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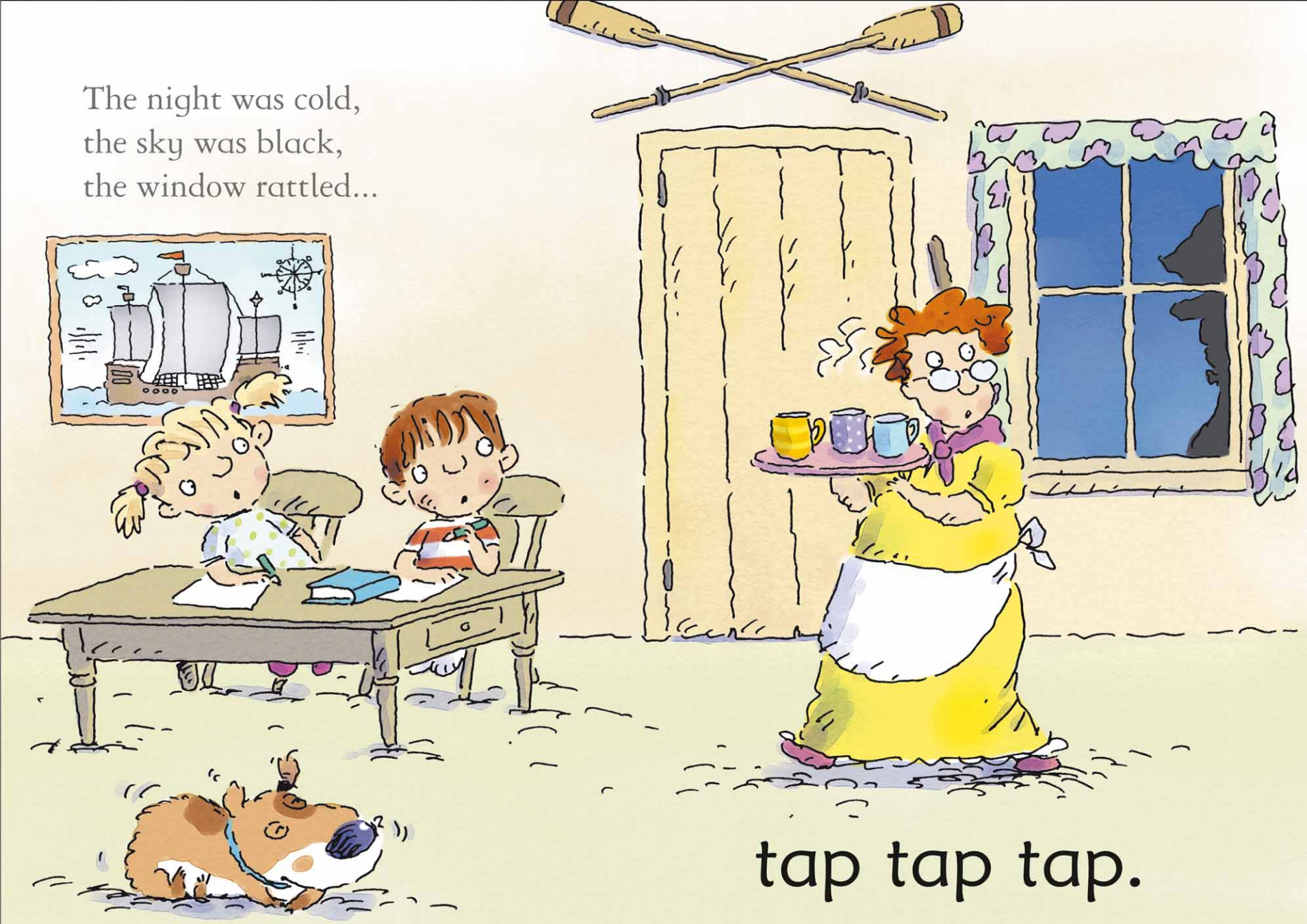
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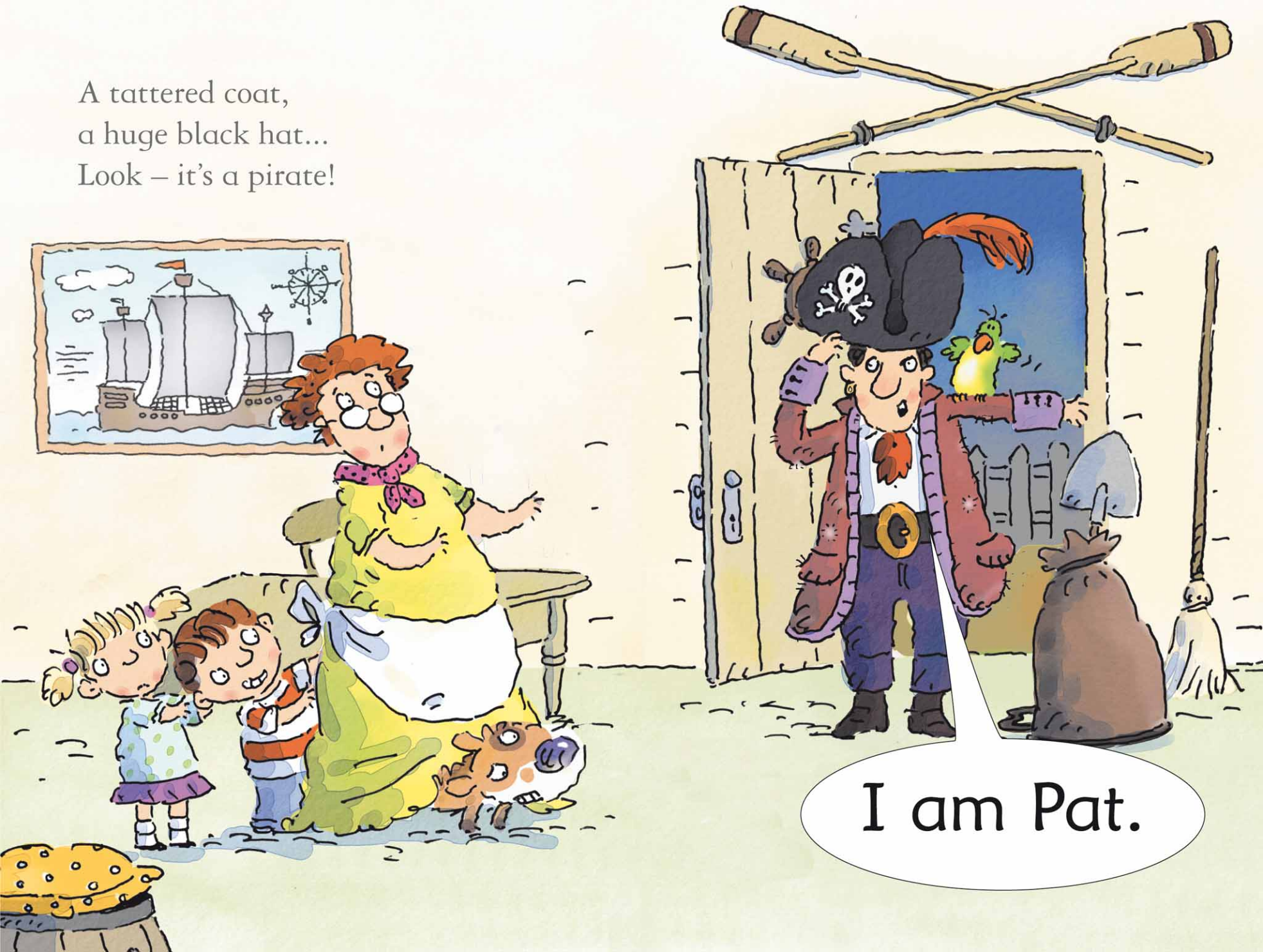
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The night was cold,
the sky was black,
the window rattled...



tap tap tap.

A tattered coat,
a huge black hat...
Look – it's a pirate!



"But that's my home!"
says Gran. "Look, lad,
you can't just dig here."



Pat is sad.