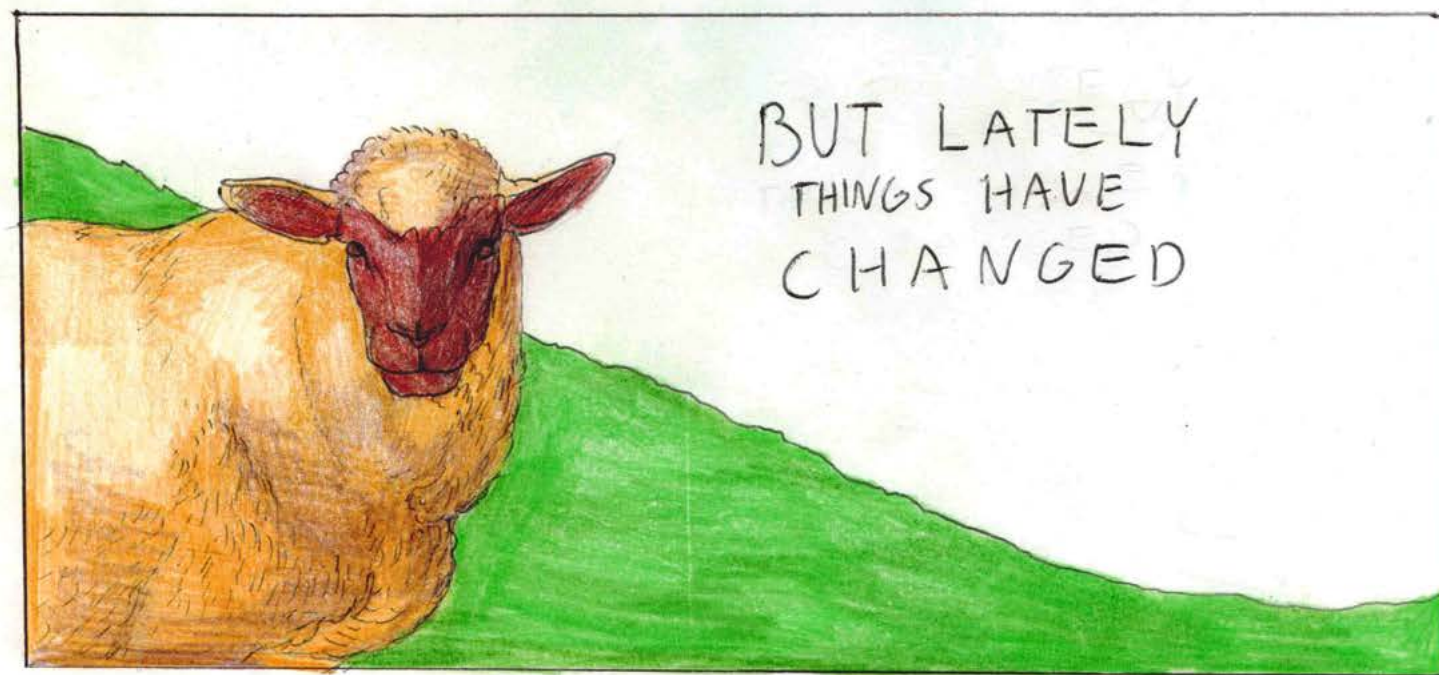
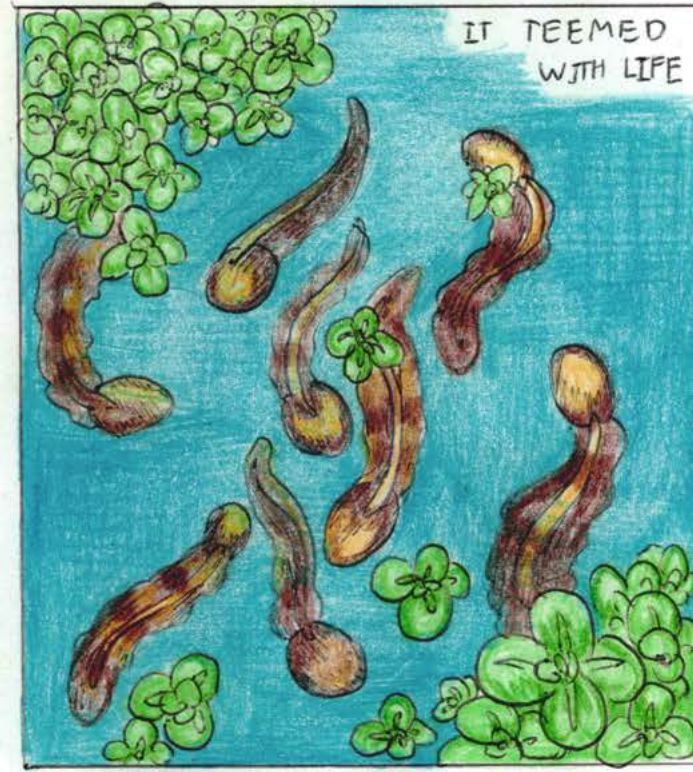
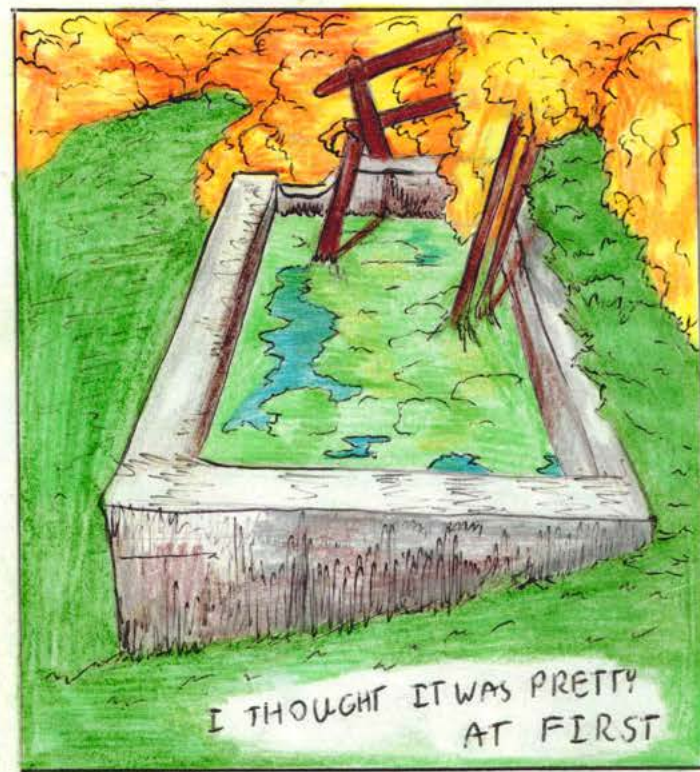
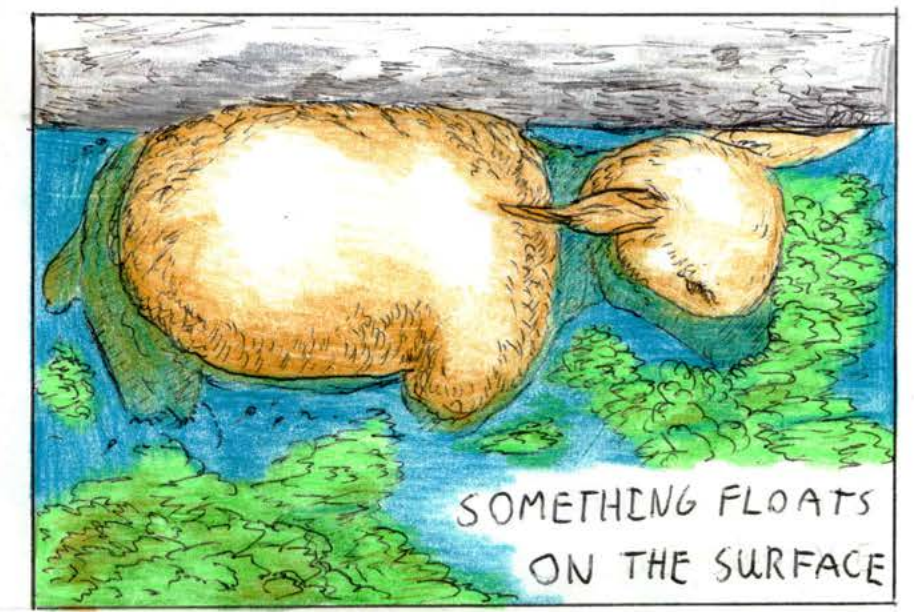
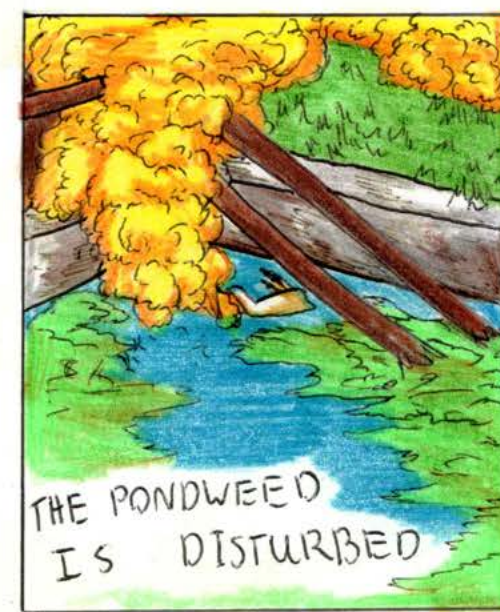


