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I AM AN ARTIST





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My name is John.
I am an artist.
SELF-PORTRAIT
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An artist thinks and draws and paints and glues and sketches and moulds and photographs and films and considers and constructs and assembles.

I think that the most important thing when making art, is a **GOOD IDEA.**

A good idea comes when you take out paper and paints.

A good idea comes when you start imagining things.



A good idea comes
when you look at art.

And sometimes, a good idea
just comes, without knowing
how or where it comes from.





There are all kinds of thoughts.

I'll only take pictures of shadows.

I'll draw a world where nothing is like it is in the real world.

I'll put clothes on chairs.

I'll paint a new view on a window.

I'll draw everything bad in the world and then erase it.



I'll gather dust curls in a box and make a big, soft, grey statue out of them.

I'll build as tall a tower as I can from all my things.

I'll make a green video.

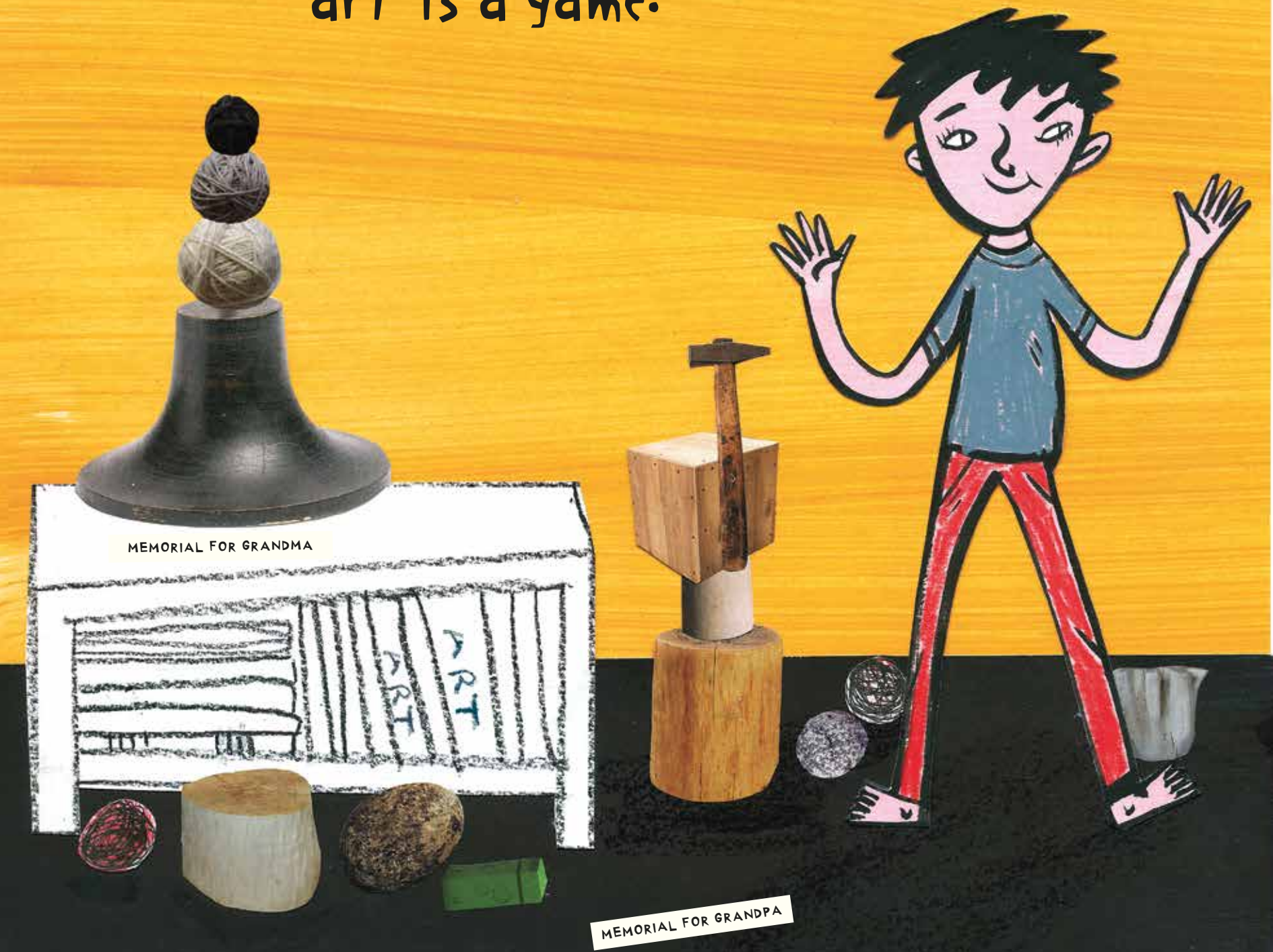
I'll wrap everything in foil.

