



MAMITA'S GARDEN

AN ACTIVITY BOOK

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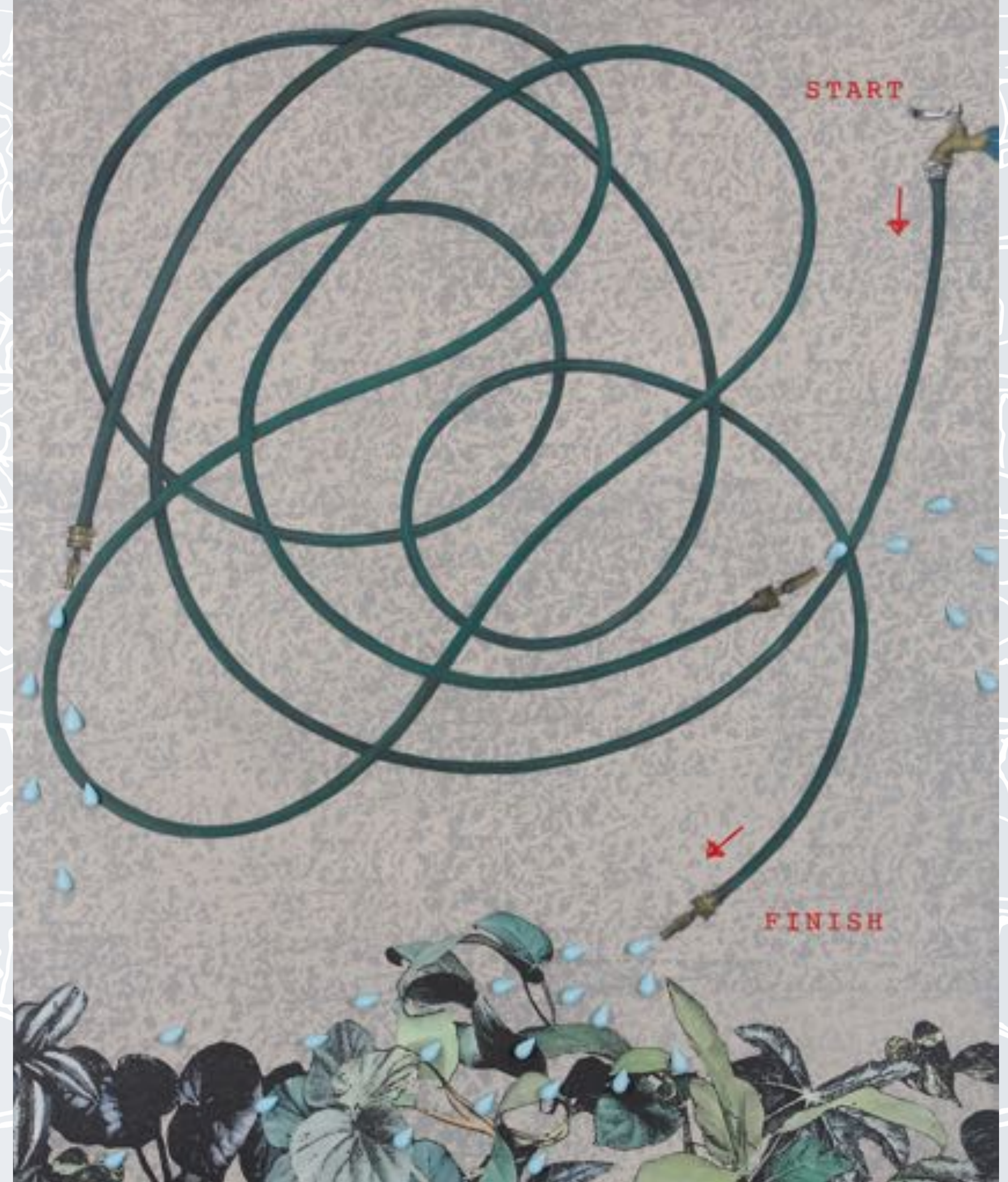
Welcome to Mamita's Garden.

