

ZOOONI TALES



ACTIVITY KIT

MEET Zooni: a fuzzy, four-legged, irresistible pooch that goes on adventures! Join Zooni and friends in this rhyming early graphic novel series with loads of laughs and silly gaffs. A perfect fit for read alouds and newly independent readers.



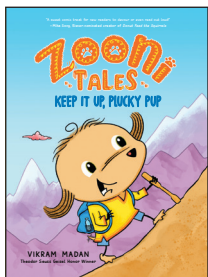
“The graphic format and rhyming text will engage young readers.” —Kirkus Reviews

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- A New Zooni Adventure
- Zooni Loves Pancakes
- Animal Friends
- Boating Day
- Cavern Maze


MEET THE CREATOR

VIKRAM MADAN grew up in India, where he really wanted to be a cartoonist but ended up an engineer. After many years of working in the tech industry, he came to his senses and followed his heart into storytelling. He is the author/illustrator of *Owl and Penguin*, a Theodor Seuss Geisel Honor book and Junior Library Guild Gold Standard Selection, and *A Hatful of Dragons*, which received a starred review in *Kirkus*, was a *Kirkus* Best Book, and was named to the Texas Bluebonnet Master List and the NYPL Best Books List.



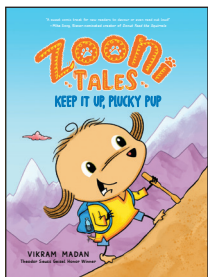
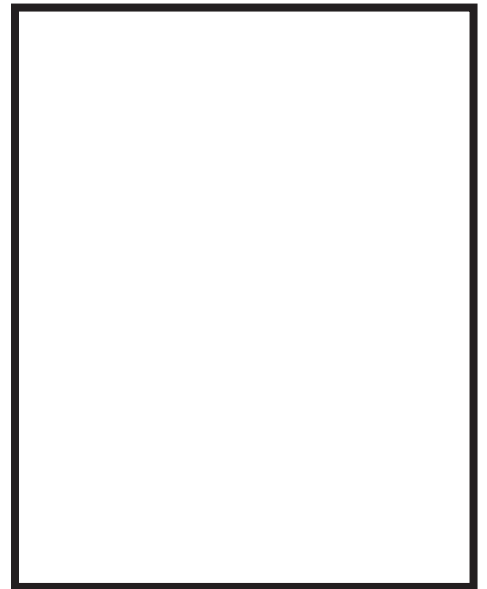
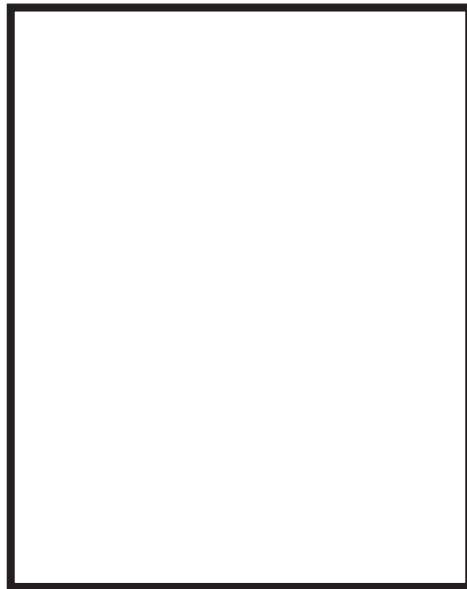
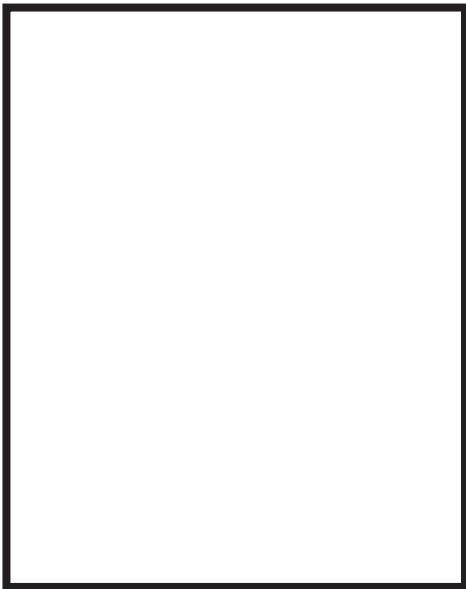
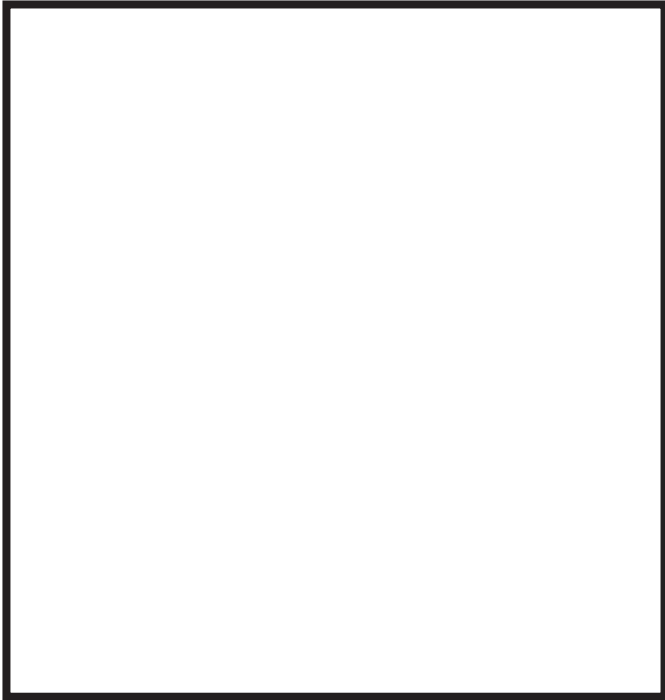
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A NEW ZOONI ADVENTURE

