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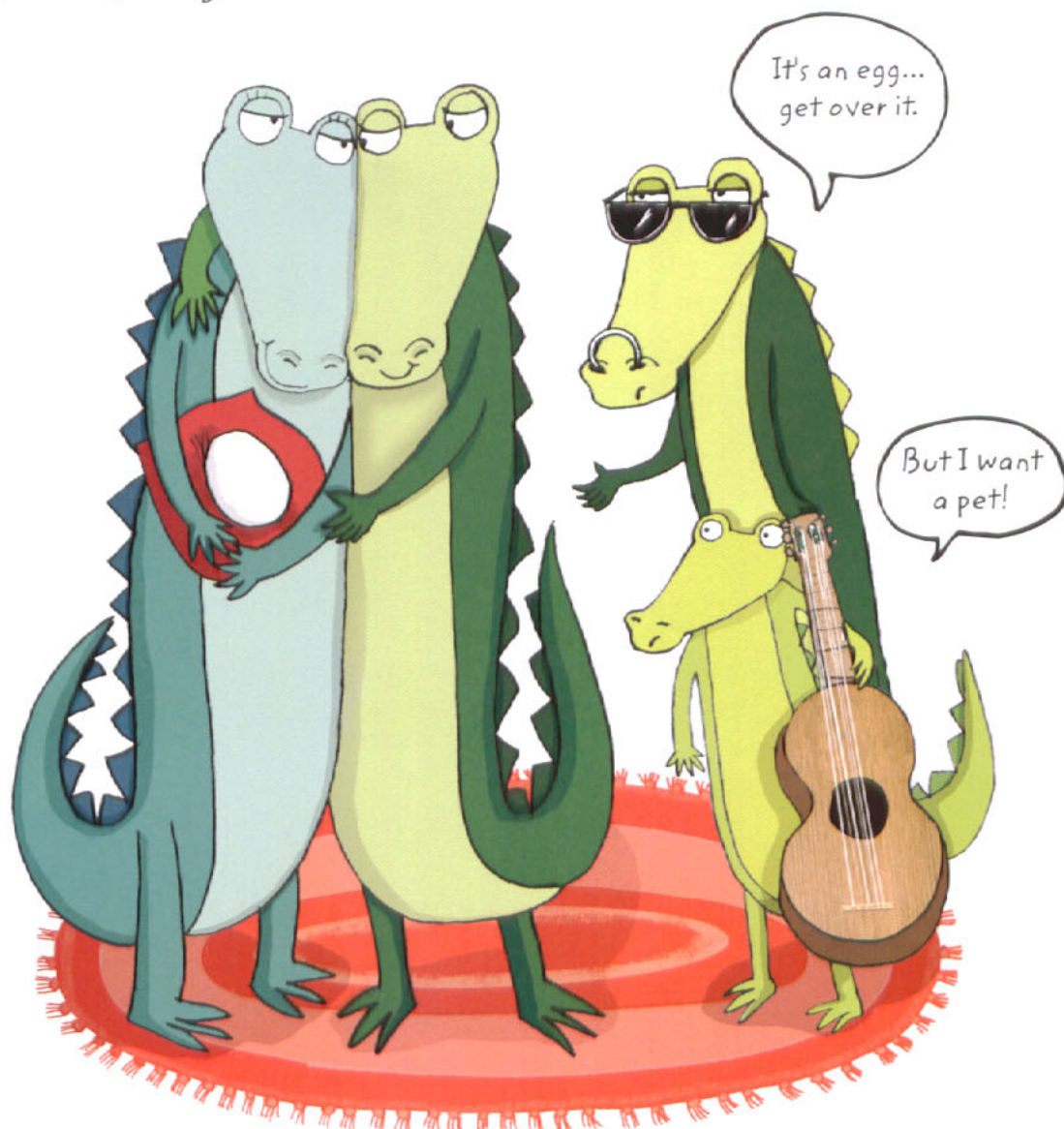
please print off and read at your leisure.

My big brother, Boris,
is being quite nice to me today.
We are playing **Croc Stars** in his room
when Mum and Dad come in.

“We have exciting news!” says Mum.



“Soon we will be hearing the pitter-patter of tiny feet,” says Dad.



“Hoooray, we’re getting a **pet!**” I cheer.