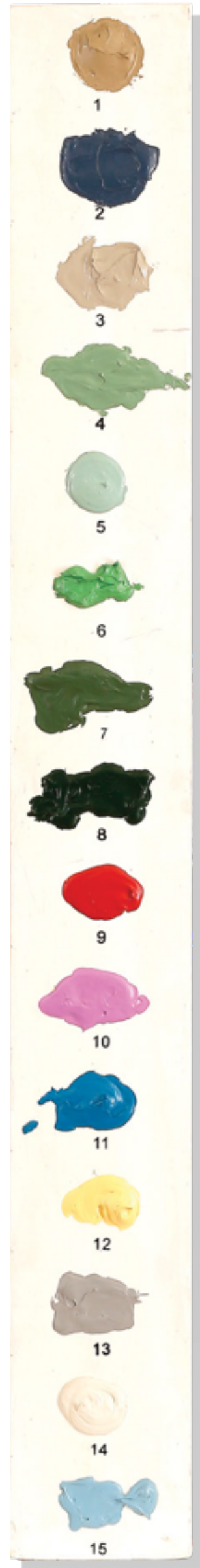
Mamita loves to take care of her plants. She nurtures them from the time they are seeds until they grow to become big and beautiful plants. She cares for them with all her heart.

Can you help Mamita take care of her garden?

Where should the water go?

Mamita needs to water her plants but she can't figure out which hose to use! *Help Mamita by finding the hose that connects to the faucet.*

