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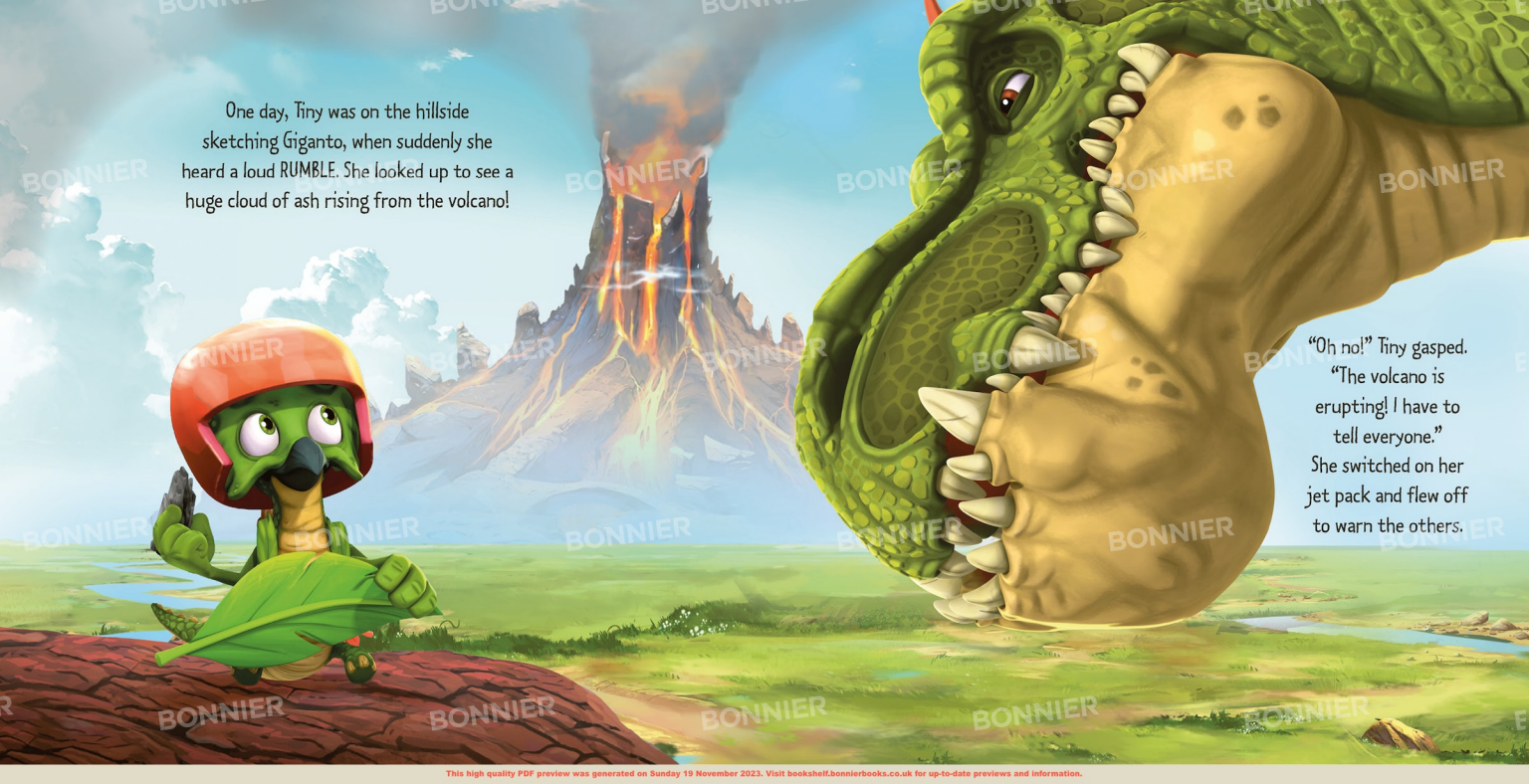
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One day, Tiny was on the hillside sketching Giganto, when suddenly she heard a loud RUMBLE. She looked up to see a huge cloud of ash rising from the volcano!

“Oh no!” Tiny gasped.
“The volcano is erupting! I have to tell everyone.”
She switched on her jet pack and flew off to warn the others.

As Tiny whizzed through the sky, she spotted a herd of dinos down below. Thinking quickly, she rolled her drawing into a cone and called out to them.



ATTENTION
EVERYONE!
THE VOLCANO
IS ERUPTING!