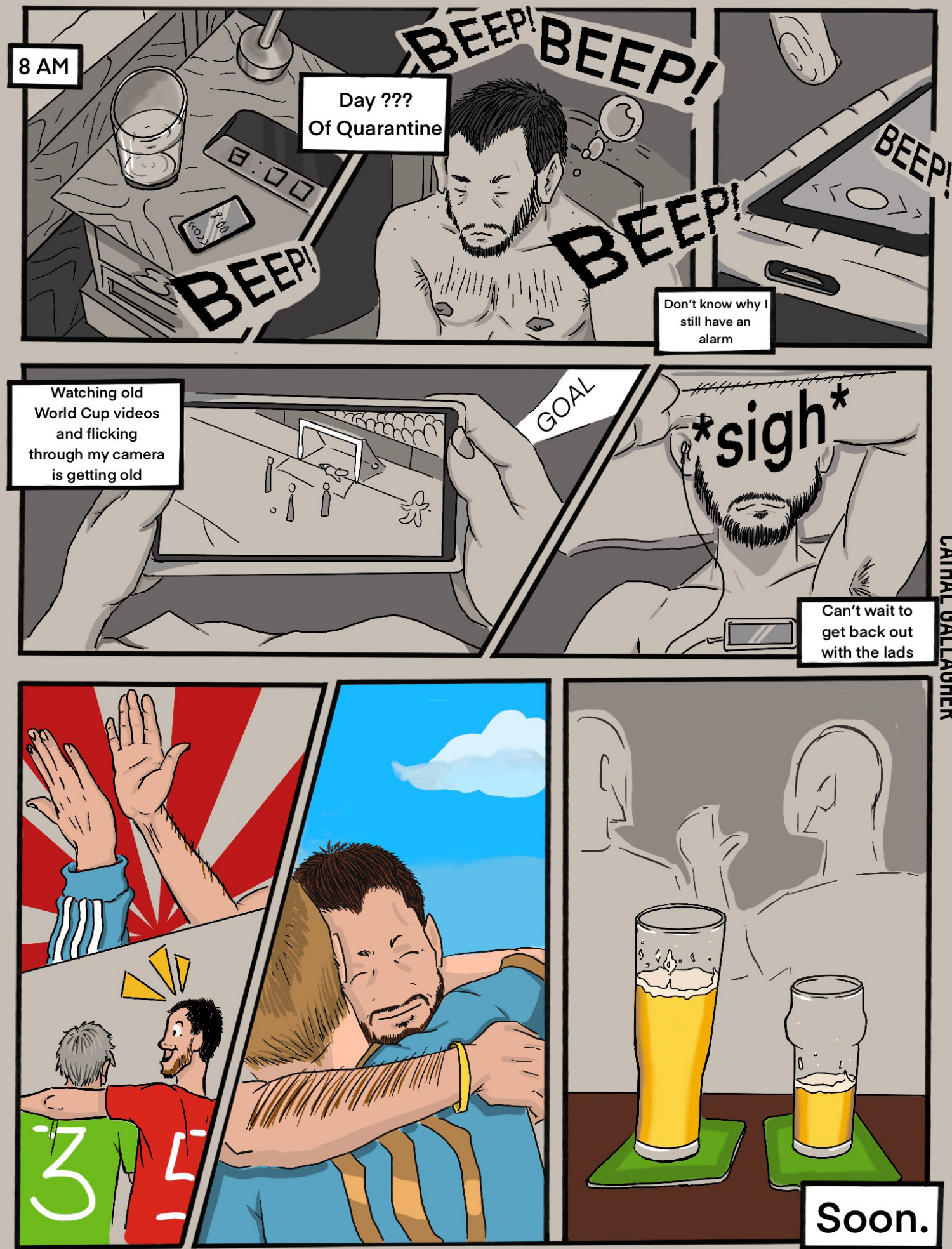
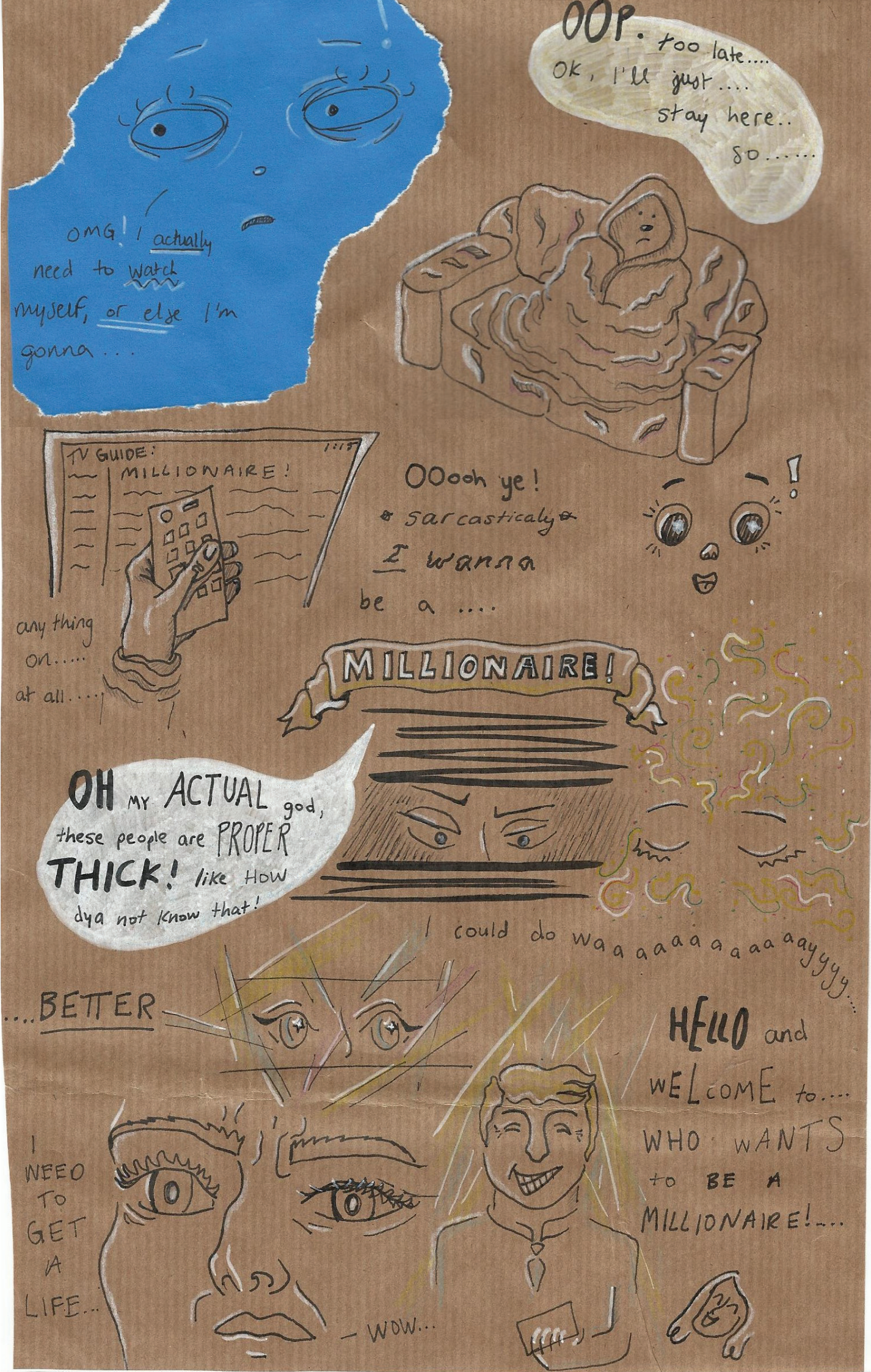
I want to never feel this way again

