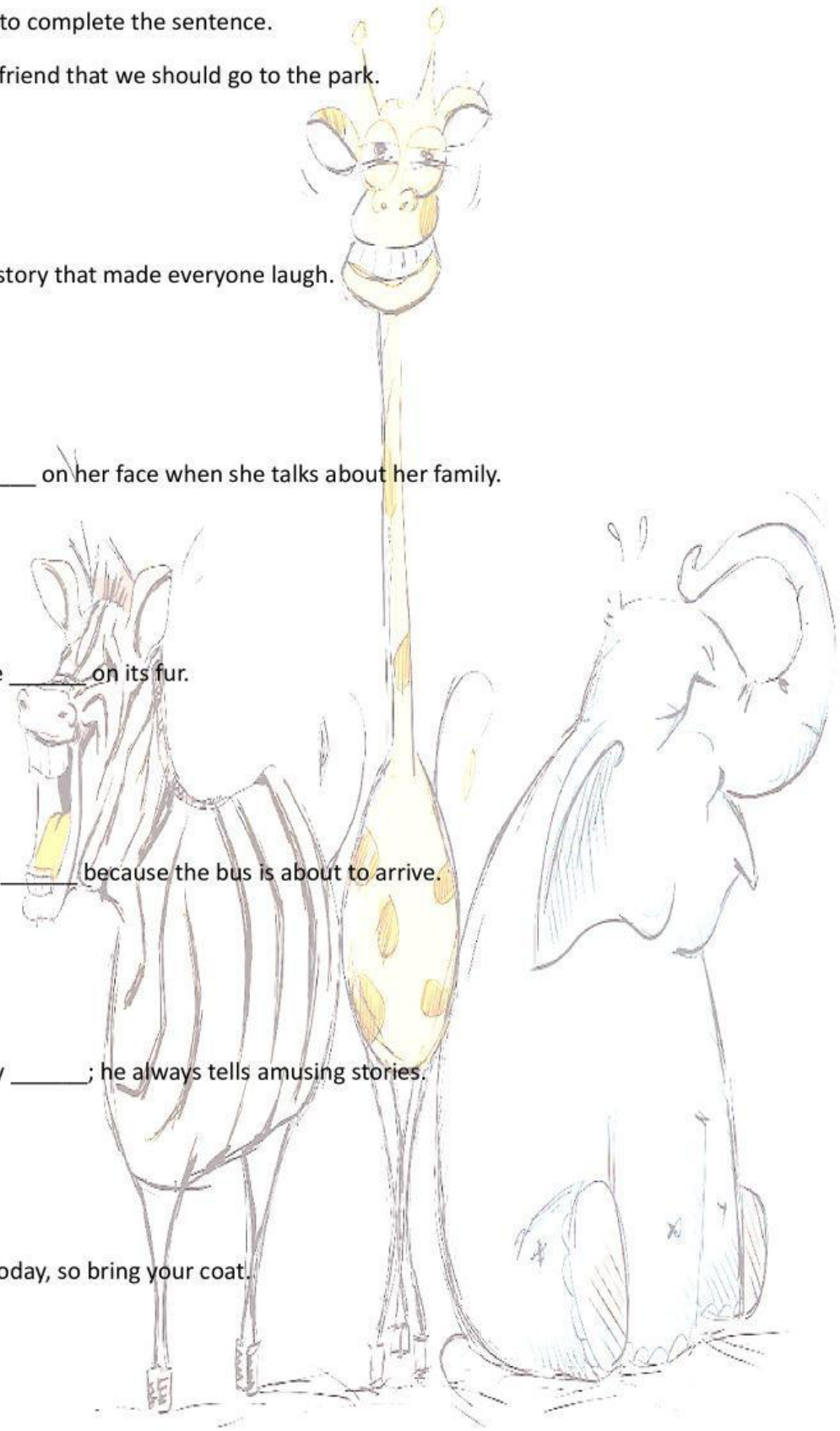
From Reading into Writing 1

Chapters 2: The Land of Smiles & 3: Four Animals or One?

Choose the correct word to complete the sentence.



