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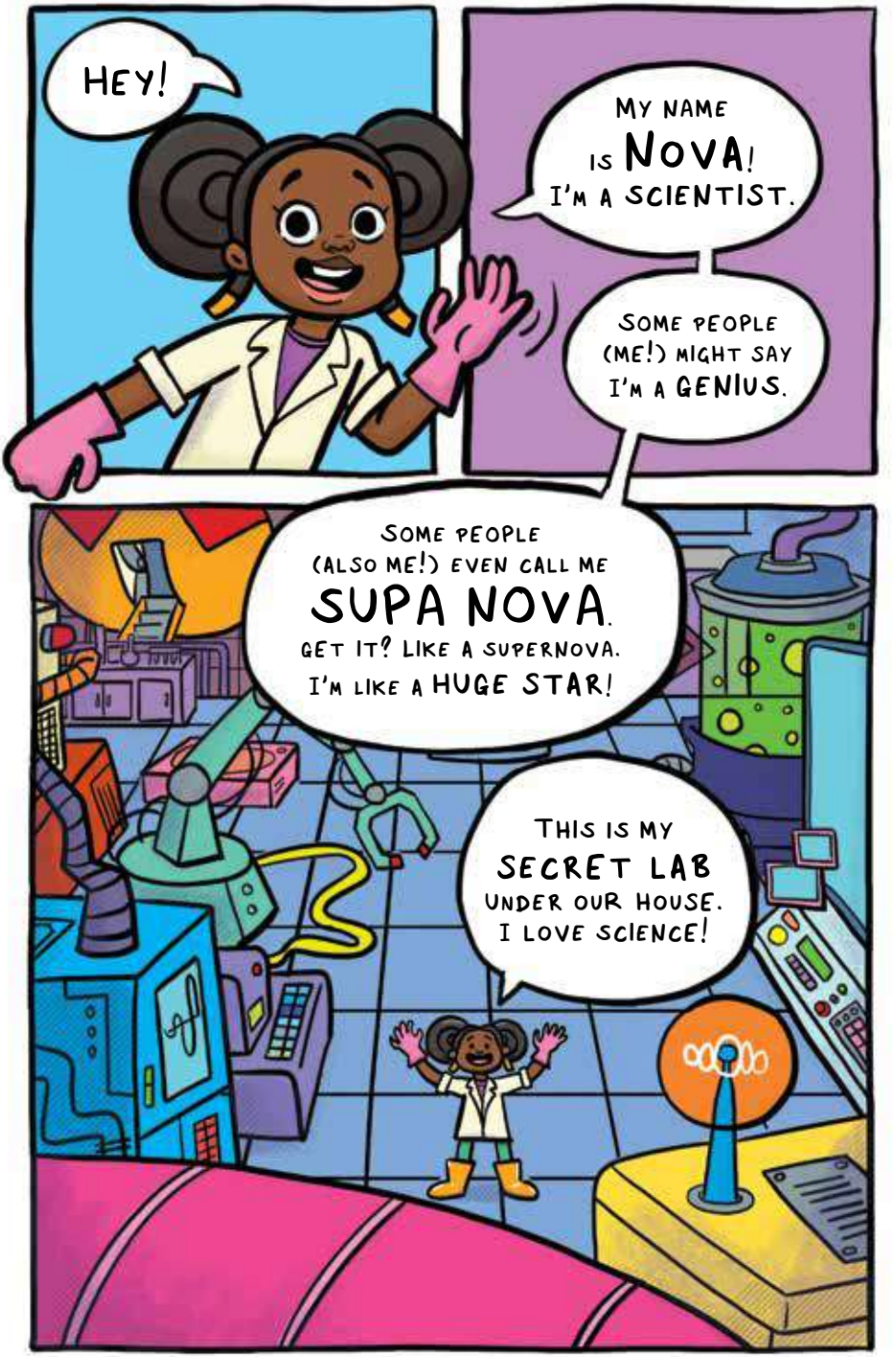
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