But maybe all I need is sleep

EVA VITKUTE

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IT HAPPENED SO SUDDENLY

NEWS CAME FAST

AND SOON, I WAS SURROUNDED

I FOUND MYSELF

DROWNING

THE INFORMATION
OF ITS SPREAD
CAME SWIFT

AT ONCE,
I FELT
OVERWHELMED
AND CONFUSED

I FELT TRAPPED...

BUT I TRY
TO COMFORT
MYSELF

YET, STILL I
FIND MYSELF
SINKING INTO
AN ABYSS

My own home,
was now a prison

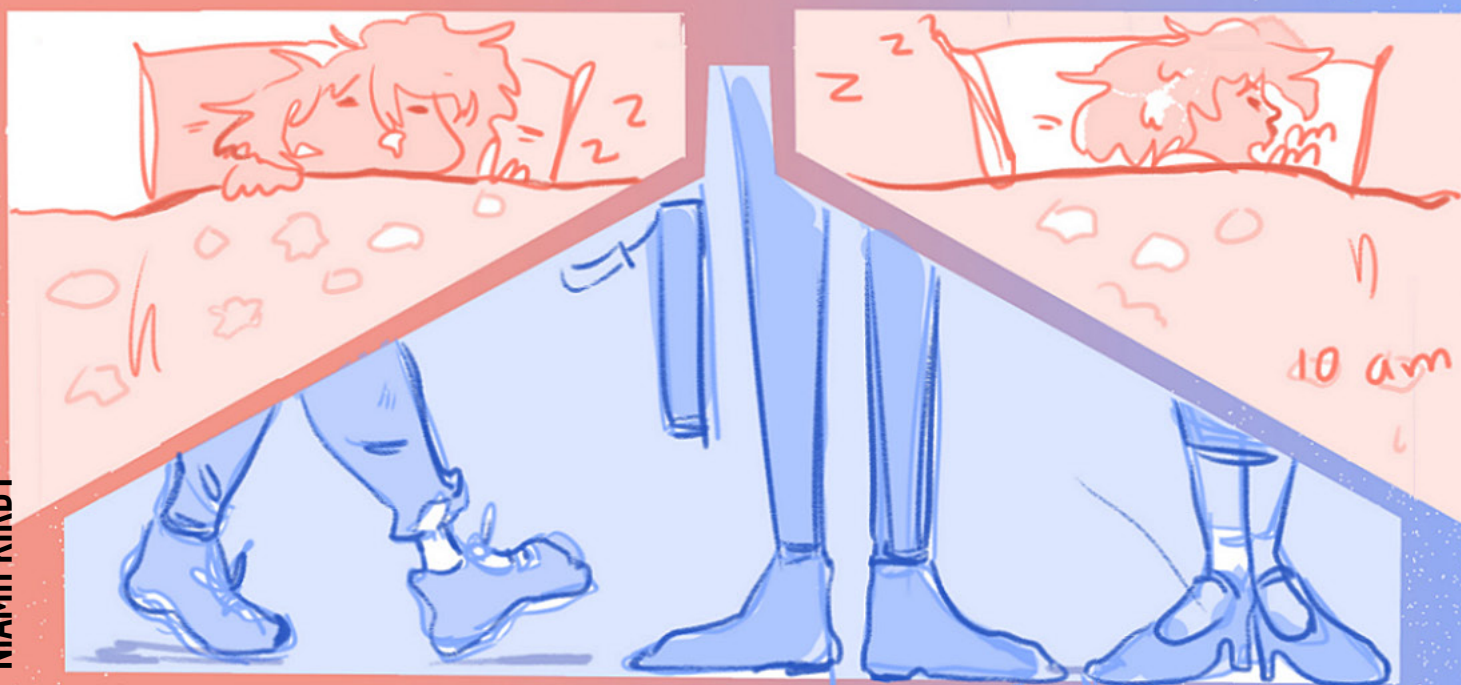
DISTRACTION BECAME INESCAPABLE

AND
I
FELT
NO
MOTIVATION

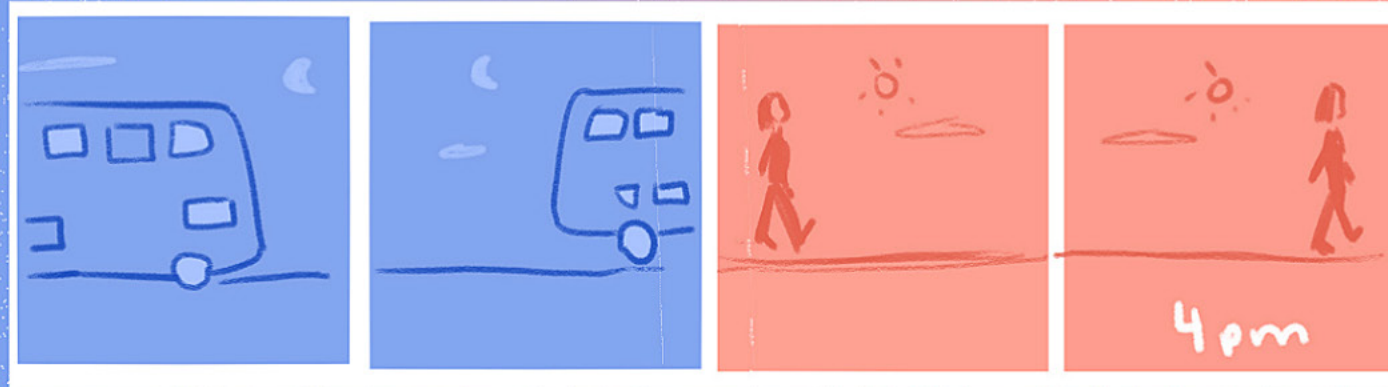
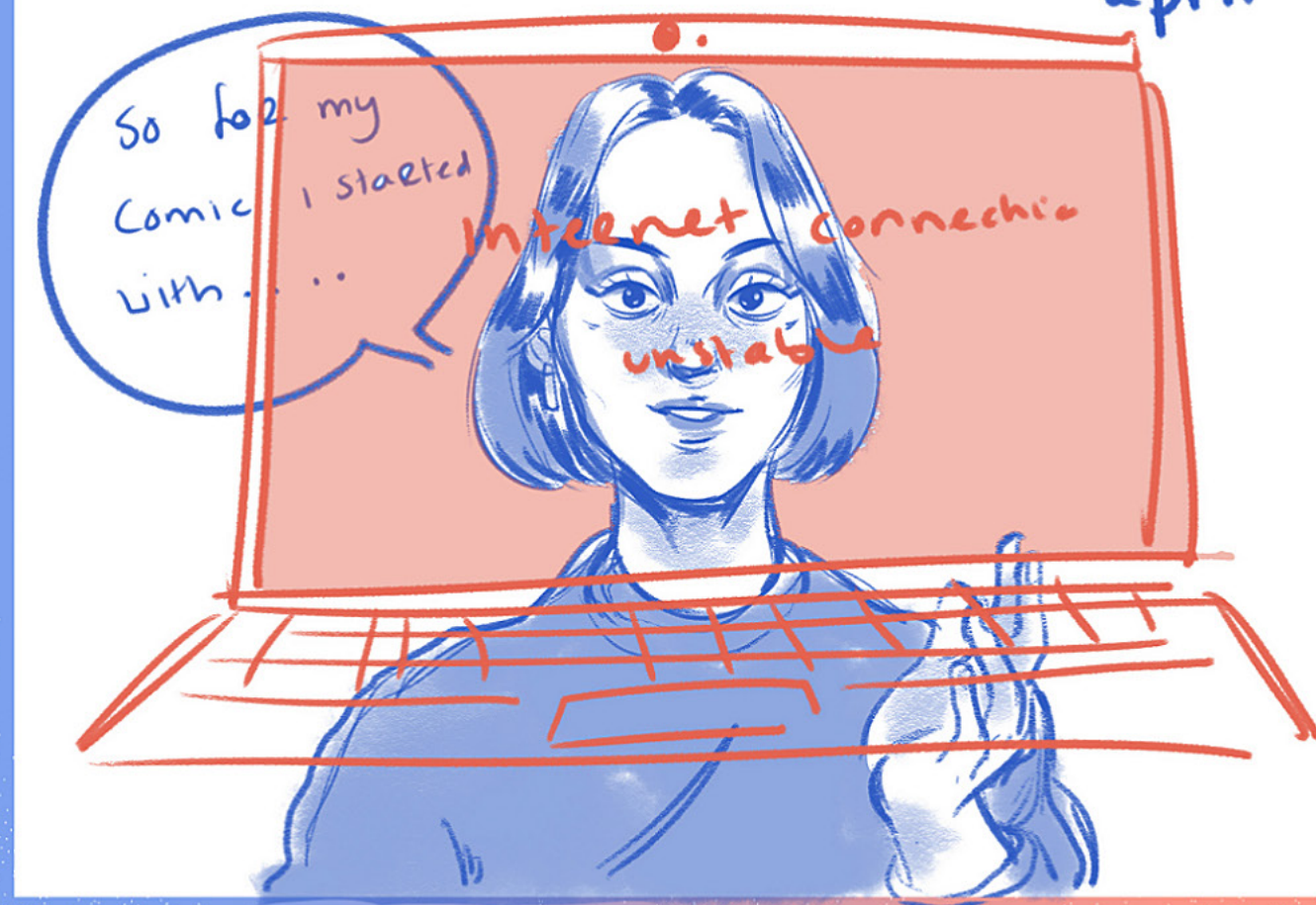
SAY TOMORROW
IS ANOTHER
DAY