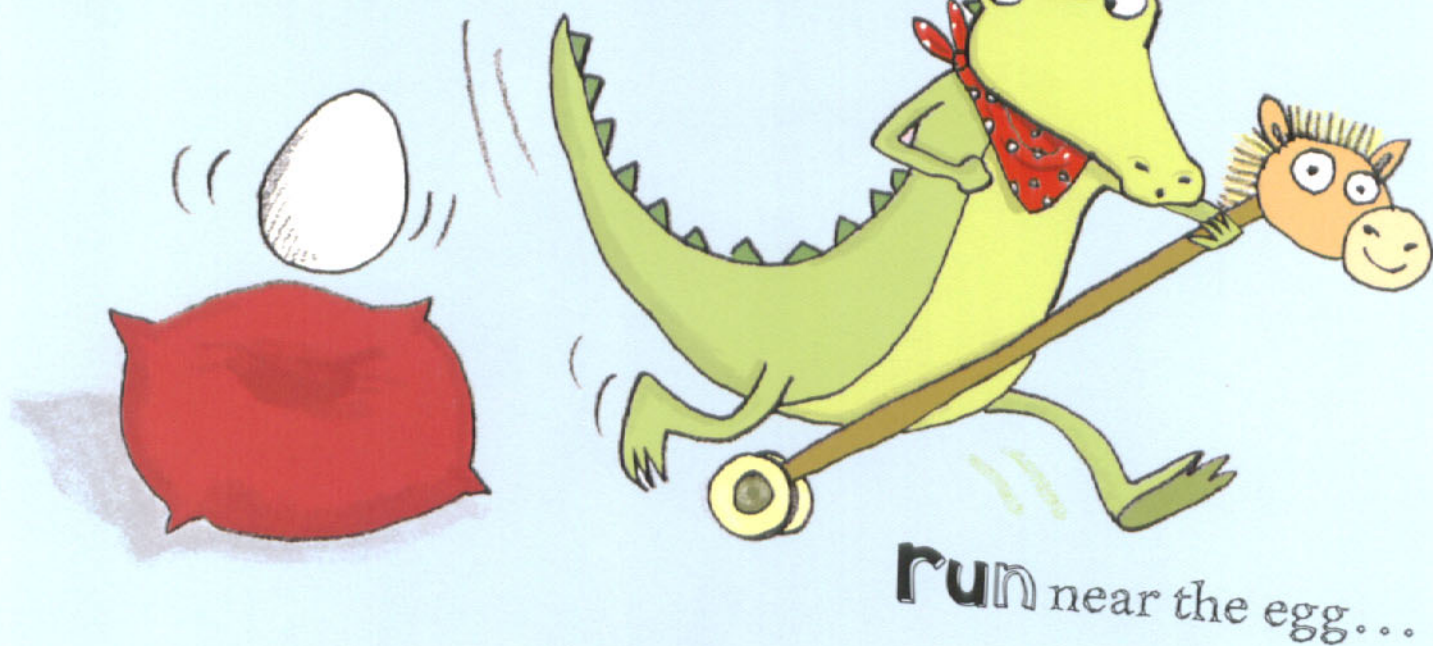
“**No, stupid!**” Boris snaps.

“We’re getting a baby croc.”

Then he points to the egg that Mum is holding.