1. I _____ with my friend that we should go to the park.
   a) kick
   b) agree
   c) joke
   d) survive
2. He told a _____ story that made everyone laugh.
   a) joke
   b) situation
   c) funny
   d) face
3. She has a sad _____ on her face when she talks about her family.
   a) face
   b) spots
   c) expression
   d) danger
4. The dog has white _____ on its fur.
   a) spots
   b) kick
   c) thick
   d) relationship
5. We need to leave _____ because the bus is about to arrive.
   a) right away
   b) especially
   c) danger
   d) hard
6. My brother is very _____; he always tells amusing stories.
   a) annoying
   b) funny
   c) kick
   d) thick
7. It is _____ cold today, so bring your coat.
   a) especially
   b) relationship
   c) face
   d) hard

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8. The _____ between them is very strong. They are best friends.
   a) spots
   b) joke
   c) relationship
   d) danger

9. I didn't _____ the car coming, and it almost hit me!
   a) notice
   b) kick
   c) owe
   d) protect

10. I _____ my friend for helping me pay for the book I needed.
    a) survive
    b) kick
    c) owe
    d) joke

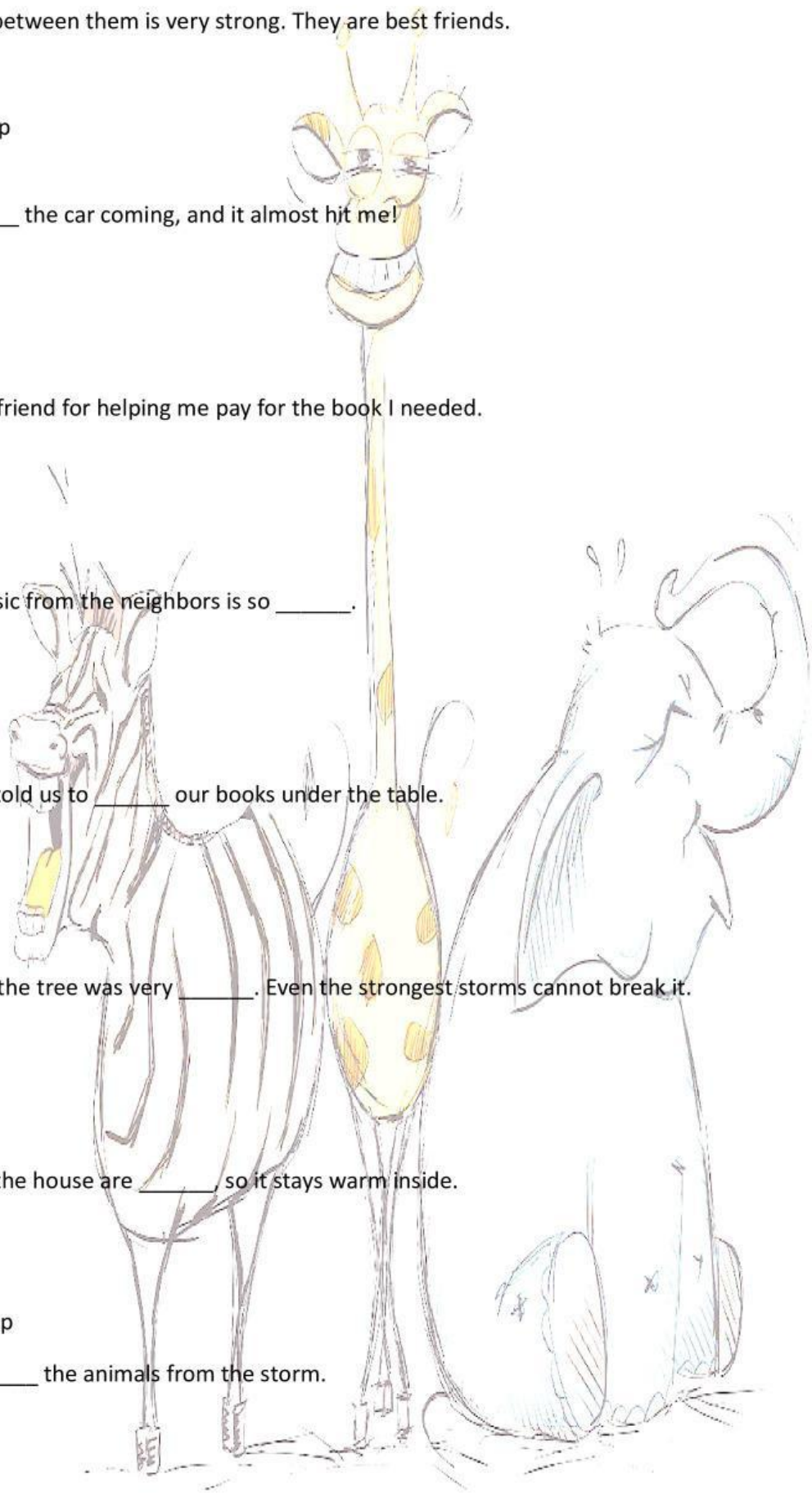
11. The loud music from the neighbors is so _____.
    a) annoying
    b) thick
    c) danger
    d) spots

12. The teacher told us to _____ our books under the table.
    a) hide
    b) protect
    c) face
    d) survive

13. The trunk of the tree was very _____. Even the strongest storms cannot break it.
    a) hard
    b) spots
    c) especially
    d) right away

14. The walls of the house are _____, so it stays warm inside.
    a) thick
    b) joke
    c) notice
    d) relationship