DROWNING WITH
NO END IN
SIGHT

8am

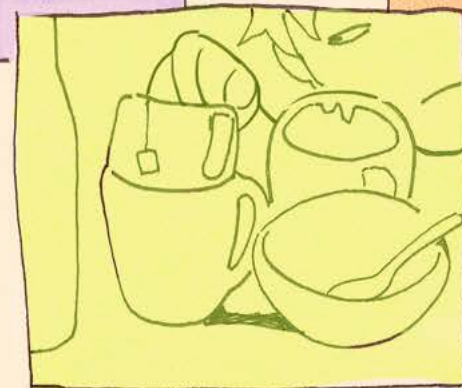
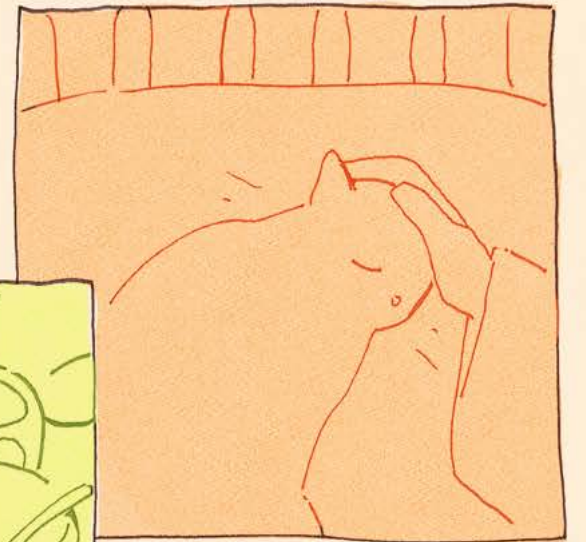
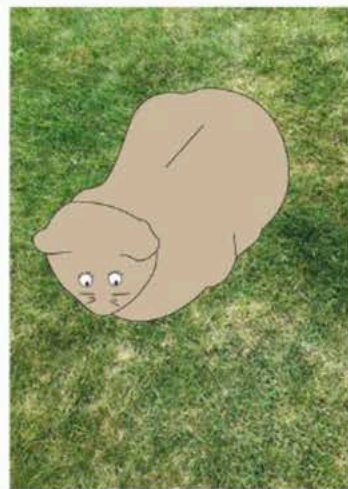
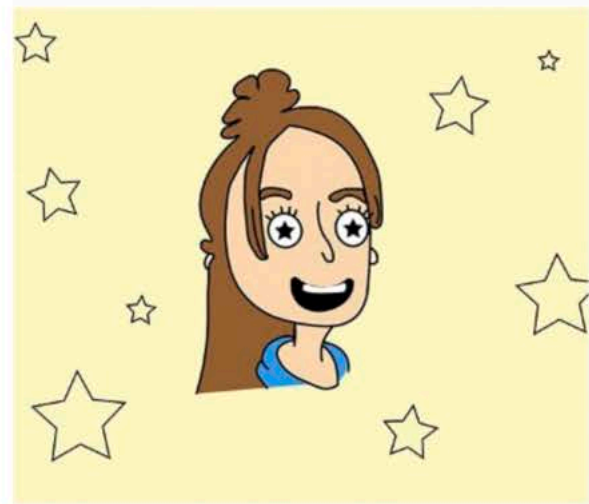
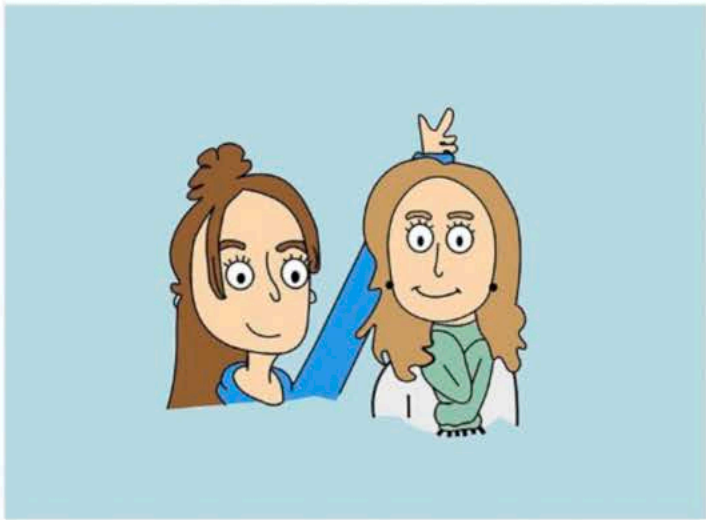


2pm



NIAMH KIRBY

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MOLLY CANNING

sleep
wake
wash
draw
repeat





HOLLY HUGHES

Holly
Can you make
me porridge
please?

Right,