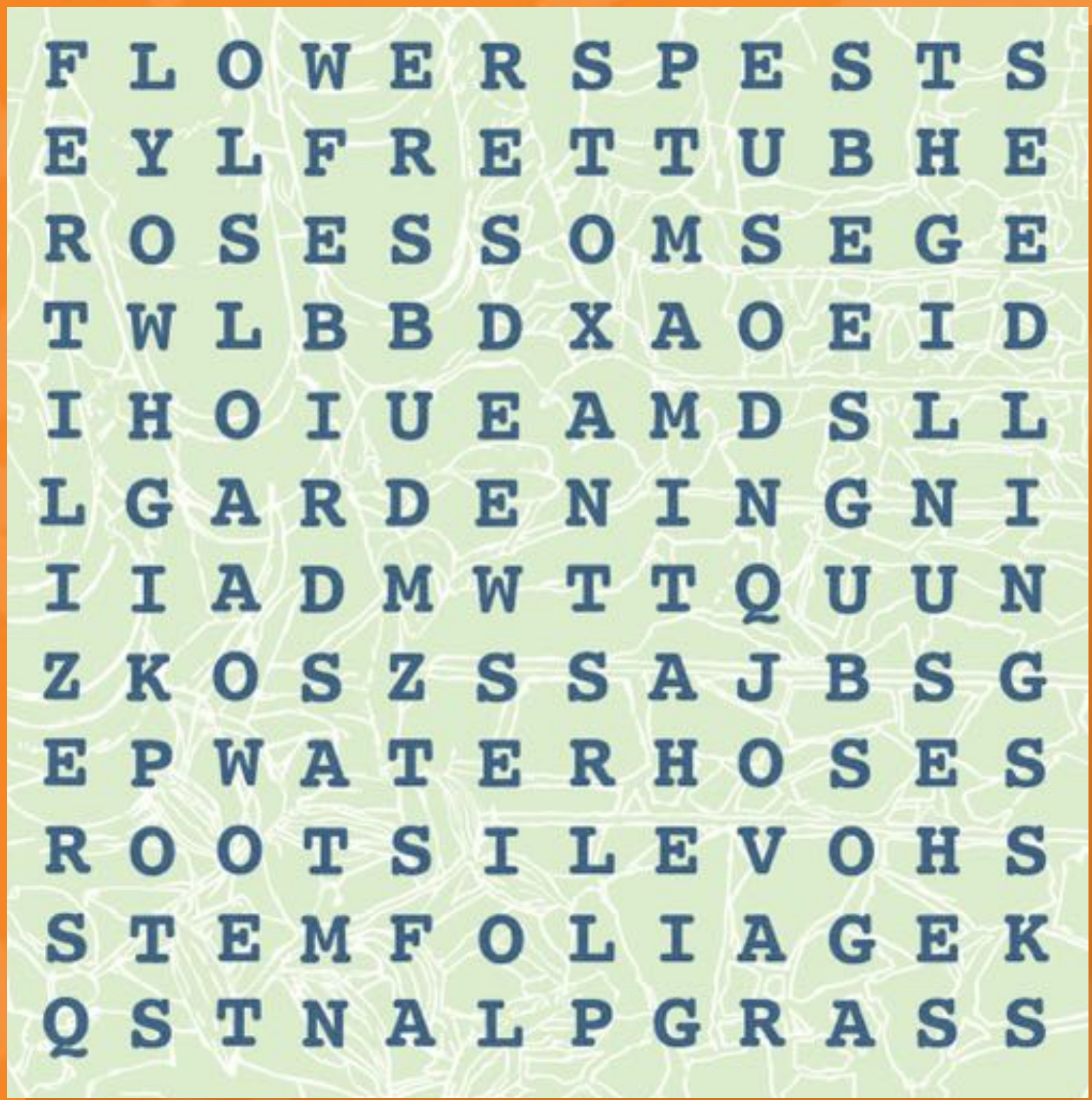




Color by numbers!

These are the colorful steps that lead to Mamita's garden.
Color the mosaic tiles using the color guide on the left.



