CHAPTER 5

Small is powerful

Sometimes it's the small things that make a huge difference. Have you noticed that? Except for Mr D, of course. When he's tiny, our super strengths mean he has (almost) no power over us!

These are some of the things dyslexic children and young people have said make a big difference for them.

Having someone I like and trust to sit beside me so I can ask for help

Dyslexia Awareness Week helped to make people more aware

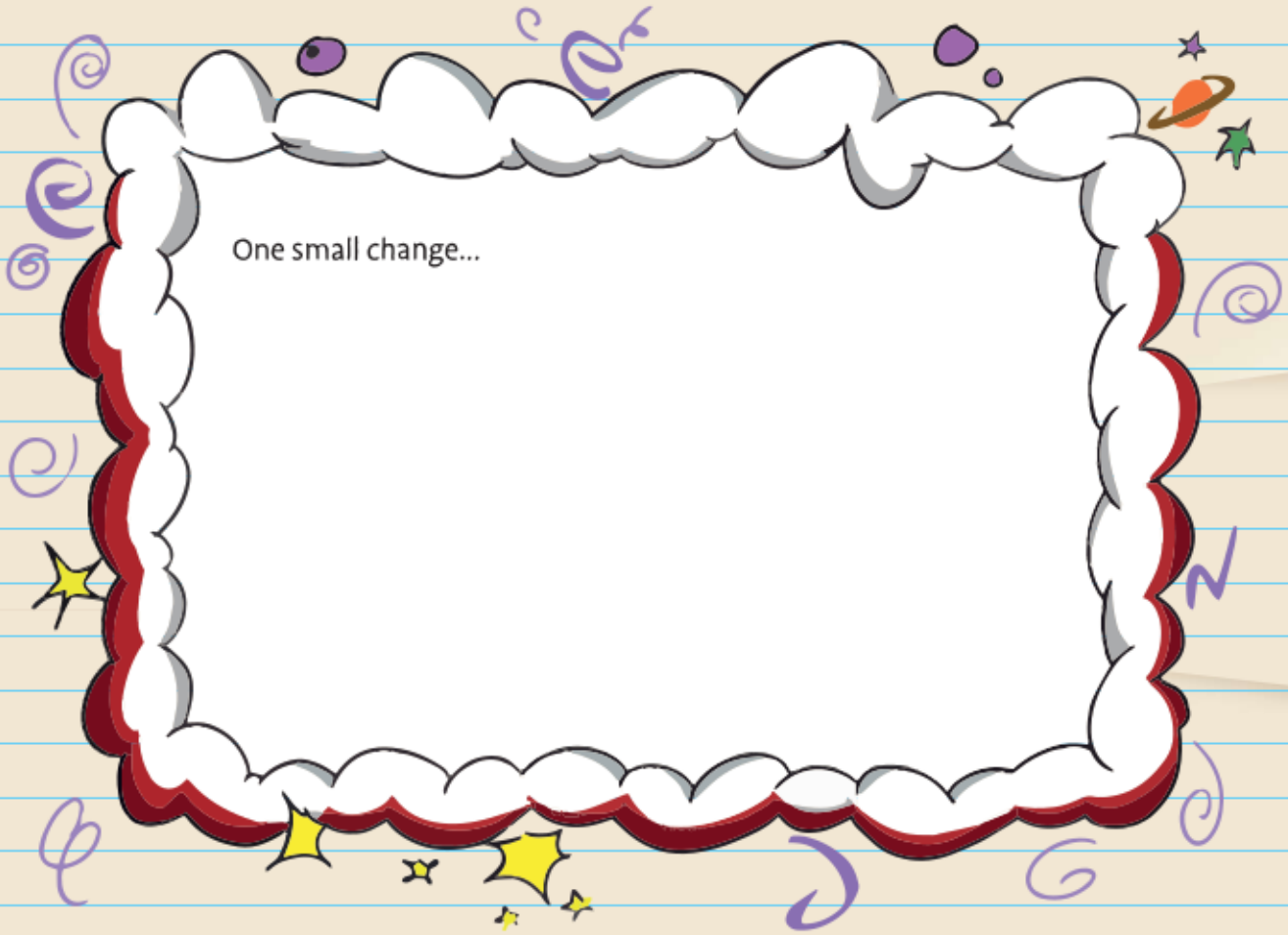
Using a computer for long pieces of writing