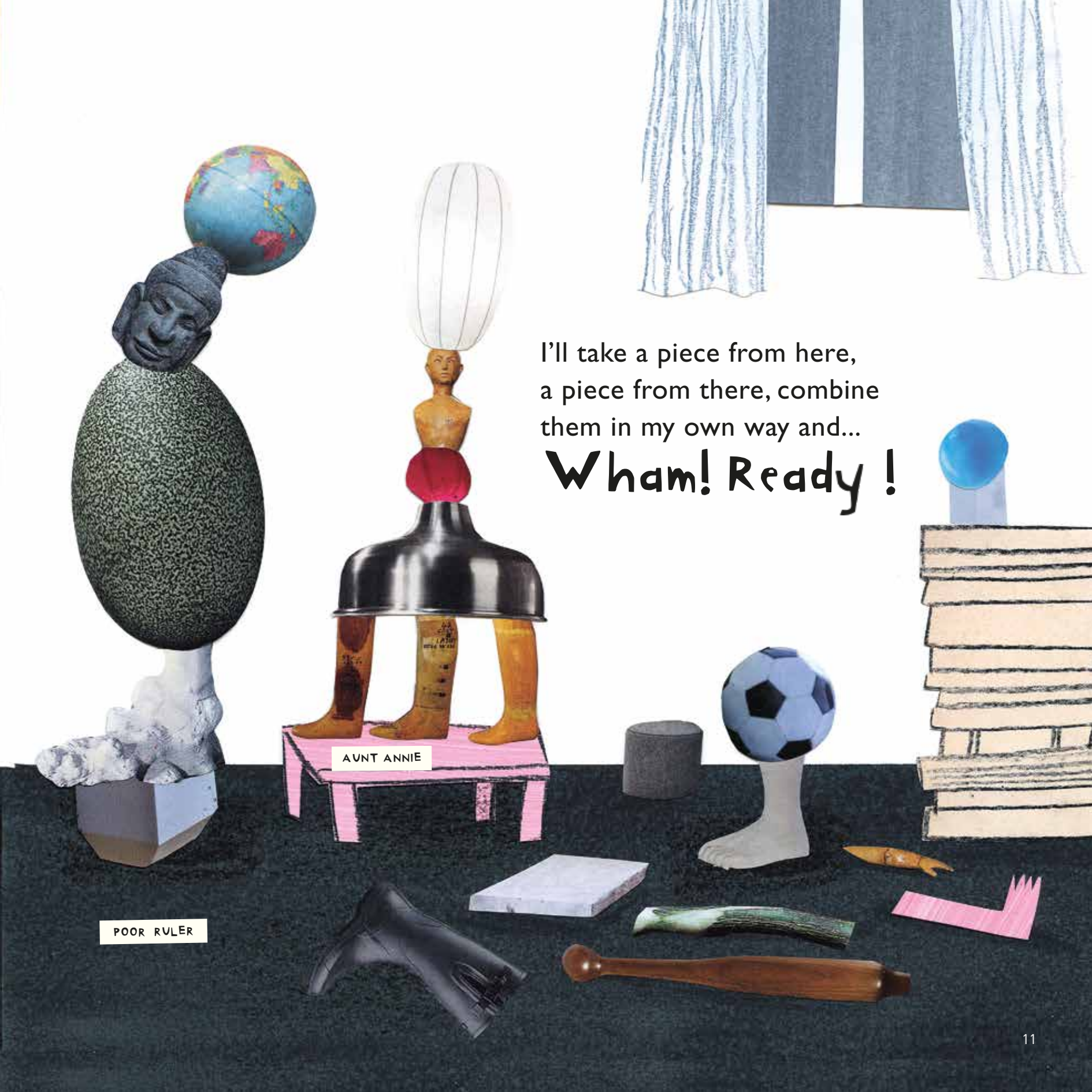
I'll trample a long winding trail in grass.

