

It is very windy at the beach today.
Ben looks at the sea. He is not
happy.

‘We can’t swim here,’ says Ben.
‘The waves are too big!’

We can’t swim here.



‘I have a new idea!’ says Grandpa.

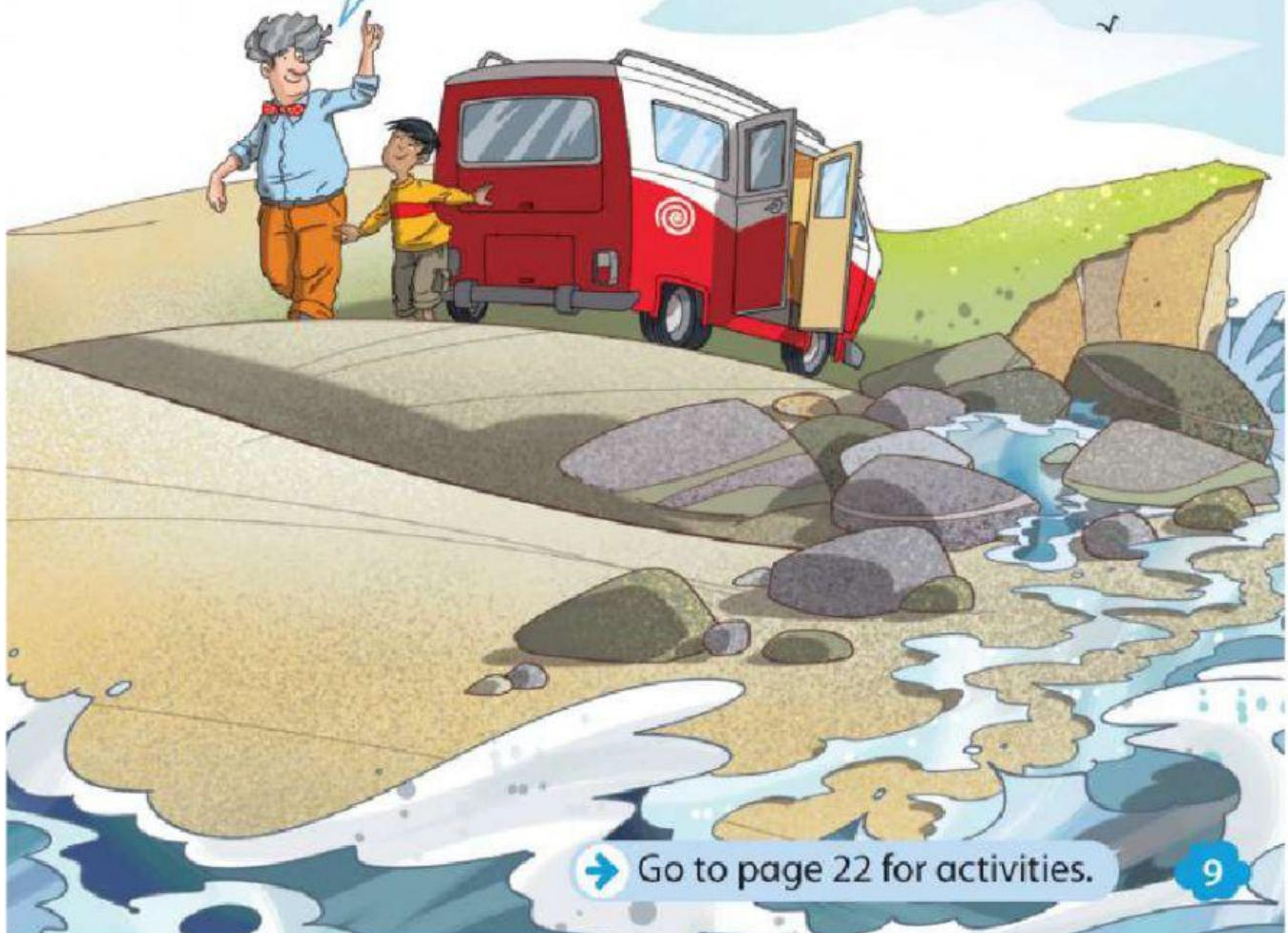
‘You can swim in a rockpool!’

‘A rockpool? How can we swim in a little rockpool?’ asks Max.

‘We can use the van!’ says Grandpa.

‘Let’s go, Ben and Max!’

You can swim
in a rockpool!



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Grandpa pushes a red button in the van and then ...

‘We’re little!’ shouts Max.

Grandpa drives the van to a rockpool.

SPLASH! They go under the water.





They see seaweed and shells in the water.

‘I can put the van next to that big shell,’ says Grandpa. ‘Then you can swim.’

Ben points at the seaweed.

‘What’s that behind the seaweed?’ he asks.

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Activities for pages 8–9

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1 Write the words.



1 m i s w

swim



2 a v n



3 d i y w n



4 e a s



5 v s e a w



6 c o k o l r o p

2 Match.

1 It is

2 Ben is

3 Grandpa has

4 Grandpa says,

5 Max says,

• not happy.

• 'How can we swim in a little rockpool?'

• 'You can swim in a rockpool!'

• windy at the beach.

• a new idea.

Talk Look at pages 8–9. How's the weather at the beach? Talk to a friend.



Activities for pages 10–11

1 Circle the correct words.

- 1 Grandpa pushes / push a button in the van.
- 2 Grandpa drives to / too a rockpool.
- 3 They go at / under the water.
- 4 They seeing / see shells in the water.
- 5 Grandpa puts the van next to a big / little shell.
- 6 Ben points / point at the seaweed.

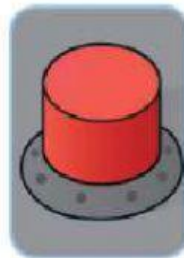
2 Complete the sentences.



shouts



seaweed



button



shell

- 1 Grandpa pushes a red button in the van.
- 2 'We're little!' _____ Max.
- 3 They see _____ in the water.
- 4 'I can put the van next to that big _____,' says Grandpa.