

Title: Trouble on the Bus

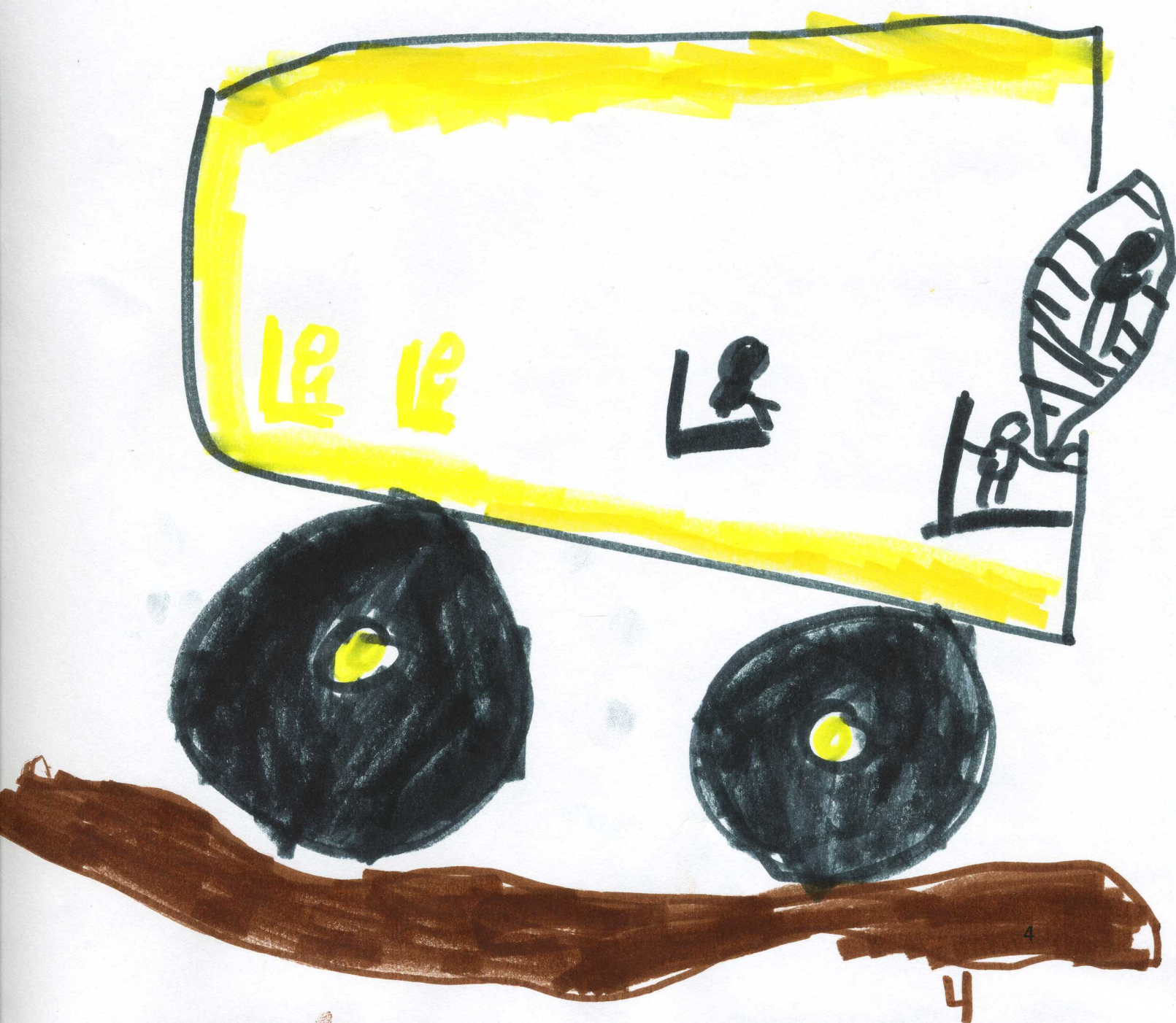


Characters: Annika, Coco, Micah, Coda, Abby
Setting: Bus, and bustop, New York,

One morning, Annika woke up. She ate breakfast. She ate cereal and milk with unicorn dust. She went out to the bus and made friends with Coco because she was sitting next to Annika on the bus. Coda was the bad guy. He was a robber. It was really cold outside. Coda was wearing short sleeves and shorts. Coda was silly. He was also mean, really mean. Once, he took something from my house. Coda was on the bus. The bus driver always made him sit on the floor. When we got to school, I found out that Coco was in my class.