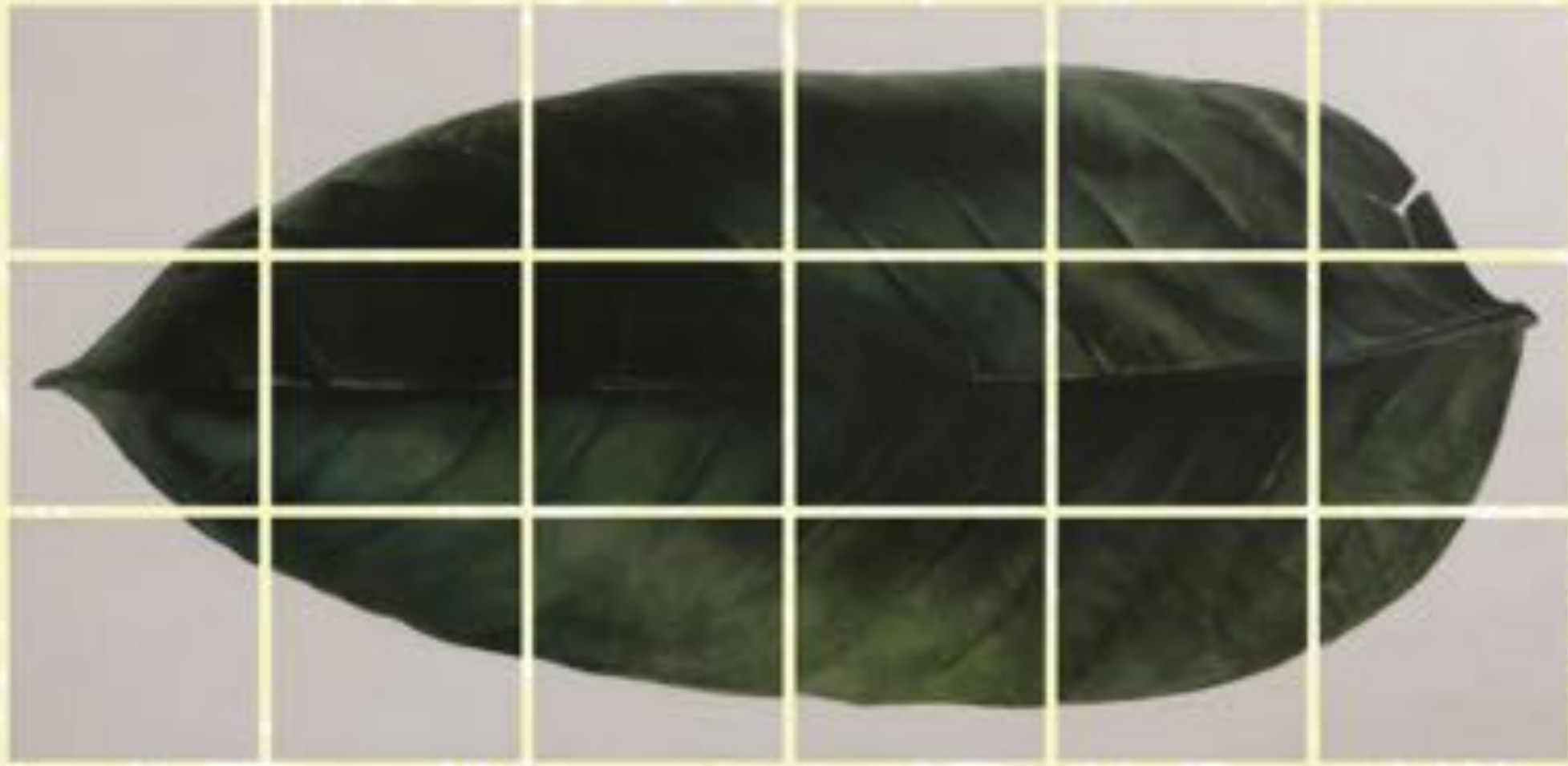


Search for the WORD!

Many different plants, creatures, tools, and other items are scattered all around Mamita's garden. *Can you help her find them?*

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|----------|------------|-------------|--------|---------|-----------|
| Flowers | Bud | Rake | Plants | Pests | Ants |
| Birds | Seedlings | Fertilizers | Worms | Sod | Gardening |
| Stem | Water Hose | Grass | Pots | Foliage | Roots |
| Bees | Roses | Butterfly | Moss | Seed | Shovel |
| Sunlight | Soil | Bugs | Weeds | | |





Puzzle leaves

Mamita loves her green leaves. *Cut these leaves into squares, mix the pieces, and bring her leaves back to the correct shape!*



 (Cut along the spaces between the squares.)