Some ideas are so good, I'll start working on them immediately.

One time I discovered that

art is a game.



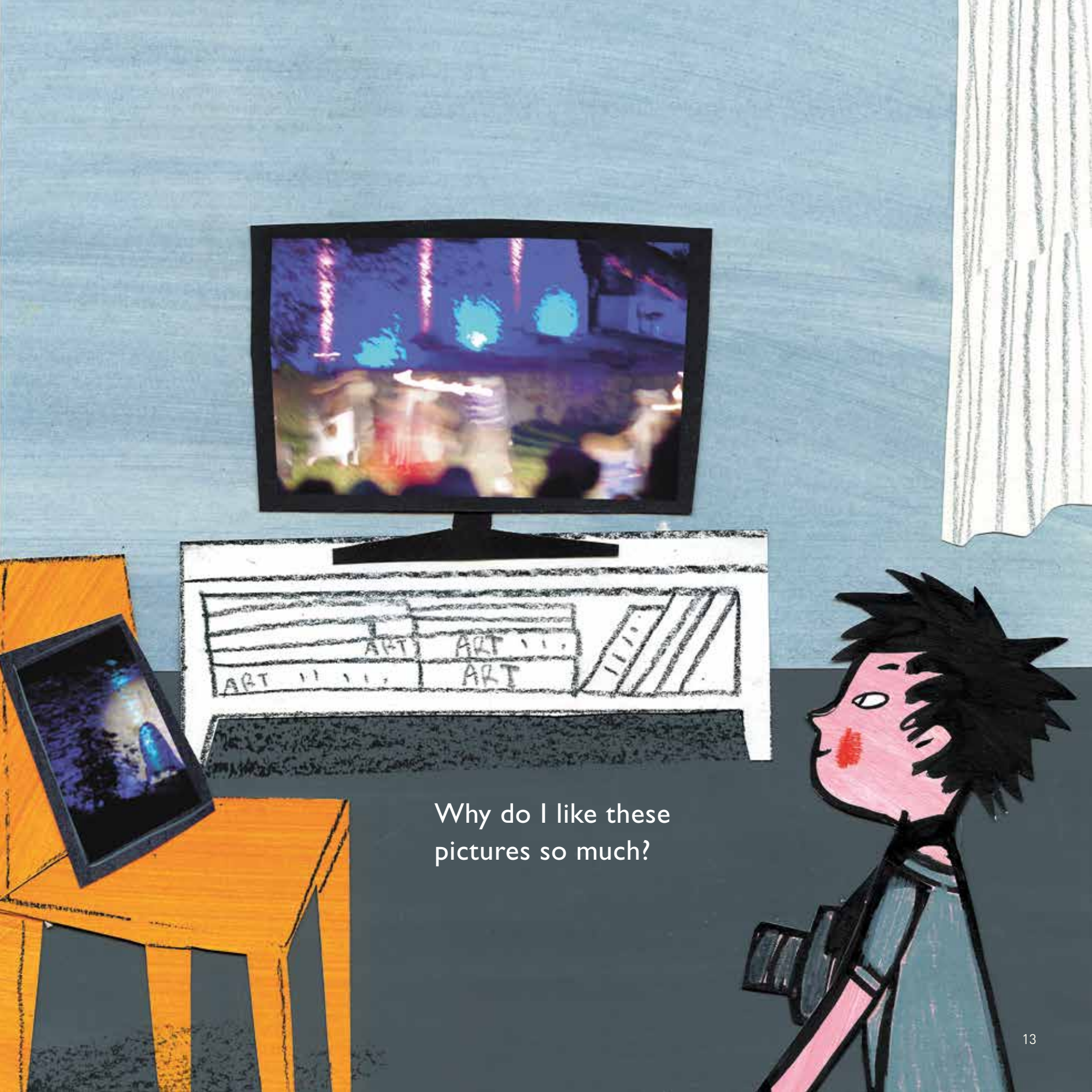

I'll take a piece from here,
a piece from there, combine
them in my own way and...
Wham! Ready !
AUNT ANNIE
POOR RULER

And another time I thought that

art is a puzzle.

What could be in this picture?




ART
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Why do I like these pictures so much?

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