okay.

Come and
learn this
dance

TIK
TOK

SIGH

Dad, can
you get some
milk in the
shop?

Yeah
I'll go in
a minute

Get in
the selfie

Oooh
Can I have
some porridge?

UGH...

... Yeah

SAM
& CAT

NOT
AGAIN

Here

FINALLY!

DING

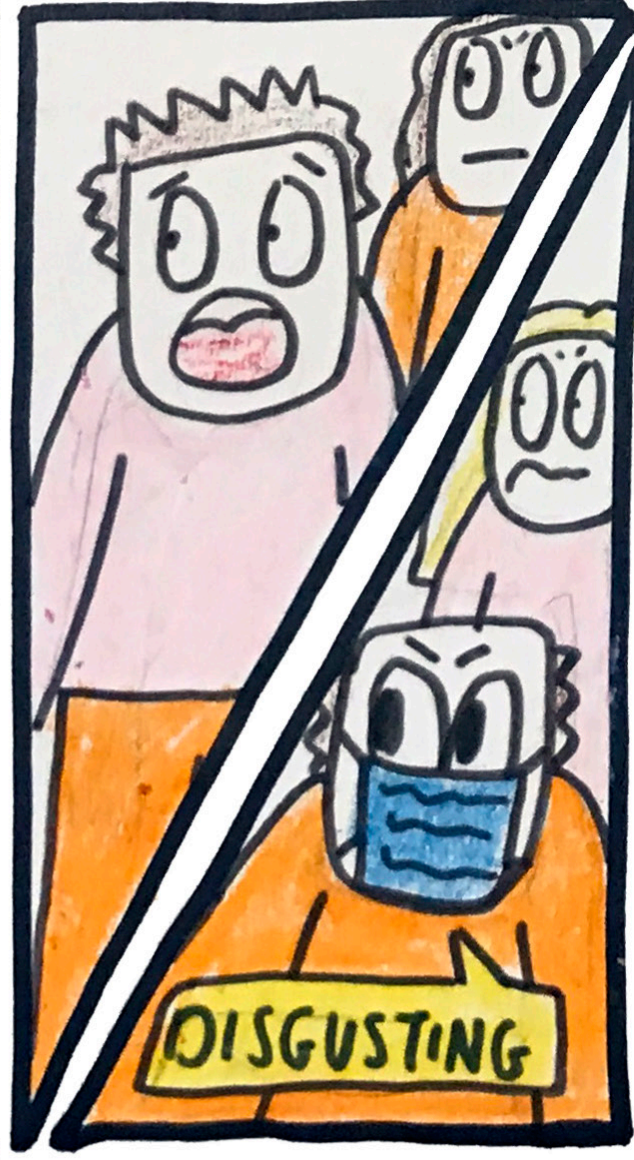
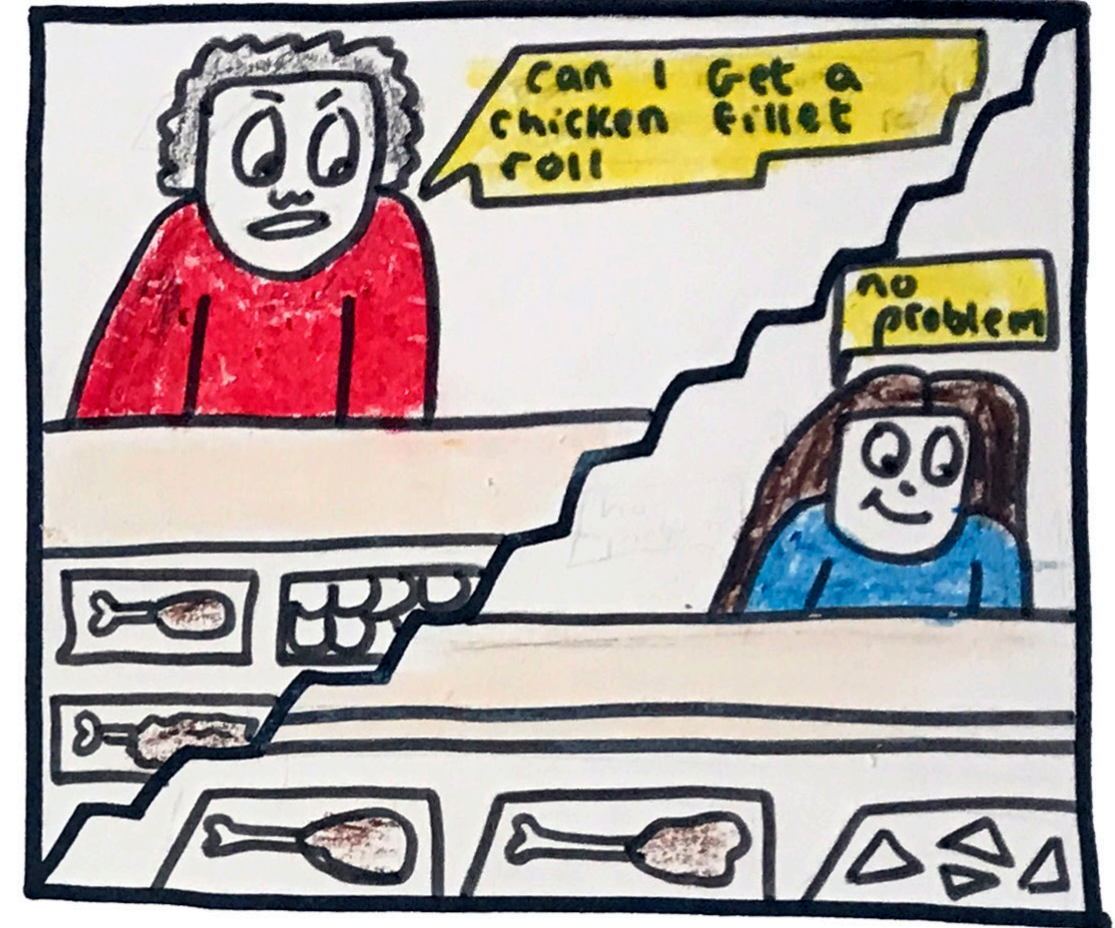
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DOES IT MATTER
Can you please
bring up toilet paper
xxx?