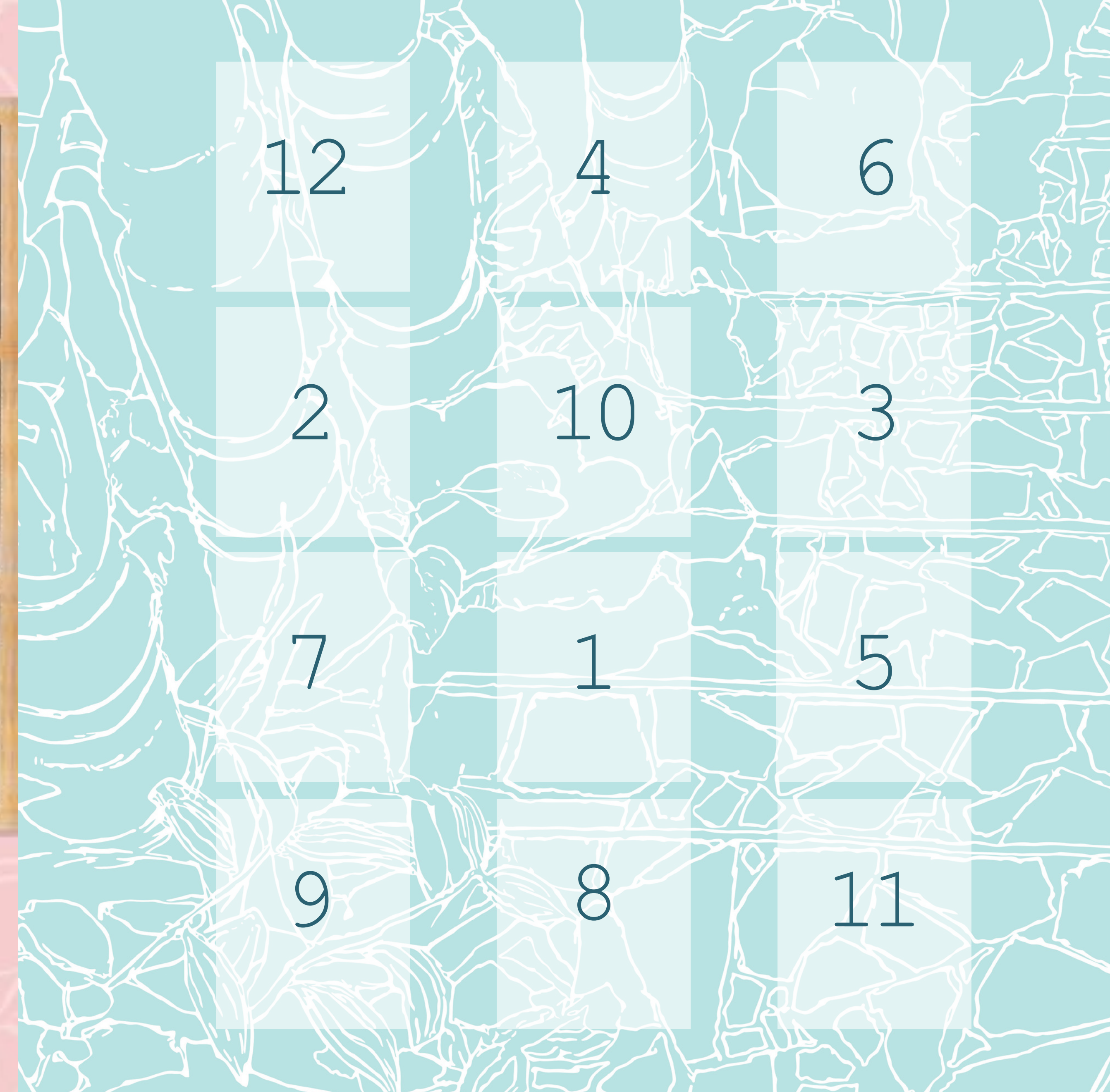




Memory match game

(Cut along the broken lines to make the flaps.) ----- ✂

Mamita's flowers usually come in pairs, but she is having trouble putting them together! Help her find each pair of flowers by flipping over two pots at a time. If you flip over and they do not match, flip them back over. *Use your memory to remember where each flower is.*





Which comes first?

Mamita's plants start out very tiny and eventually grow to become full and leafy. Help Mamita organize her plants by stages of growth.

Arrange them from youngest to the most mature plants.

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(Cut out the pictures of the potted plants along the broken lines. The order of the pictures are at the back.)



How many?

Mamita is very good at gardening but not so much with math. She needs help counting her many pots!
How many pots are there? How many are orange pots? Black pots? Empty pots? Big pots?
How many pots have plants? How many pots have plants with green leaves? How many plant shelves?
How many pots are on the top shelf?

That was fun! Now, Mamita needs your help in counting one last time.
How many sticks make up the bottom fence?

Write your answers on the lines in the next page.

*How many pots? 29 • How many pots with plants? 24 • How many pots with plants with green leaves? 15 • How many black pots? 15 • How many empty pots? 4
How many orange pots? 5 • How many plants on the fence? 84 • How many plant shelves? 2 • How many plants with green leaves? 17*

PAM YAN-SANTOS is an artist who creates artworks that record memories of events, and the emotions attached to them. Her body of work is like a diary. They show personal reflections and thoughts from her experiences as a mother, wife, daughter, artist and woman in the form of paintings, drawings, collages, prints and installations.

