

# Archie's Homework

Archie groaned, though it was quiet, Mia could hear him mumble, "More science homework?"

"Come on, it's fun!" shouted Mia. She said it very loudly. Mia was very enthusiastic about everything. She was very, very, cheerful and even more friendly. When school was over, Archie dashed over to his friends, Norman, Lily, and of course, Mia! They were all headed to Norman's house. "We can use my mom's computer to research space!" said Norman. They walked over to Norman's house.

When they got there, Norman showed them to his mom's study. When Mia saw the computer, she immediately started frantically trying to type up the names of planets. But she ended up typing "fhaliseufkh" instead. Then Norman started typing. He typed the names of the planets Saturn, Jupiter, and Mars. While Norman was typing, Archie got so bored that he fell asleep with his head on his paper.

Archie suddenly felt himself falling through a tunnel that felt like it would never end. His eyes fluttered open. "Where am I?" he asked himself.

Back in Norman's mother's study, his friends looked up from the computer. "Where's Archie?" asked Lily. They looked at his paper.

"He hasn't written anything yet!" commented an annoyed Mia, as she picked up his paper. She felt her thumb drift through the paper. She put her other hand on the paper. Her other hand went through also. Then she examined the paper. A horrified look spread across her face. Lily and Norman stared at the paper. There was Archie, standing on one of Saturn's rings. Mia set the paper on the floor and jumped onto it, and felt herself falling through the paper. Then Lily jumped through, and Norman lowered himself down too. They all landed on the same ring of Saturn as Archie.

Norman's mom's computer had been bumped by Norman's elbow when he jumped into the hole, and it too, fell into the dark tunnel. Meanwhile, Archie and his friends were searching their pockets for useful items, like scraps of paper, or pens. But all they found was a couple thermometers from yesterday's science lesson. Archie and his friends saw a strange machine moving toward them. If Archie squinted hard enough he could see the driver. It was a six eyed alien with tentacles. When the alien