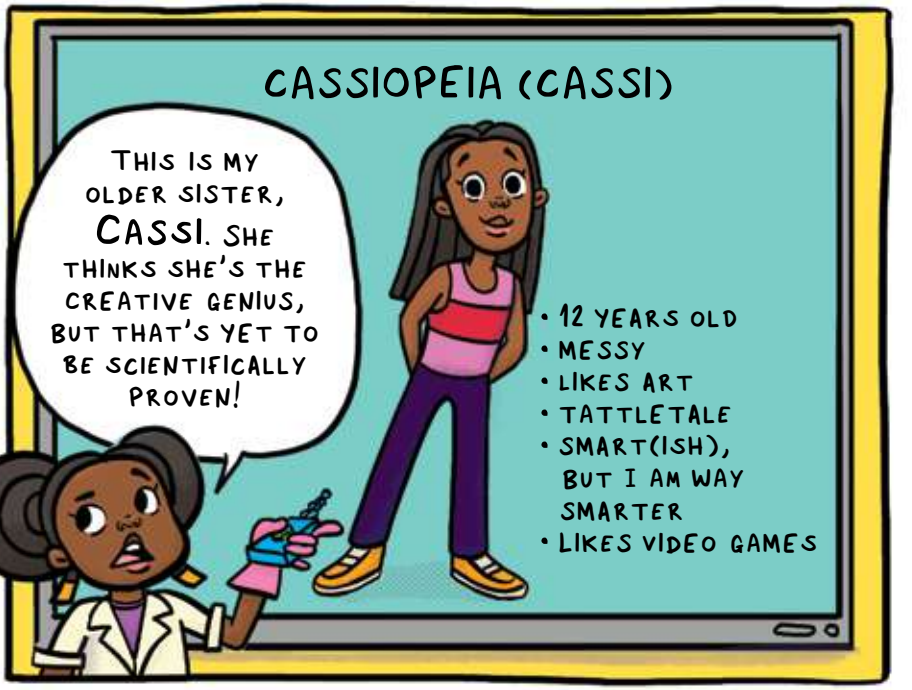
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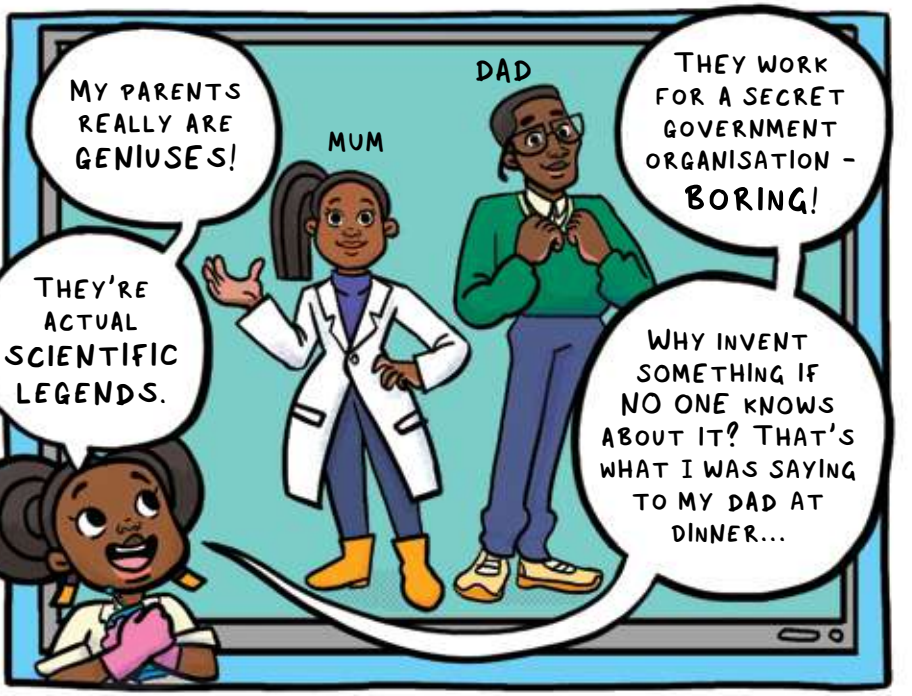