MAMMY

HOLLY!
Oreo just
...
puked

LUNCH
TIME

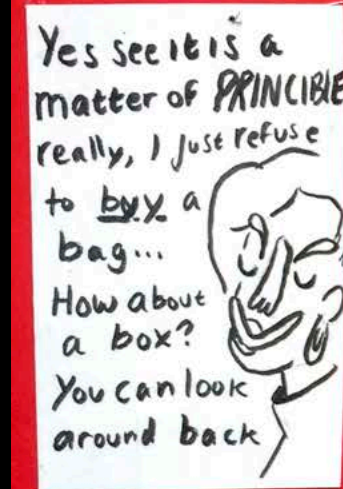




I AM AN
ESSENTIAL
WORKER...



5 FAMILY SIZE JARS OF nutella?



... A BOX? ..



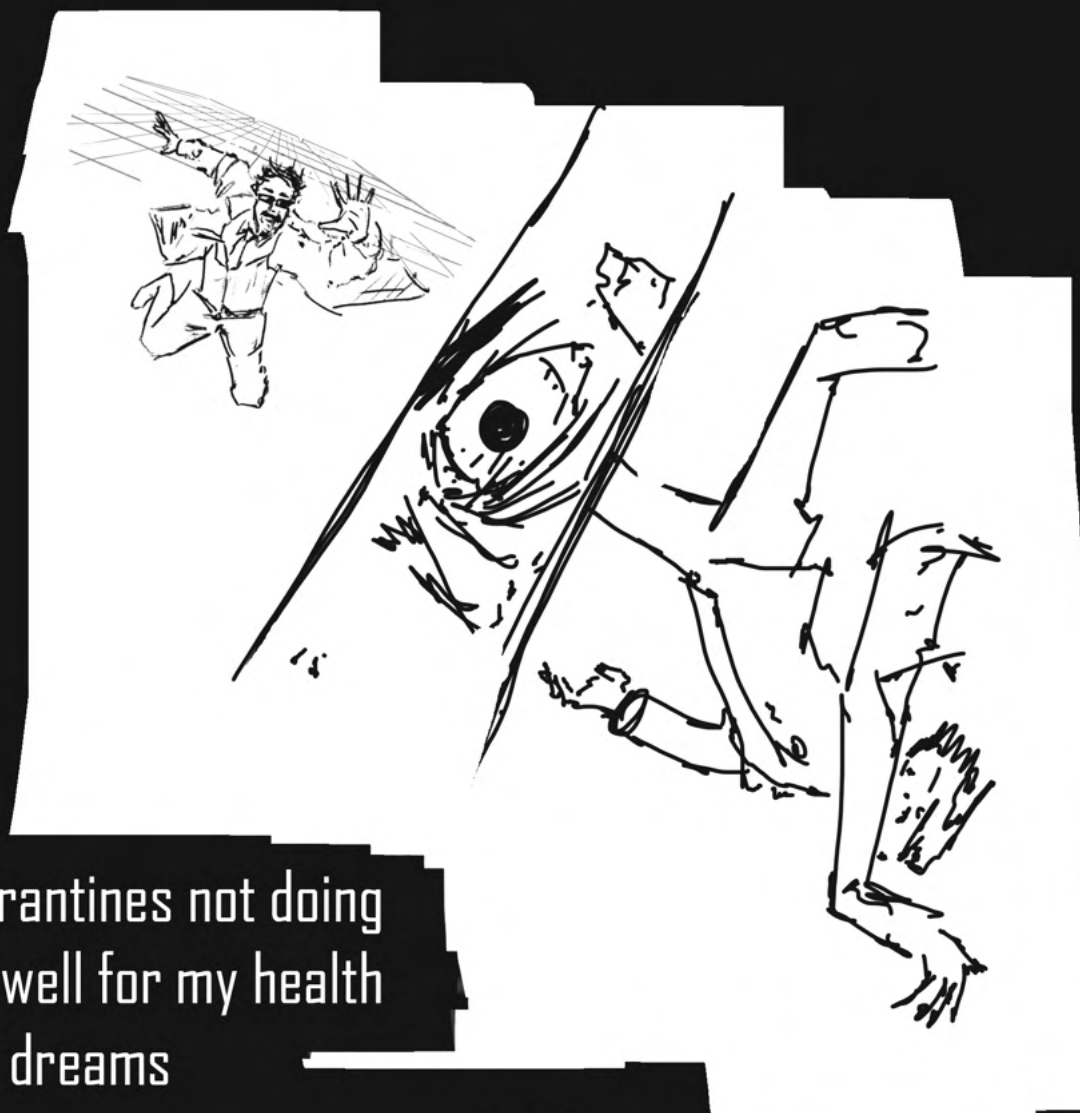
Y'NOW WHAT?
I'll GO LOOK







quarantines not doing
too well for my health
and dreams



it gets very overwhelming



how am i to find
inspiration for
my works due?