15. We must _____ the animals from the storm.
    a) survive
    b) protect



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c) kick
d) face

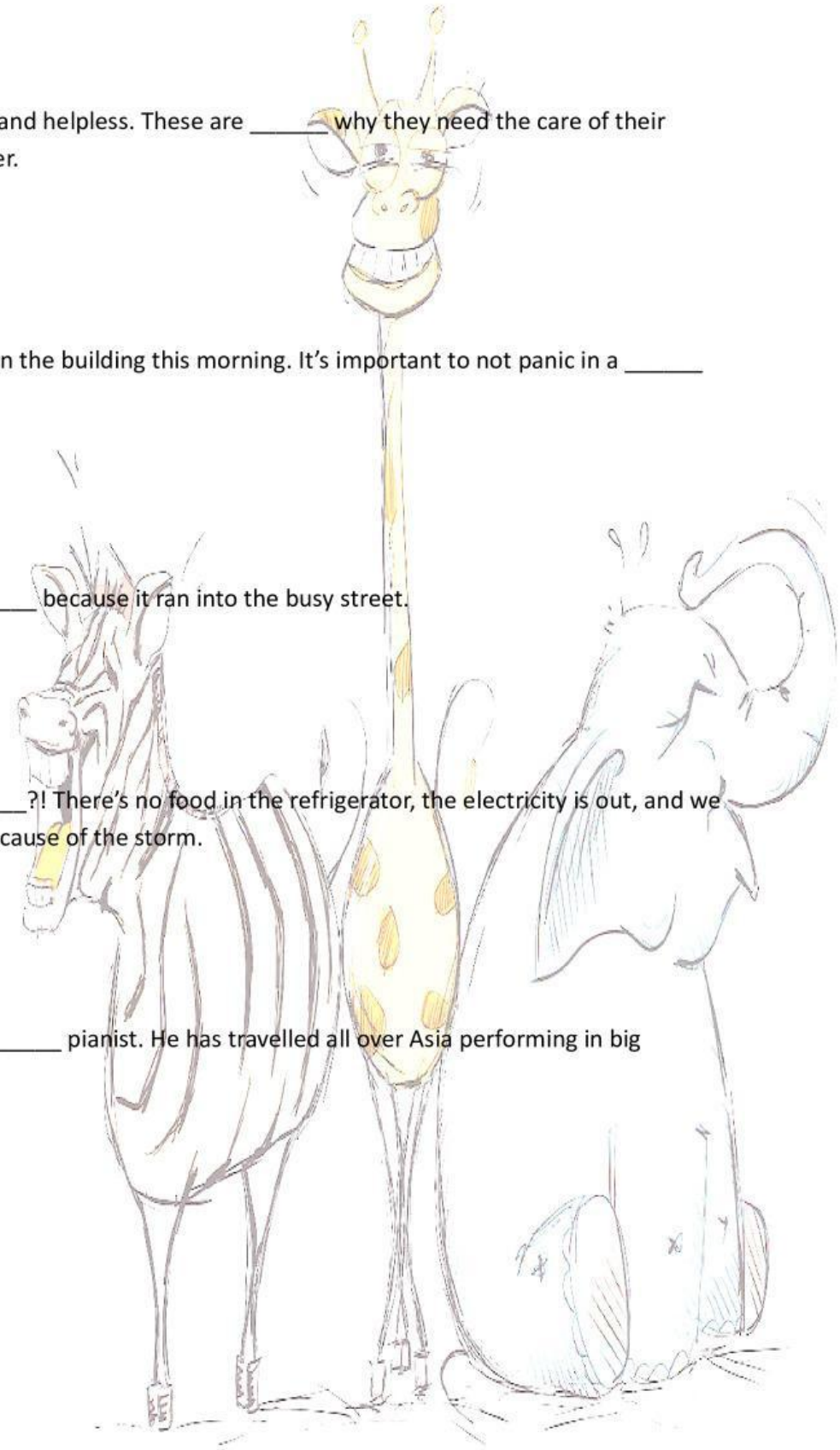
16. Babies are small and helpless. These are _____ why they need the care of their mother and father.
    a) relationship
    b) characteristics
    c) kick
    d) danger

17. There was a fire in the building this morning. It's important to not panic in a _____ like this.
    a) survive
    b) situation
    c) kick
    d) hide

18. The dog is in _____ because it ran into the busy street.
    a) danger
    b) joke
    c) right away
    d) especially

19. How will we_____?! There's no food in the refrigerator, the electricity is out, and we cannot go out because of the storm.
    a) survive
    b) joke
    c) kick
    d) notice

20. My friend is an _____ pianist. He has travelled all over Asia performing in big concert arenas.
    a) excellent
    b) relationship
    c) annoying
    d) thick



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