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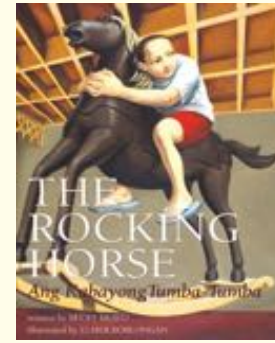
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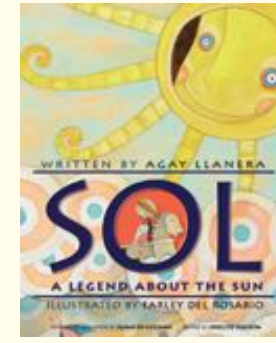
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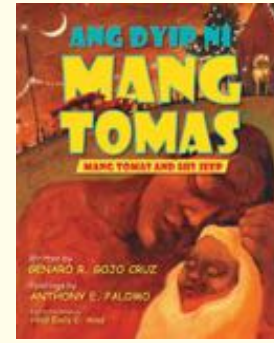
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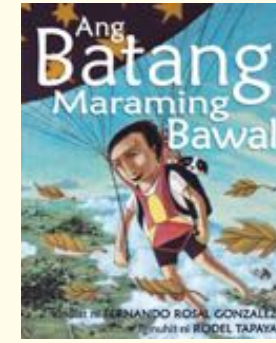
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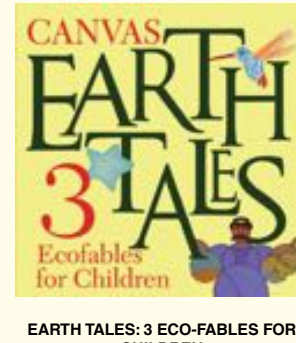
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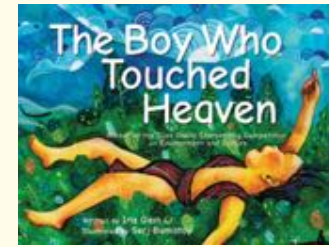
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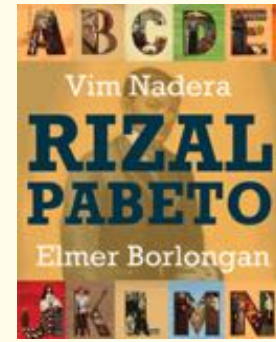
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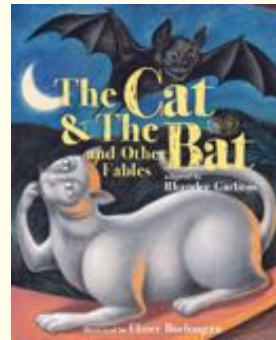