Tiny's warning echoed all around and the dinos ran to find shelter.



Thanks Tiny!



Thanks for
saving us Tiny!

Rocky, Bill and Mazu were playing outside when they heard Tiny's call. As she landed, the four friends rushed to safety inside the den, just in time.

Finally, when the eruption stopped,
Tiny went outside to announce the news.



The dinosaurs all cheered as they came out of hiding.
Suddenly, Tiny began to have an idea . . .



“Maybe I should report the news ALL the time!” Tiny announced.
“A news show sounds great!” said Mazu, cheerfully.
“And we can be your reporters!” Bill and Rocky agreed excitedly.



“Thanks everyone!” replied Tiny . “I can’t wait to see what you find.” Soon, and Rocky, Mazu and Bill set out across Cretacia to find stories for Tiny’s news show.

Tiny waited on the roof of the den where she could share her news with everyone on the savannah below. Soon, Mazu, Bill and Rocky arrived with their reports.



We're back!

What did you find?

"Patchy saw Spinosaurus..." Mazu began to say. "The SCARIEST dinosaur in Cretacia?" Tiny gasped, "That's huge news!" Quickly, she sketched a picture and held it up for everyone to see.



TINY TELLS!
Patchy spotted Spinosaurus!

"Spinosaurus?!" Iggy yelped at the announcement. "RUN AWAY!" The dino below ran for safety, but Mazu hadn't finished her story...



“But Patchy wasn’t wearing glasses,”
Mazu continued, “so he’s not sure if it
was REALLY Spinosaurus.”

“That means it could have been anyone!”
gasped Tiny. Feeling annoyed, she announced
her mistake and the dinos below calmed down.



Sorry, Tiny.

I think you spoke
too soon . . .



“Wake me up when you have REAL news,”
said Iggy, slithering into a rock to take
a nap. As she watched Iggy disappear,
Tiny had an idea for a new story . . .



TINY TELLS!
Rock eats Dino!

“That’s not true!” shouted Bill, but Tiny had already whizzed away to spread her story.

Down below, Tiny's news was causing chaos!
Terrified dinos ran from every rock they saw.

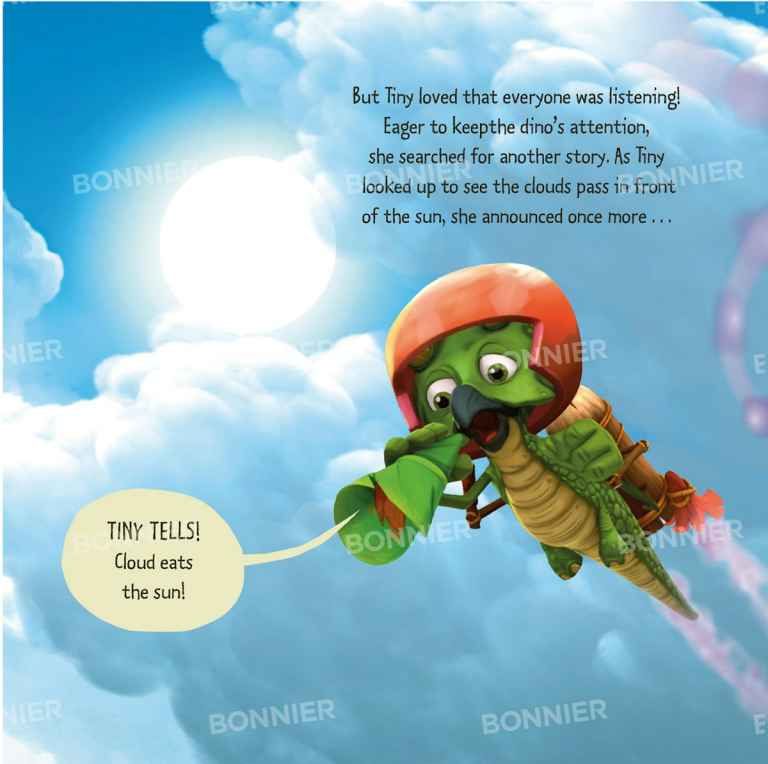


Oh no you
don't, rock!

I'm surrounded!

Argh! Another
rock!

But Tiny loved that everyone was listening!
Eager to keep the dino's attention,
she searched for another story. As Tiny
looked up to see the clouds pass in front
of the sun, she announced once more . . .