Make your own comic about Zooni's next adventure!



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ANIMAL FRIENDS

Find all of Zooni's animal friends in the word search.



KANGAROO

EMU

BIRD

COW

COCKATOO

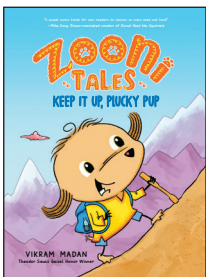
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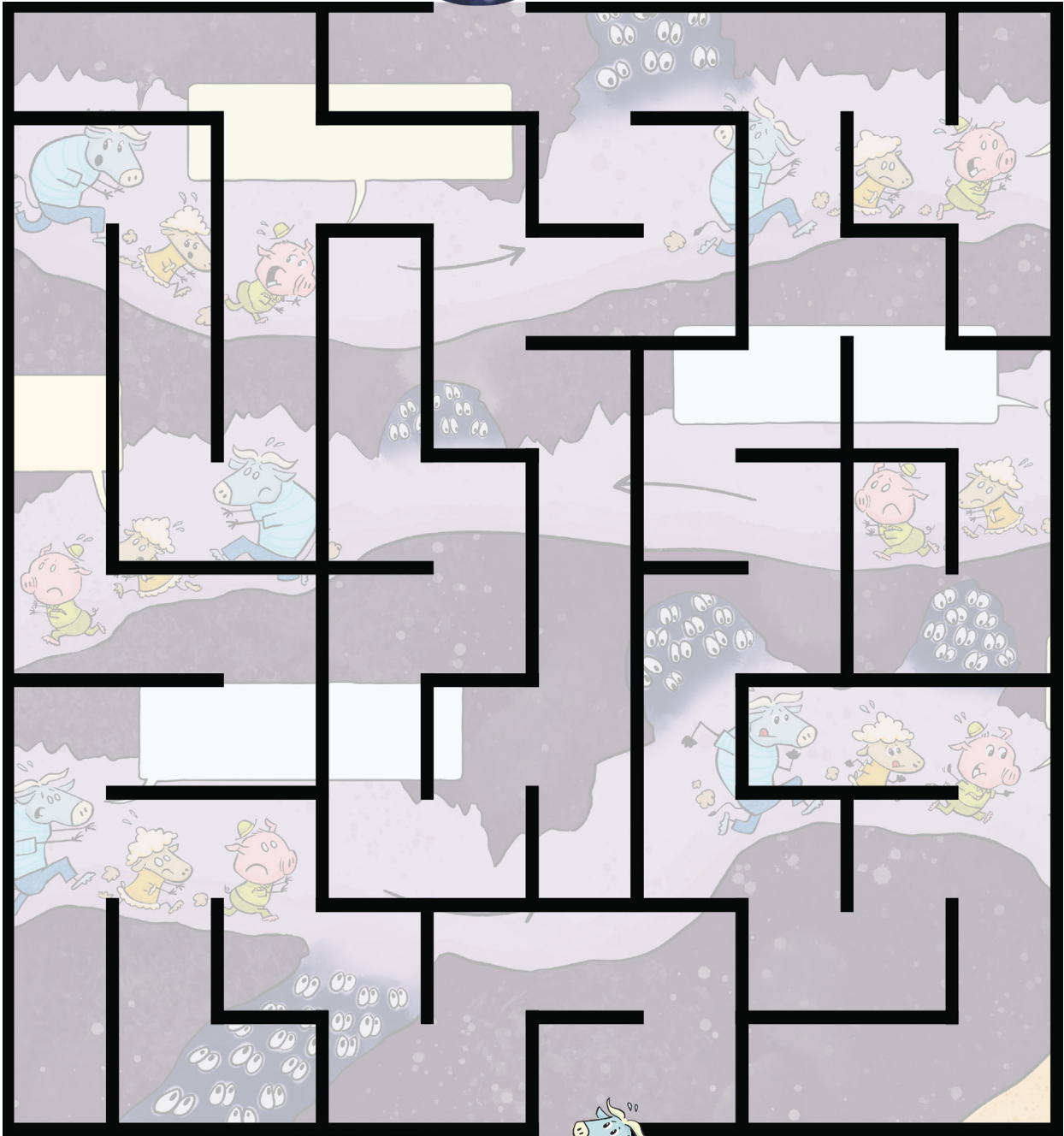
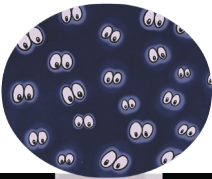
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CAVERN MAZE

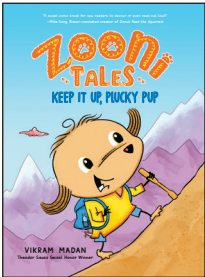
Help Zooni and friends find their way out of the cavern!



START



FINISH



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ZOONI LOVES PANCAKES



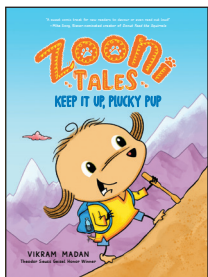
INGREDIENTS

- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 2 tablespoons white sugar
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup milk
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 1 egg, beaten

INSTRUCTIONS

1. In a large bowl, combine all the dry ingredients.
2. Make a well in the center, and pour in the wet ingredients. Mix until smooth.
3. With the help of an adult, heat a lightly oiled griddle or pan over medium-high heat.
4. Pour or scoop batter onto the griddle or pan, using about $\frac{1}{4}$ cup for each pancake. Cook until bubbles form on top and edges are dry, about 1–2 minutes. Flip and cook until browned on the other side.
5. Repeat with remaining batter.
6. Top pancakes with berries, cherries, and syrup. Enjoy!