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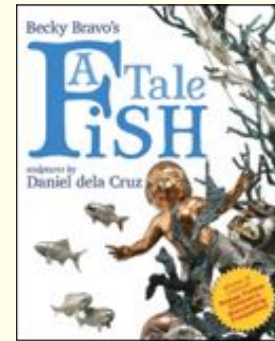
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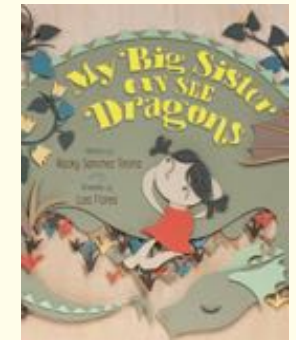
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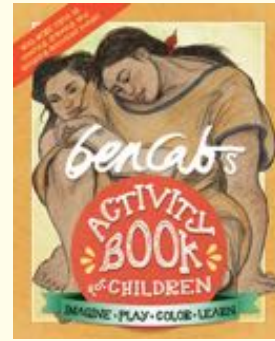
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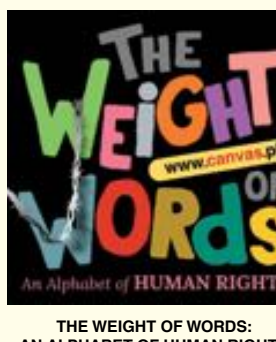
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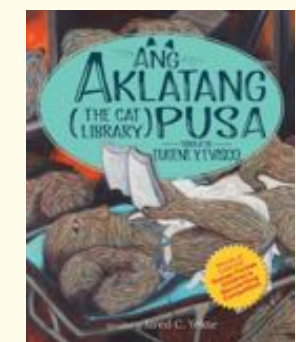
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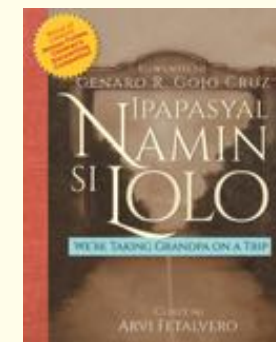
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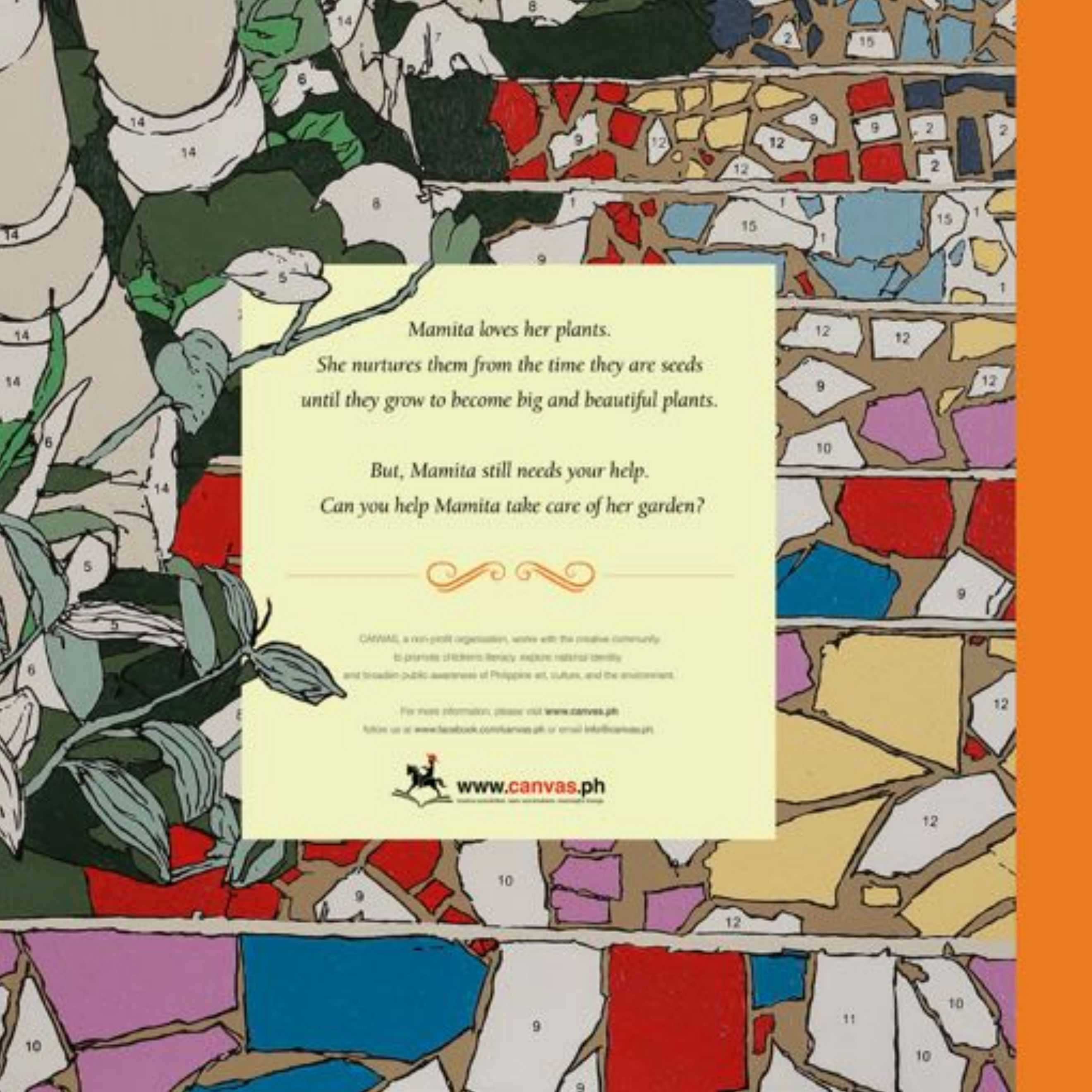
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