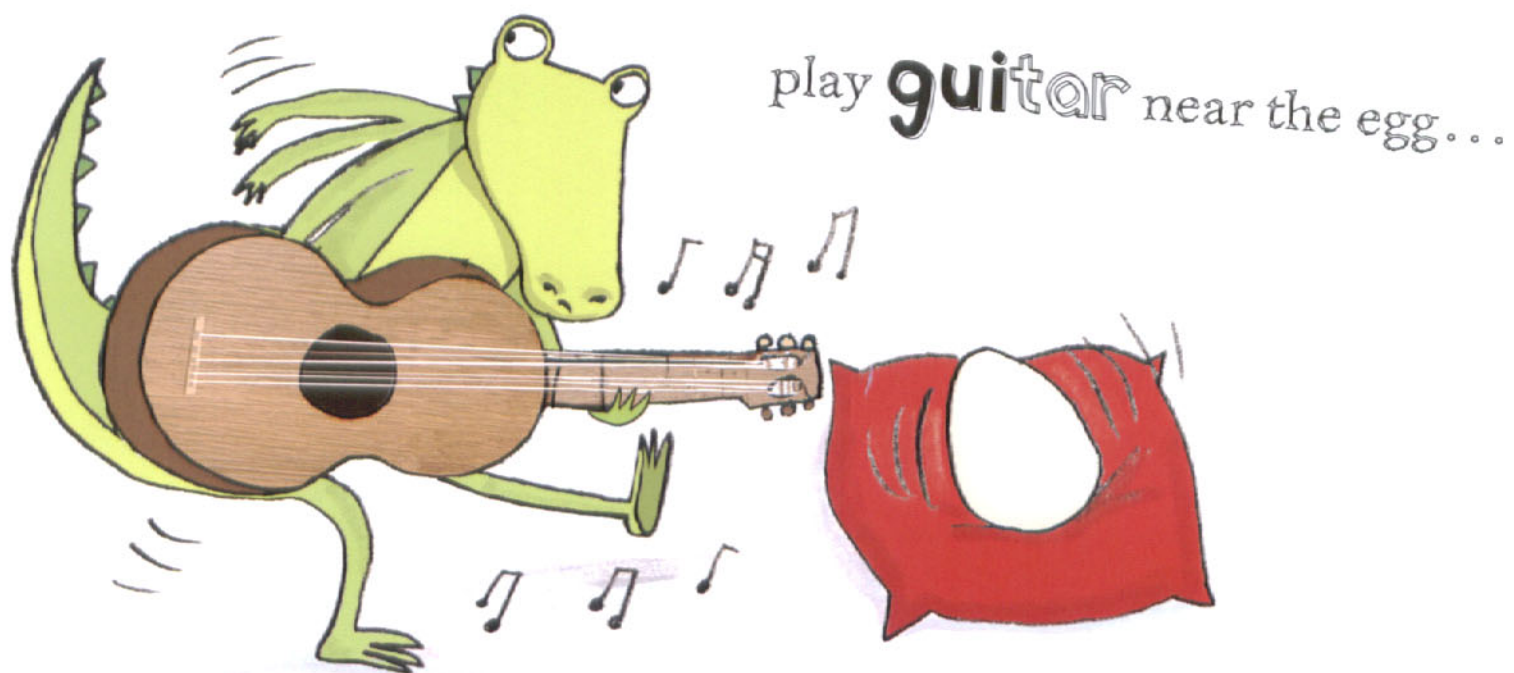
Now that the egg has arrived,
I am suddenly not allowed to...

No running,
Little Croc!

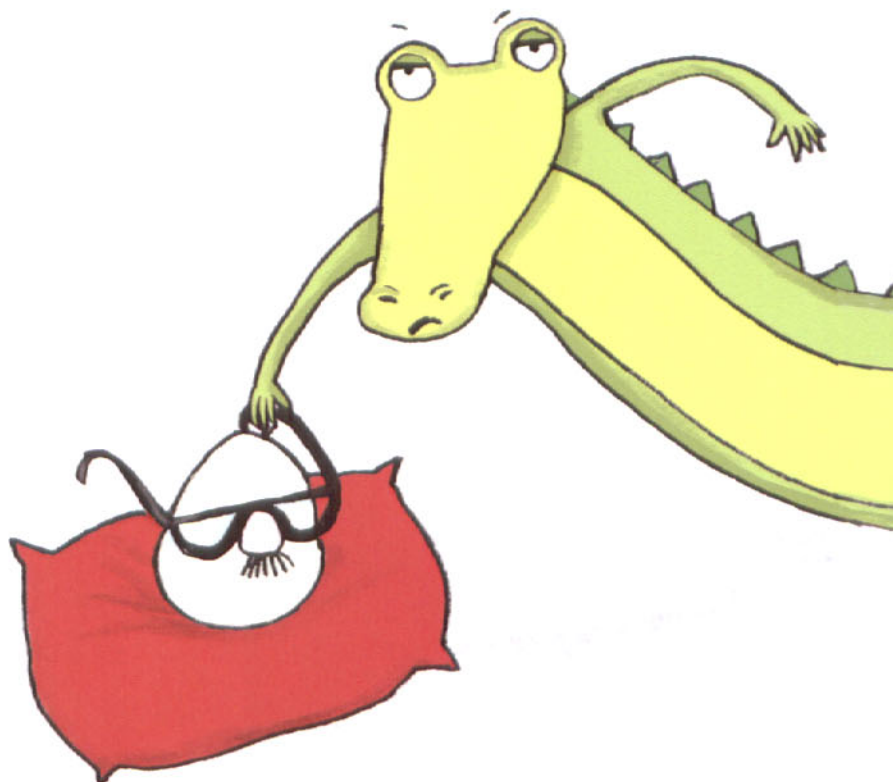


Too NOISY!

talk **loudly** near the egg...



...or do **anything** that
might disturb the egg.



Don't touch the egg,
Little Croc!



"That egg is spoiling
my fun," I tell Dad.

"Why don't you go and
play with Boris?"
he suggests.

But Boris has a
“**new friend**”
and doesn’t want
me around.



“**AGh!**”

So I go back to
my room, but Mum
has moved all my
toys to make room
for the baby croc.

“That’s so not
FAIR!” I cry.