TINY TELLS!
Cloud eats
the sun!

The dinos on the savannah went wild and Tiny landed back down with a smile. But Rocky, Mazu and Bill weren't impressed. "Look at what you've caused!" huffed Bill.



"Maybe I DID get carried away . . ." said Tiny. "I should apologise." But as Tiny looked down at the crowd, she couldn't resist one more story. She pulled out her drawing of Giganto . . .



That story was the BIGGEST yet! The crowd screamed and scattered in fear. Suddenly, everyone had left the savannah and Tiny had no one to tell her stories to.



What have I done?

You scared everyone with your tall tales!

“You need to tell everyone the TRUE news,” scolded Bill. Tiny agreed and set out to find the hidden dinos.

When Tiny found the dinosaurs, they were NOT pleased to see her. “What bad news is there now?” wailed Archie.



Is it a hurricane?

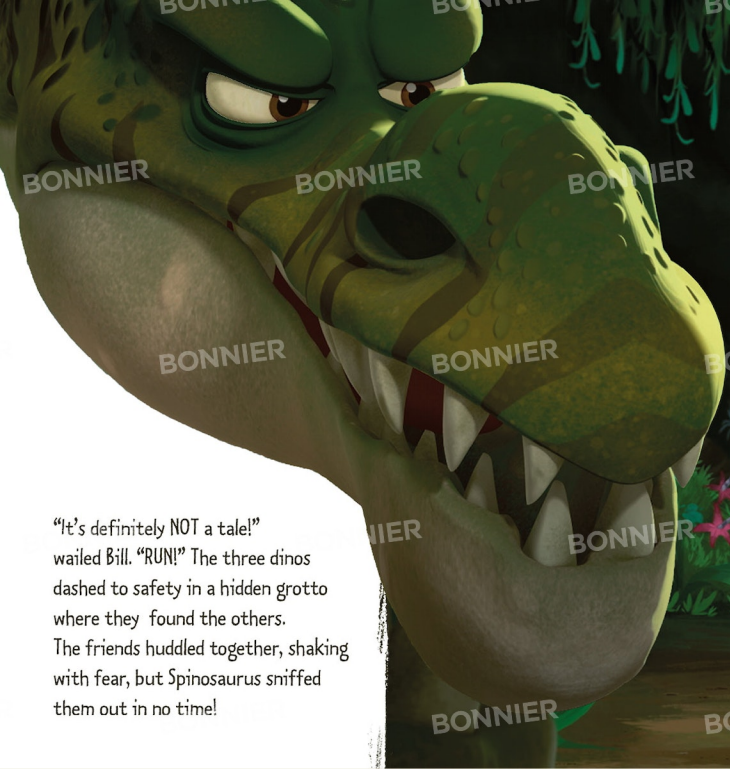
Is it a Groundwobbler?

“No . . .” Tiny began to explain, when an enormous dinosaur crept out from behind them.

Quickly, Tiny flew off to find help, “It’s SPINOSAURUS!” she yelled. Spinosaurus loudly ROARED, and the other dinos sprinted away to find cover.



On their way, they bumped into Rocky, Mazu and Bill.
“Spino’s coming!” Dilo warned, but the friends didn’t believe him.
“I guess Tiny’s still telling tales,” sighed Mazu. Then they spotted Spinosaurus.



"It's definitely NOT a tale!" wailed Bill. "RUN!" The three dinos dashed to safety in a hidden grotto where they found the others. The friends huddled together, shaking with fear, but Spinosaurus sniffed them out in no time!

AHHHHH!
WE'RE DOOMED!



Spino's jaws crept closer and closer, until suddenly, a familiar sound echoed outside the grotto . . .

Spino's snout disappeared as he turned to face a very angry Giganto, followed by a very worried Tiny.

Don't worry everyone, Giganto's here to help!

ROOOOO

OOOAAAAR!

Giganto let out an almighty ROAR, big enough to scare Spino. This time, he was the one to run away.

Finally the dinos were safe.
But instead of cheering,
Patchy noticed something.
“Why didn’t Giganto breathe
fire, Tiny?” he asked.

Tiny knew it was time to
confess. “I’m sorry everyone,
I made that up,” Tiny
confessed, “along with my
other stories today.”

“So we don’t have to be
scared of rocks?” puzzled Dilo.
“Or Giganto?” added Archie.

“No!” Tiny cried. “Giganto is
the greatest, and that’s the
TRUE story.”





