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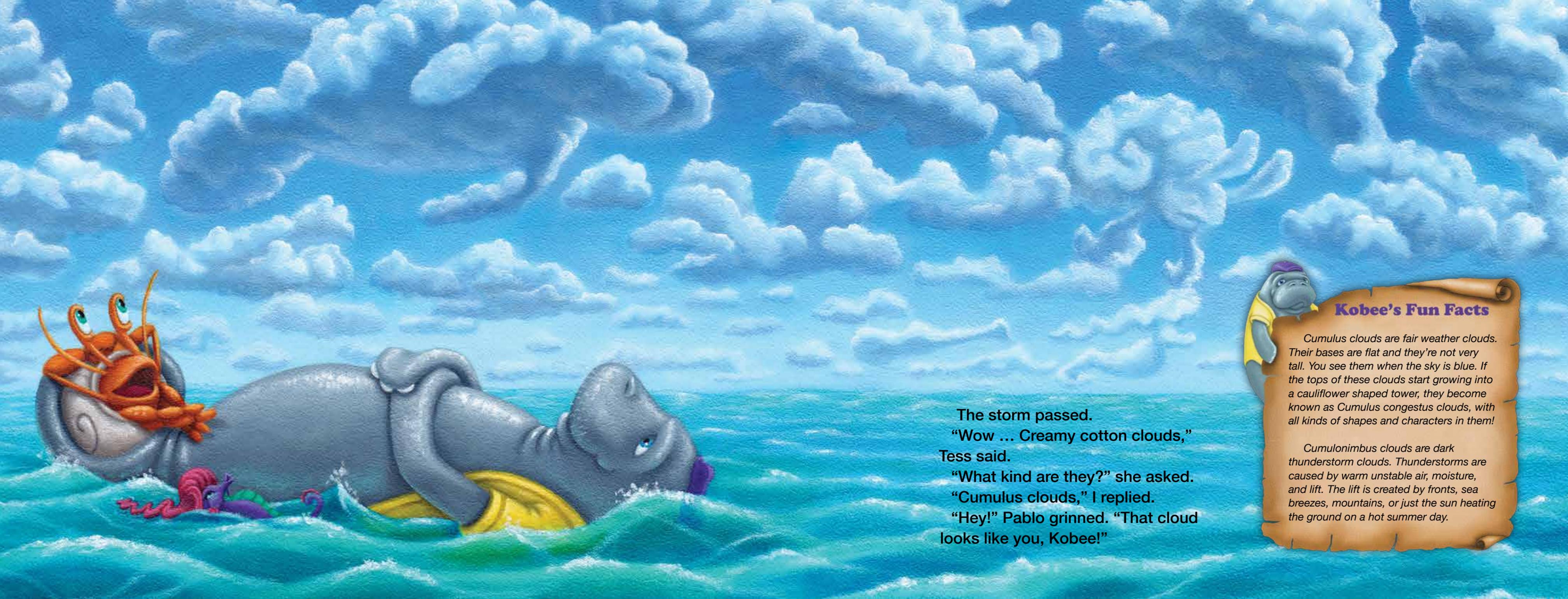
A Wild Weather Adventure



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weather with
Kobee's Fun Facts
on every page!

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The storm passed.
“Wow ... Creamy cotton clouds,”
Tess said.
“What kind are they?” she asked.
“Cumulus clouds,” I replied.
“Hey!” Pablo grinned. “That cloud
looks like you, Kobe!”



Kobe's Fun Facts

Cumulus clouds are fair weather clouds. Their bases are flat and they're not very tall. You see them when the sky is blue. If the tops of these clouds start growing into a cauliflower shaped tower, they become known as Cumulus congestus clouds, with all kinds of shapes and characters in them!

Cumulonimbus clouds are dark thunderstorm clouds. Thunderstorms are caused by warm unstable air, moisture, and lift. The lift is created by fronts, sea breezes, mountains, or just the sun heating the ground on a hot summer day.



