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Dear Parent:

Psst . . . you're looking at the **Super Secret Weapon of Reading**. It's called **comics**.

STEP INTO READING® COMIC READERS are a perfect step in learning to read. They provide visual cues to the meaning of words and helpfully break out short pieces of dialogue into speech balloons.

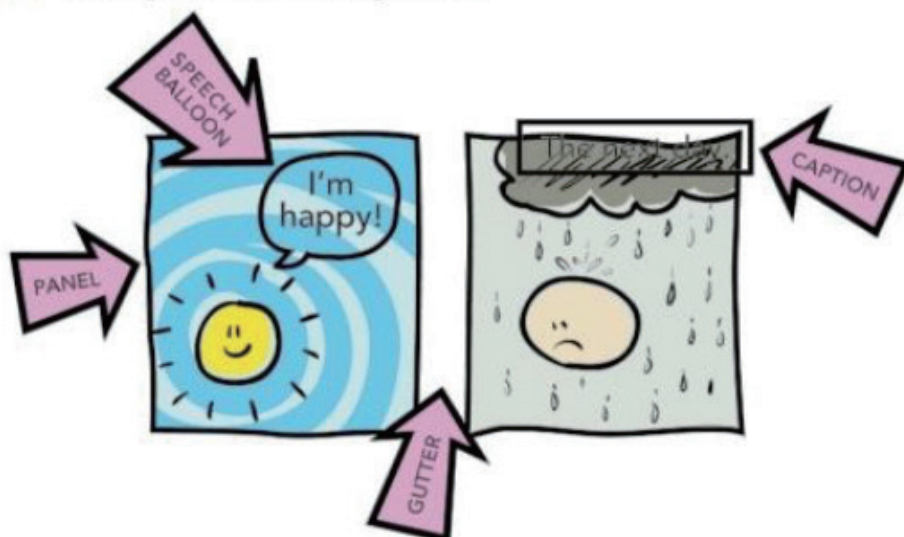
Here are some terms commonly associated with comics:

PANEL: A section of a comic with a box drawn around it.

CAPTION: Narration that helps set the scene.

SPEECH BALLOON: A bubble containing dialogue.

GUTTER: The space between panels.



Tips for reading comics with your child:

- Have your child read the speech balloons while you read the captions.
- Ask your child: What is a character feeling? How can you tell?
- Have your child draw a comic showing what happens after the book is finished.

STEP INTO READING® COMIC READERS are designed to engage and to provide an empowering reading experience. They are also fun. The best-kept secret of comics is that they create lifelong readers. **And that will make you the real hero of the story!**

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The Jurassic World logo, featuring a dinosaur silhouette in a circular frame above the words 'JURASSIC WORLD' in a stylized font. Below it, the words 'CAMP CRETACEOUS' are written in a bold, blocky font with a brown and orange color scheme.



LOST IN THE WILD!

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Meet Ben Pincus!
Ben is making sure he has
everything he needs
in his suitcase and fanny pack.