Source: <https://www.allrecipes.com/recipe/45396/easy-pancakes/>



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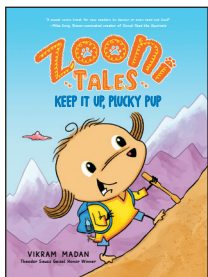
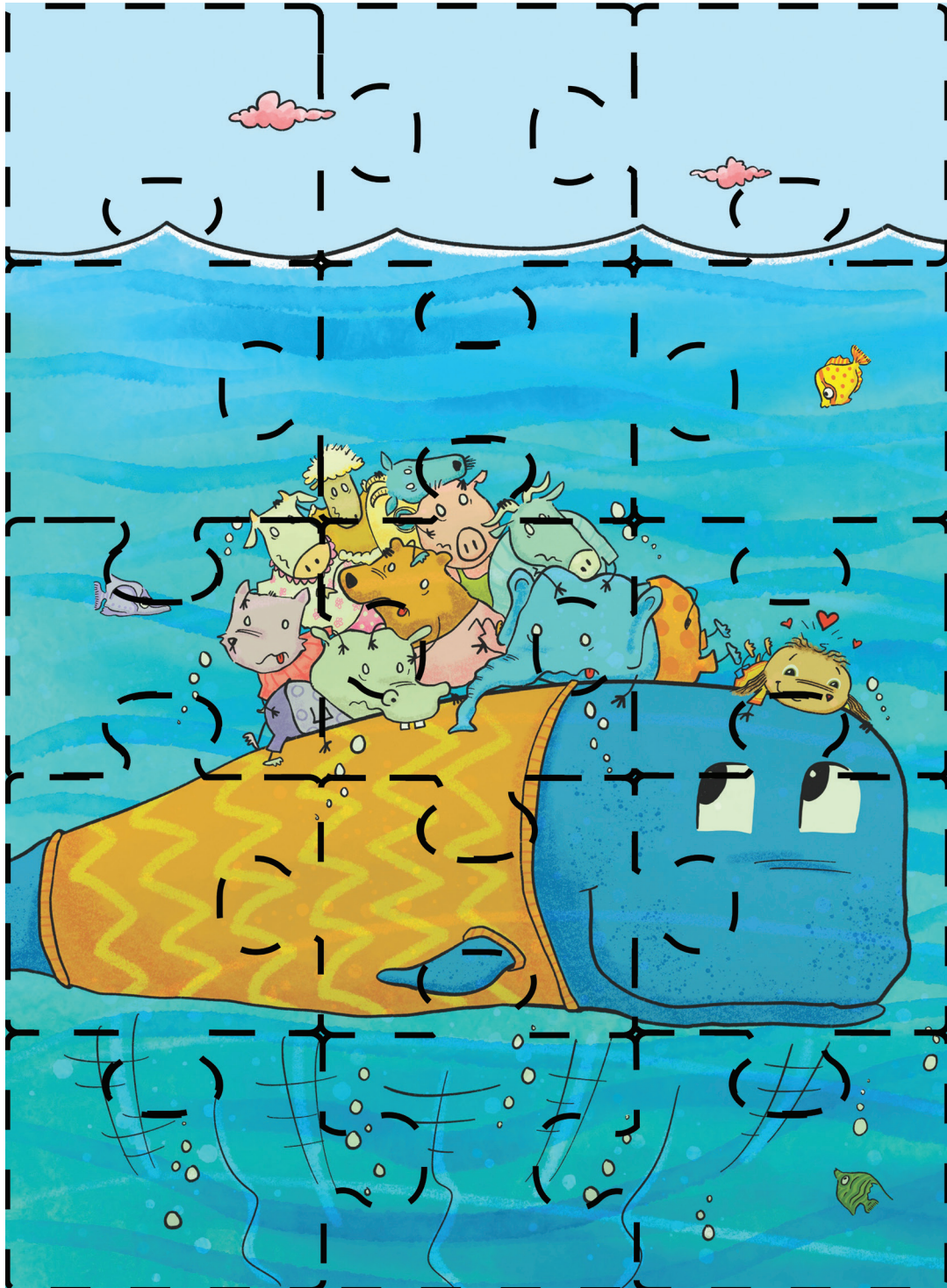
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BOATING DAY

Good thing Whale was there to rescue Zooni and friends from their sinking boat! To make this puzzle, cut along the dotted lines. Mix up the pieces, then put the puzzle back together with your best friend.

Ask an adult for help using scissors!



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