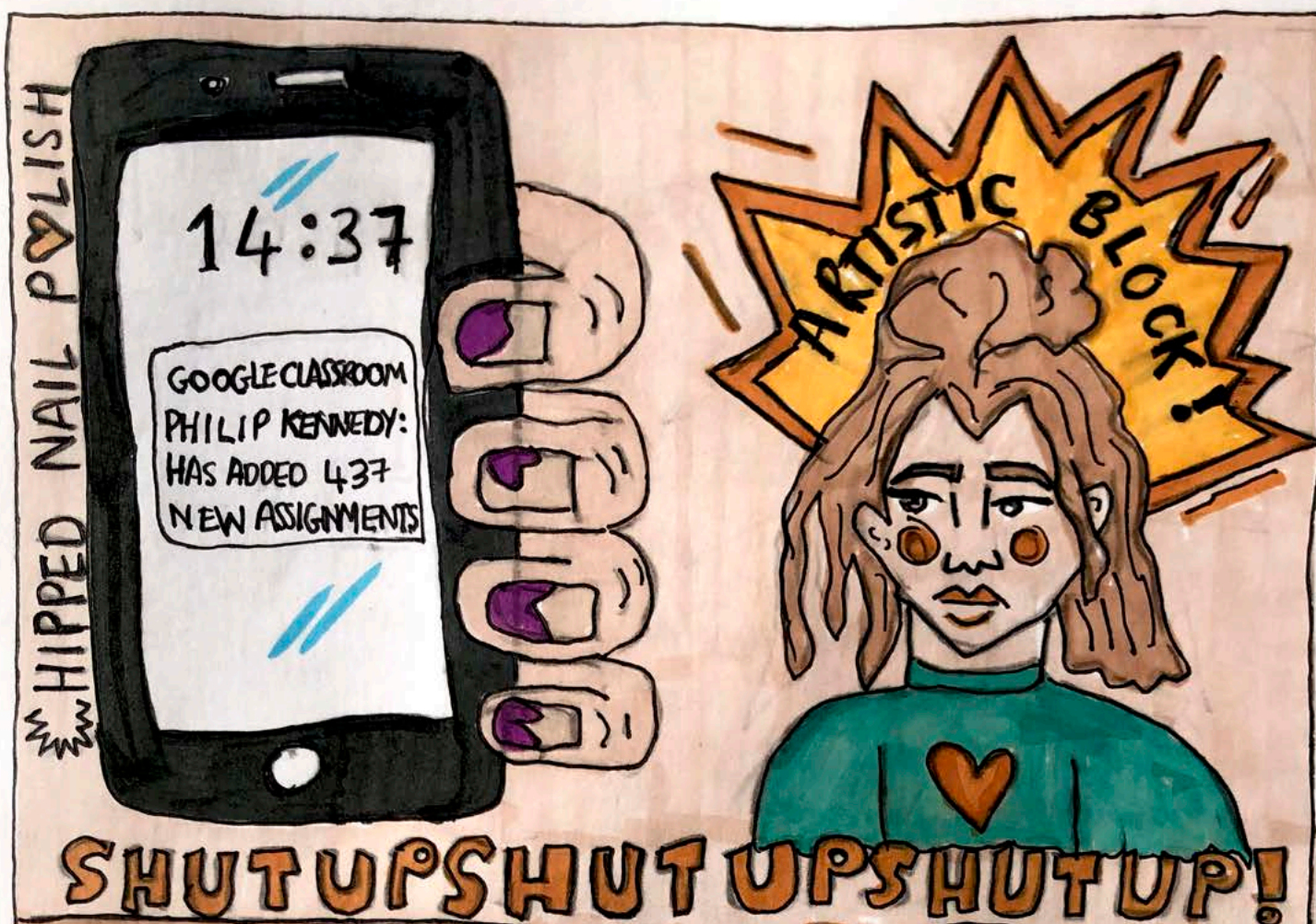
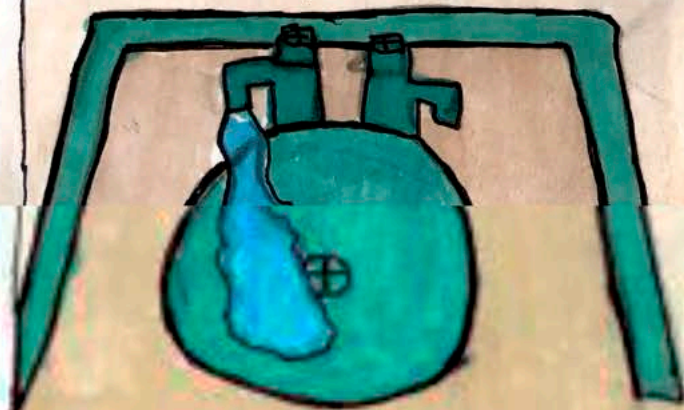
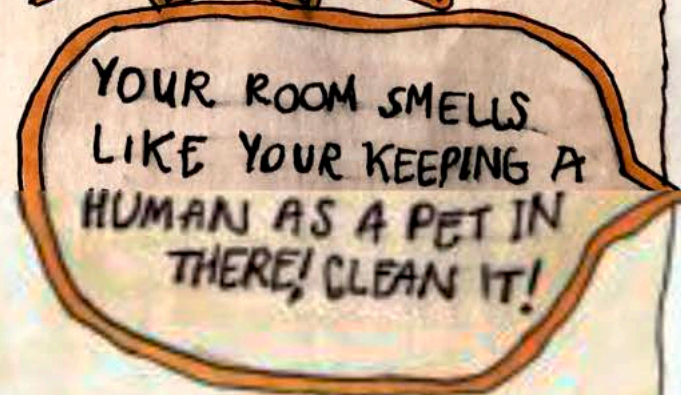
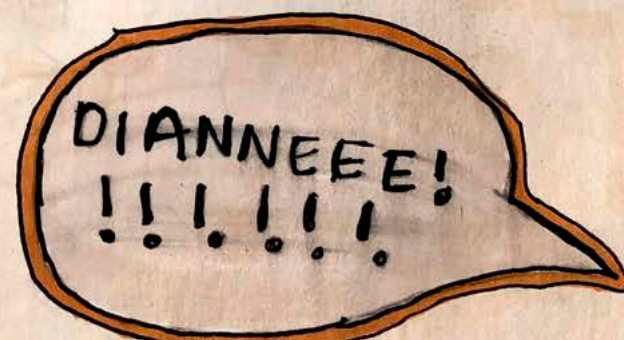