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To all my friends and family who have listened to me talk excitedly about scientific discoveries, and put up with every time I said "Did you know that...".
To my Mum, for encouraging me to live out my dreams.
To all my loved ones I barely saw while creating this book!
And to everyone who supported me and held my hand while I wrote my first story - I can't thank you enough.


HEY!
MY NAME IS NOVA! I'M A SCIENTIST.
SOME PEOPLE (ME!) MIGHT SAY I'M A GENIUS.
SOME PEOPLE (ALSO ME!) EVEN CALL ME SUPA NOVA. GET IT? LIKE A SUPERNOVA. I'M LIKE A HUGE STAR!
THIS IS MY SECRET LAB UNDER OUR HOUSE. I LOVE SCIENCE!

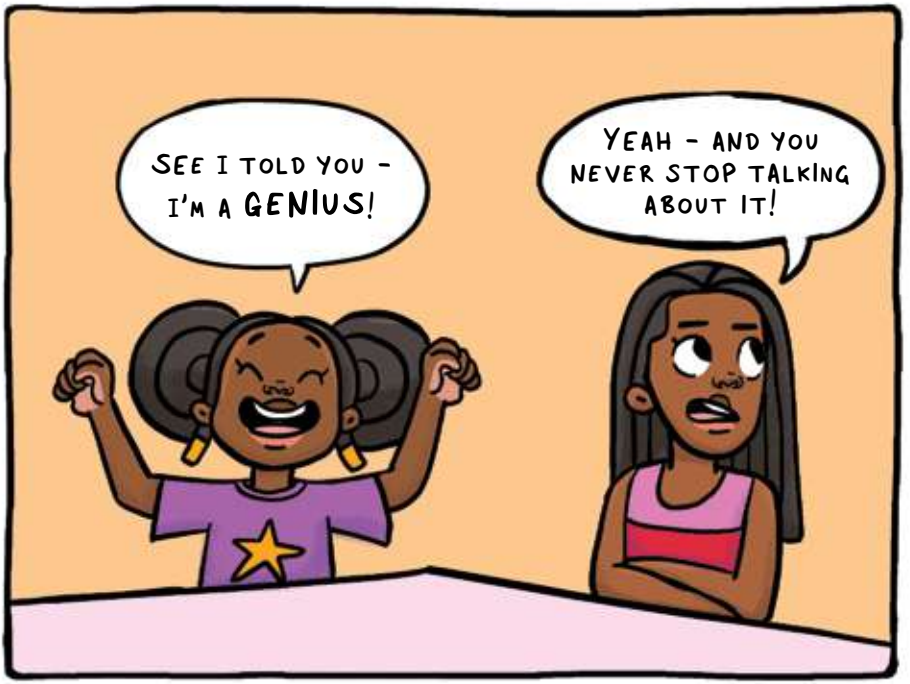

CASSIOPEIA (CASSI)
THIS IS MY OLDER SISTER, CASSI. SHE THINKS SHE'S THE CREATIVE GENIUS, BUT THAT'S YET TO BE SCIENTIFICALLY PROVEN!
• 12 YEARS OLD
• MESSY
• LIKES ART
• TATTLETALE
• SMART(ISH), BUT I AM WAY SMARTER
• LIKES VIDEO GAMES


MY PARENTS REALLY ARE GENIUSES!
MUM
DAD
THEY WORK FOR A SECRET GOVERNMENT ORGANISATION - BORING!
THEY'RE ACTUAL SCIENTIFIC LEGENDS.
WHY INVENT SOMETHING IF NO ONE KNOWS ABOUT IT? THAT'S WHAT I WAS SAYING TO MY DAD AT DINNER...


I JUST THINK IF WE COLLECT THE SUN'S RAYS FROM SPACE AND SEND THEM TO EARTH WE'D HAVE FREE POWER.
AND THEN EVERYONE'S LIVES WOULD BE EASIER.
GOOD THINKING, NOVA. THAT'S A GREAT START.


LIKE YOU COULD GET SOMETHING LIKE THAT INTO SPACE.


THERE ARE STUDIES ABOUT MIRRORS IN SPACE SO IT IS POSSIBLE...


SEE I TOLD YOU - I'M A GENIUS!
YEAH - AND YOU NEVER STOP TALKING ABOUT IT!


AFTER DINNER...
ONE SHOW AND THEN BED. DAD AND I ARE JUST FINISHING UP SOME WORK. CALL US IF YOU NEED ANYTHING.
YAY! IT'S EARTH WATCH! MY FAVORITE - I WONDER WHAT PART OF THE WORLD IT WILL SHOW TONIGHT.
SIGH


ON TONIGHT'S EARTH WATCH:
WELCOME TO THE PLASTIC ISLANDS...


THEY CAN'T BE FOUND ON MAPS, BUT THERE ARE NOW FIVE FLOATING ISLANDS IN OUR OCEANS MADE FROM THE PLASTIC WE THROW AWAY...
LOOK AT ALL THAT RUBBISH!
I WONDER HOW THE ANIMALS LIVE ON THOSE PLASTIC ISLANDS, THE POOR THINGS...
OBVIOUSLY THERE AREN'T ANY ANIMALS LIVING ON AN ISLAND MADE OF PLASTIC, NOVA!