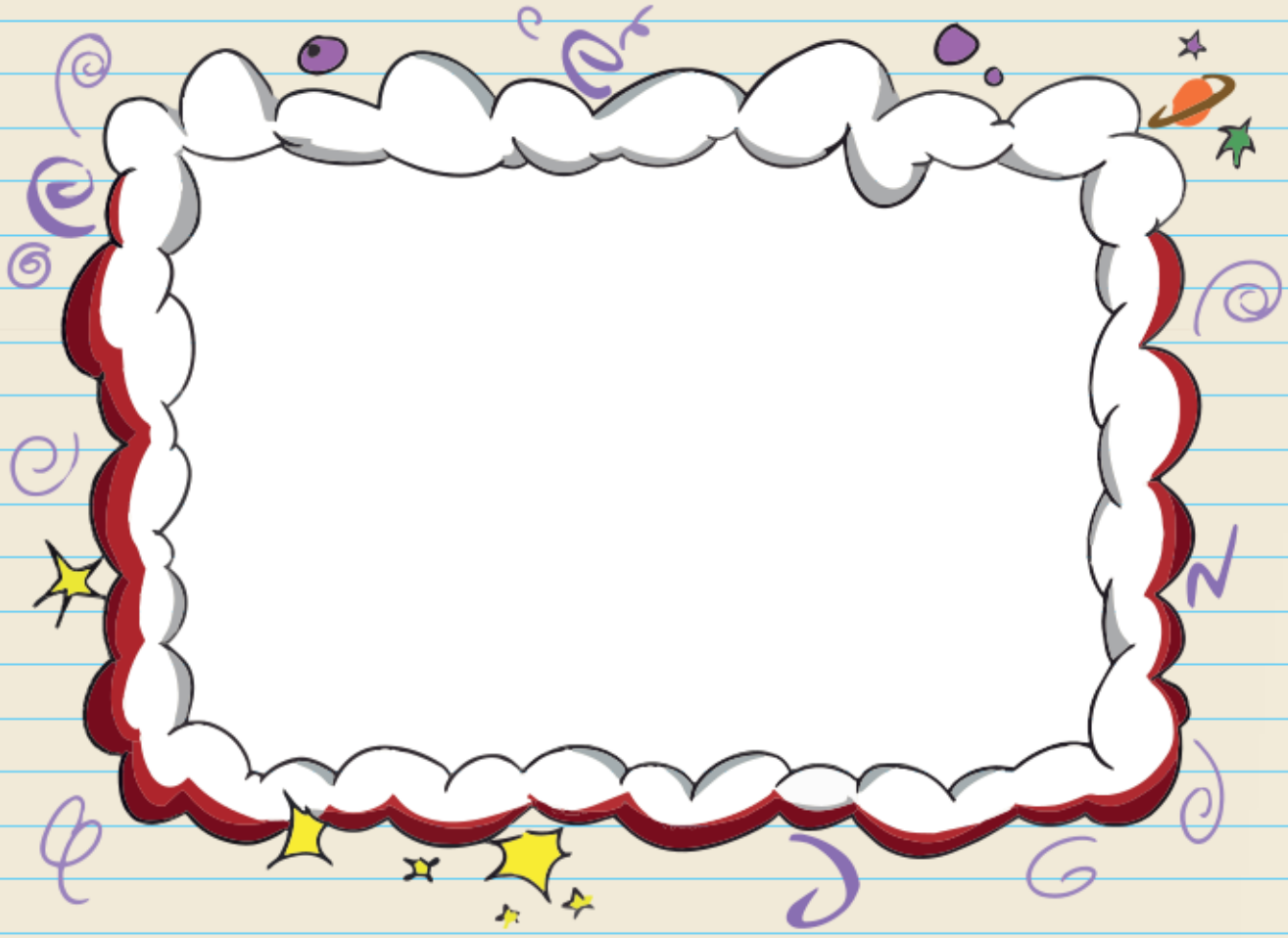
All of these things are small but one small change can make a huge difference.

How can you help to make one small change in your school? You can write or draw your ideas below.

Maybe you could help younger pupils learn more about dyslexia or be more patient and understanding with someone who finds things harder than you. One small change makes a huge difference.



What about you? What are the small changes that would make a big difference for you? Write down the ones you can think of, then you could ask a grown-up helper if they can think of any too.



Well done! You've completed your final task. Remember to display your beautiful bridge picture somewhere to remind you of all those brilliant creative skills and strengths you have. If you feel comfortable you can share your 'one small change' list with your grown-ups or friends.