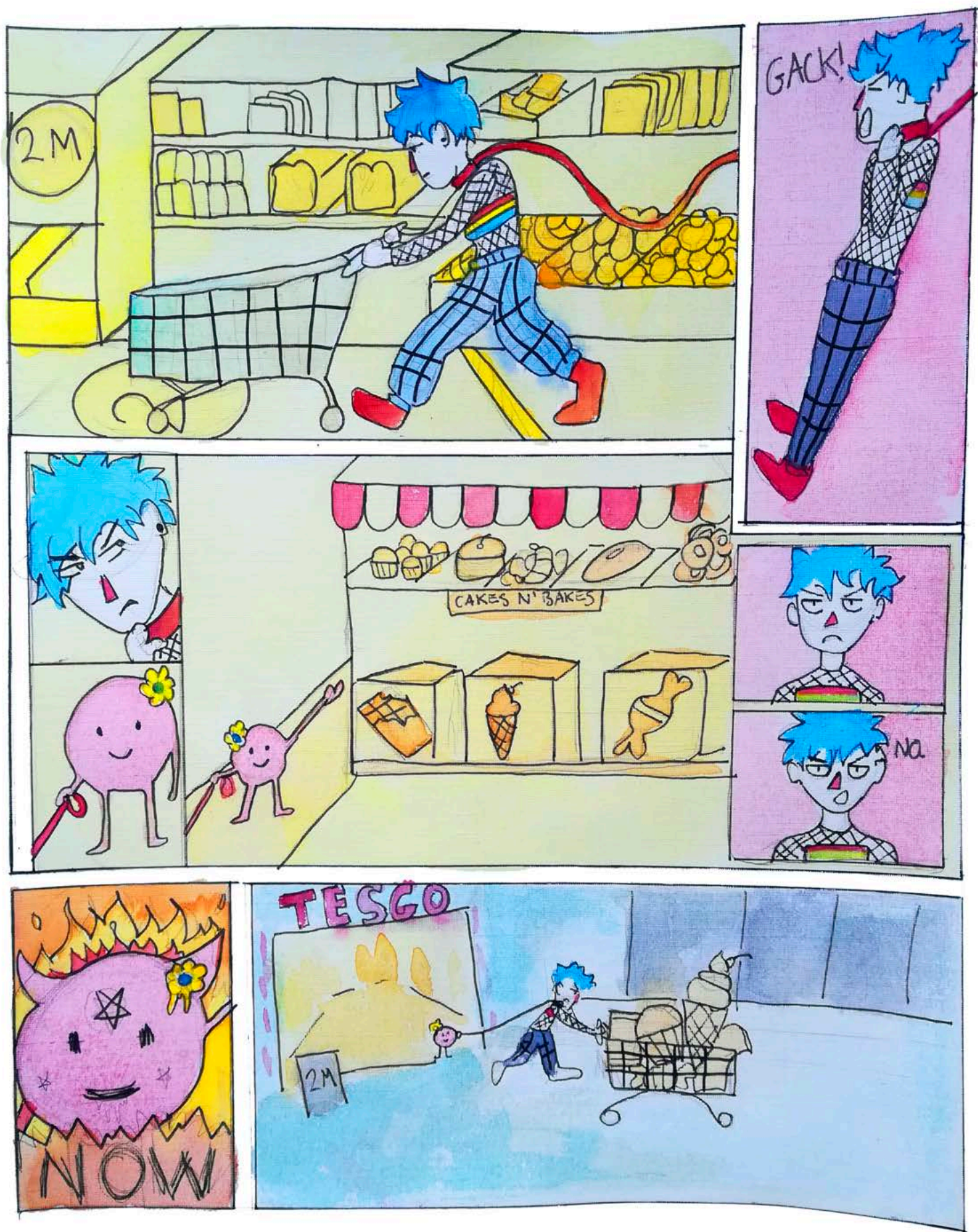
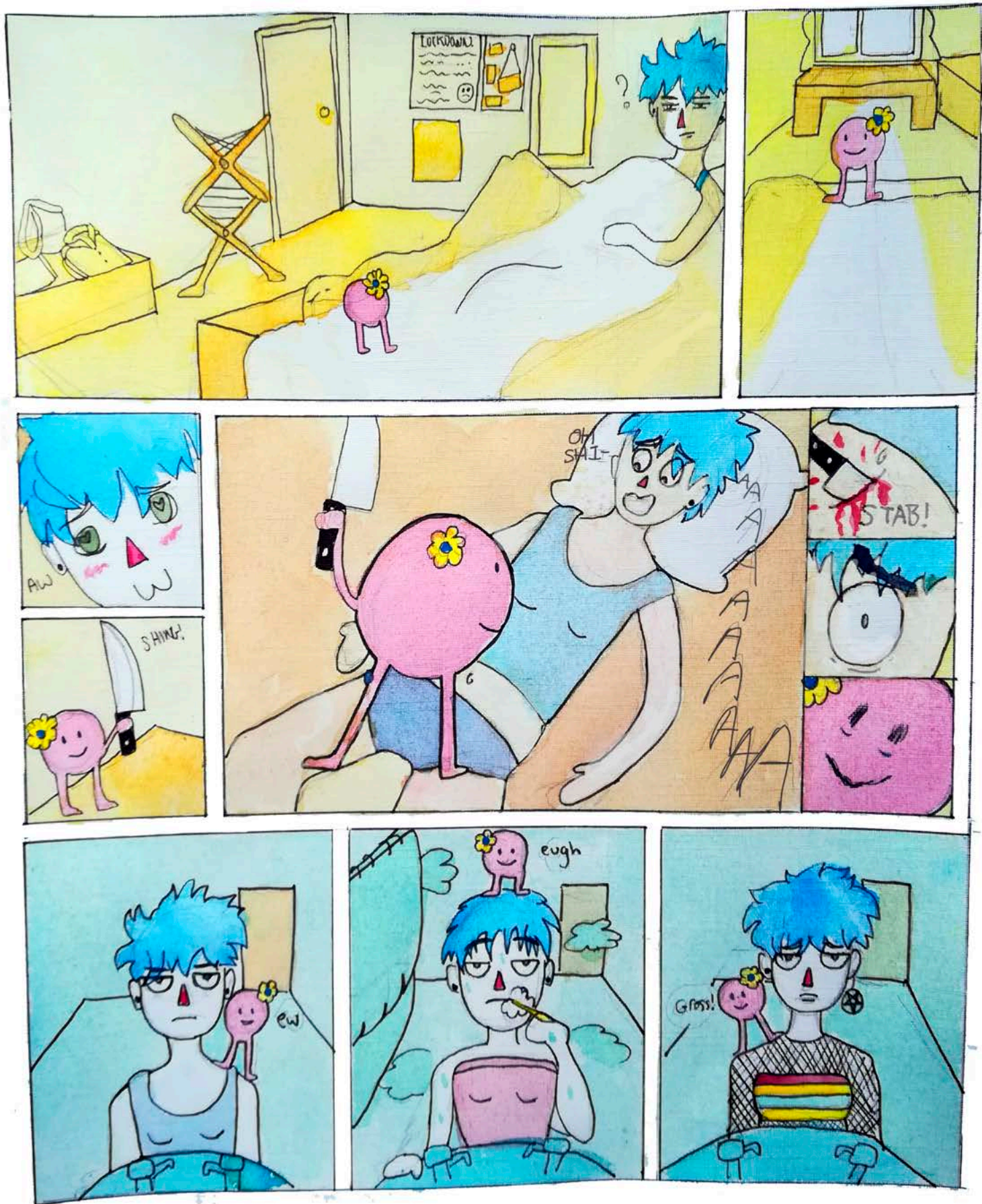
i can only resort
to drinking to ease
that looming stress





DAY 47 OF QUARANTINE
DIANNE HAS AWOKEN





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