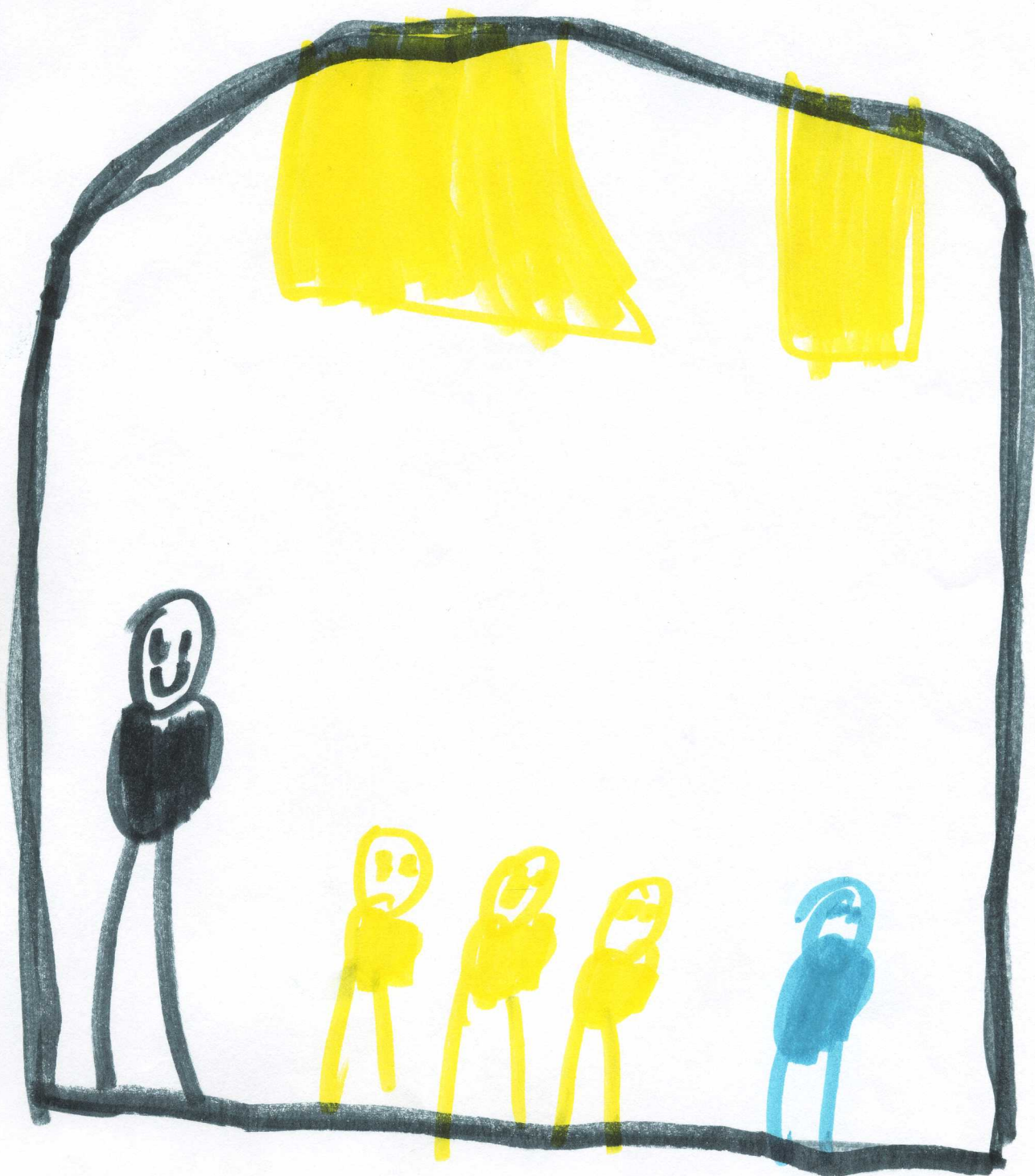
Then we went home. I rode home safe. But the next day, I went to school again on the bus. There was lots of bus trouble that day. Do you want to know what bus trouble I had? Coda walked on the bus. Then he went out the door of the bus when it was still moving. The bus driver caught him in a net. He pulled him back onto the bus and he said, "I'll be sending your mom a note in your folder. You're a mean guy." Fortunately, we made it home safe. But Coda got a note in his folder about being mean on the bus.



Then the next day, there was still bus trouble. Coda got off the bus without asking while it was moving. The bus driver ran off the bus. Then Coda hopped on the bus and started driving it away with all the kids. They went to the wrong place. Instead of going to school, they went to New York. When they went to New York, instead of going to their normal school, they went to the New York School. At the New York School, they had different rules. I'm not telling you the rules until the end. They did not buy lunch at the New York School, but at our normal schools, we buy lunch, so some kids had no lunch, but they bought snack, only snack. Some kids went against the rules and bought snack and saved their other snack for lunch.



I met Micah in New York. And now we go to the New York School. Micah was in my new class in New York. Abby was in my new class too. Abby was one of Annika's and Coco's buddies too.



The next day we went back to the Massachusetts school.



Questions about the story:

What bus trouble did Annika have on the first day?

What did Annika eat for breakfast?

What did Coda get in his folder for being a mean guy?

Where did we go instead of our normal school?

What happened at the end of the story?