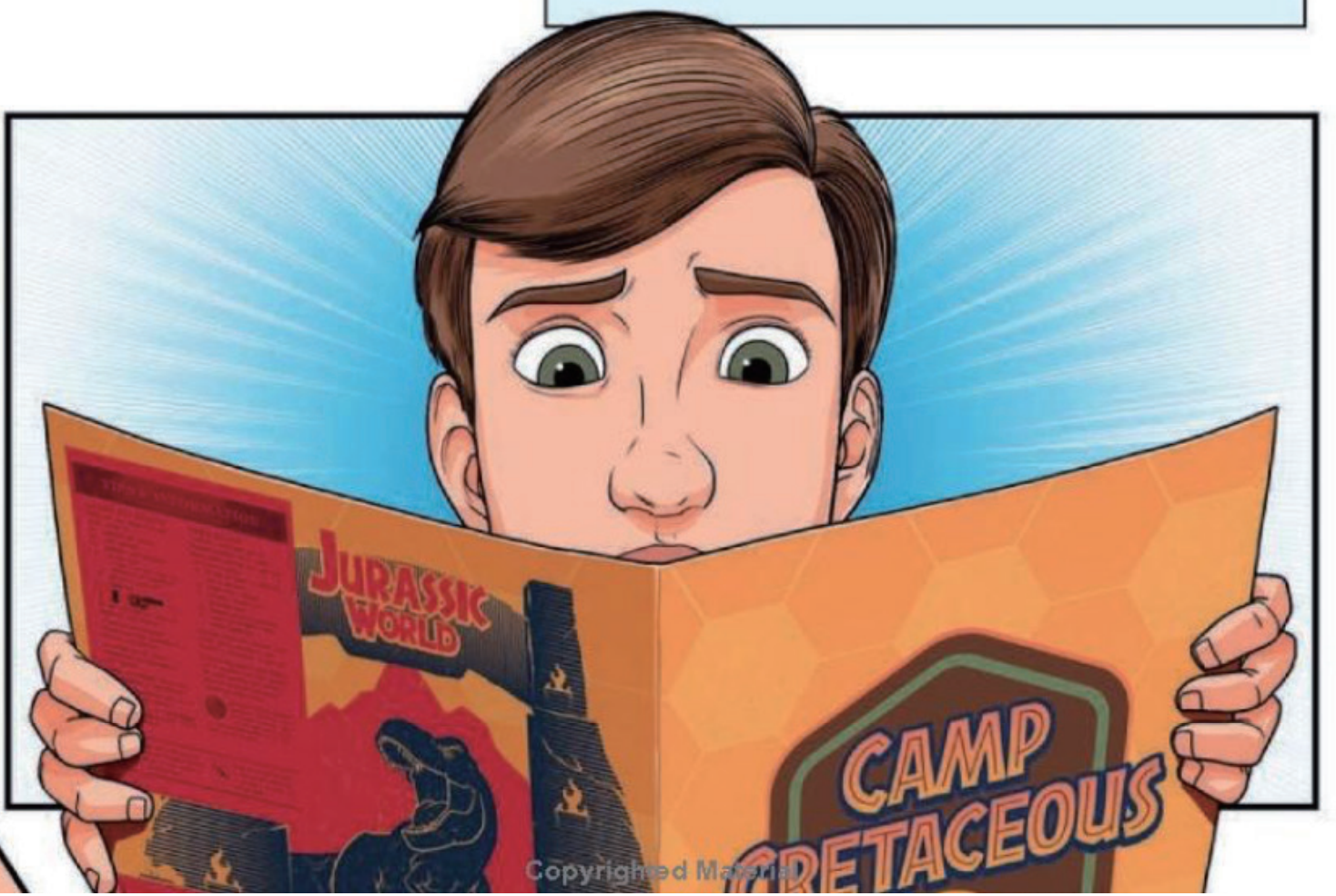


Do I have enough
hand sanitizer?

Ben is nervous.
He doesn't like
being away from home.



He's going to a camp.
But it's not just *any* camp.



Ben is going to Camp Cretaceous!
It's at Jurassic World.
It may be the coolest camp ever!
He will be on an island . . .
with dinosaurs!

Ben meets the other campers.
Everyone is excited
to see dinosaurs!
Well, everyone but Ben.

I can't wait to
see dinosaurs!

I can!





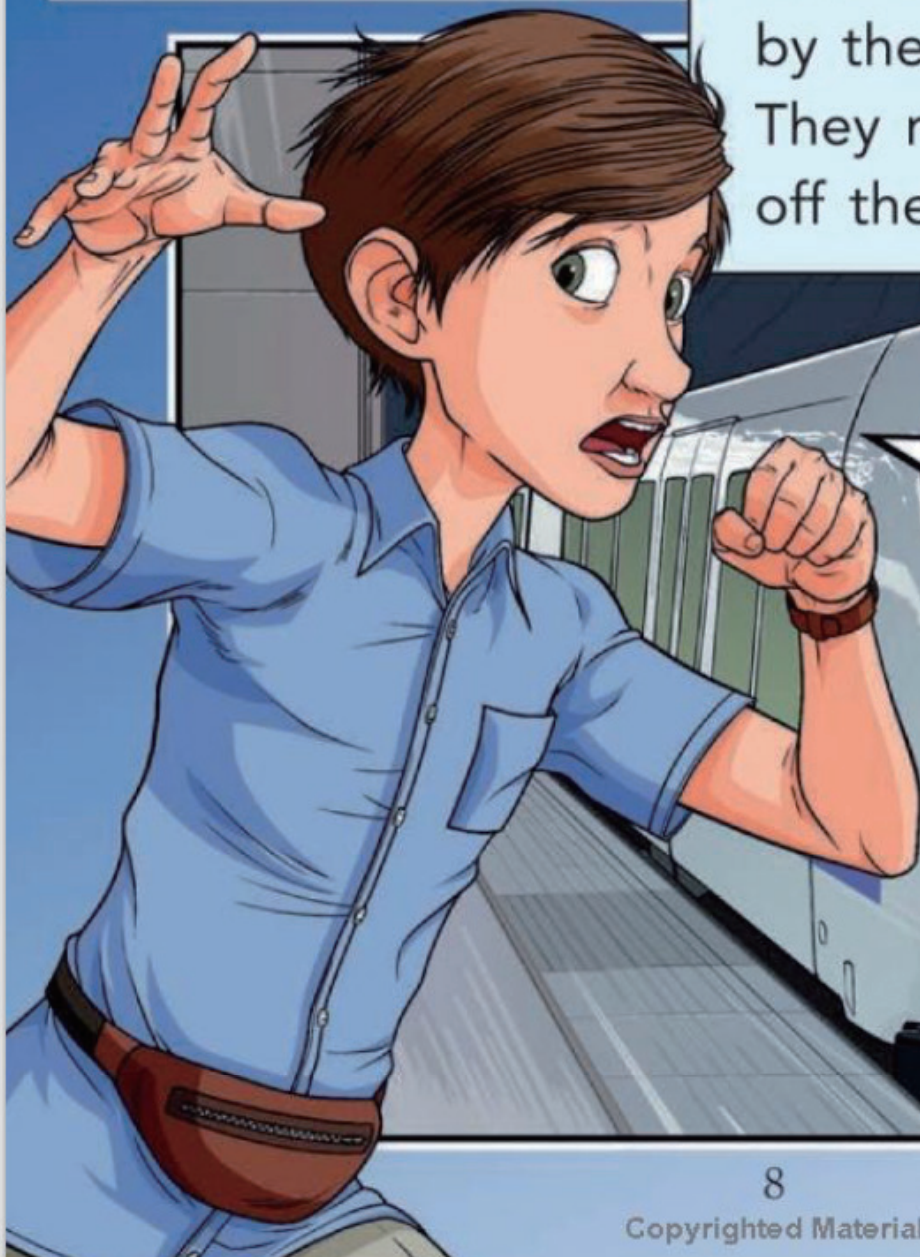
Camp is off to a good start.
Everyone is having a great time!
Well, everyone but Ben.



Then something happens.
The dinosaurs run wild!
The dinosaurs rampage!



The campers are stranded
by themselves.
They must find a way
off the island.



Run for
the monorail!

The monorail will take them to the docks.
The campers can escape on a boat—
unless something happens. . . .

Uh-oh!
Pteranodons!

Guess what?
Something happens!
A Pteranodon captures Ben.



Another Pteranodon flies close
and starts a fight.
The first dinosaur lets go of Ben!