“A rip current!” I called.
“It’s got Tess,” screamed Pablo.
“Don’t panic, Tess!” I yelled.

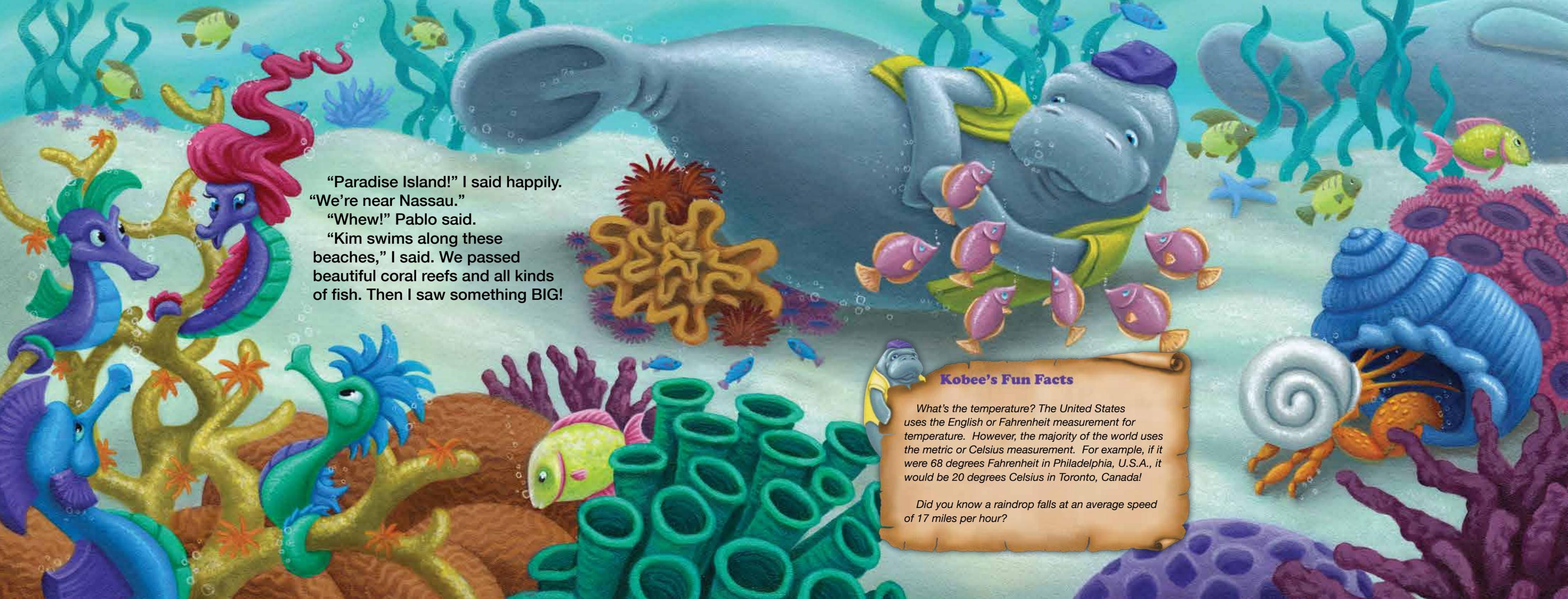


Kobee’s Fun Facts

A rip current is a very strong current that flows away from the shore. It is usually narrow in width. If you get caught in one – don’t panic. Swim parallel to shore, and then swim back in.

“Great job, Tess,” Pablo said. “I would have panicked in the rip current.”

“I was really scared,” Tess admitted. “But I just floated, and then swam out of the current when I could.”



“Paradise Island!” I said happily.
“We’re near Nassau.”
“Whew!” Pablo said.
“Kim swims along these
beaches,” I said. We passed
beautiful coral reefs and all kinds
of fish. Then I saw something BIG!



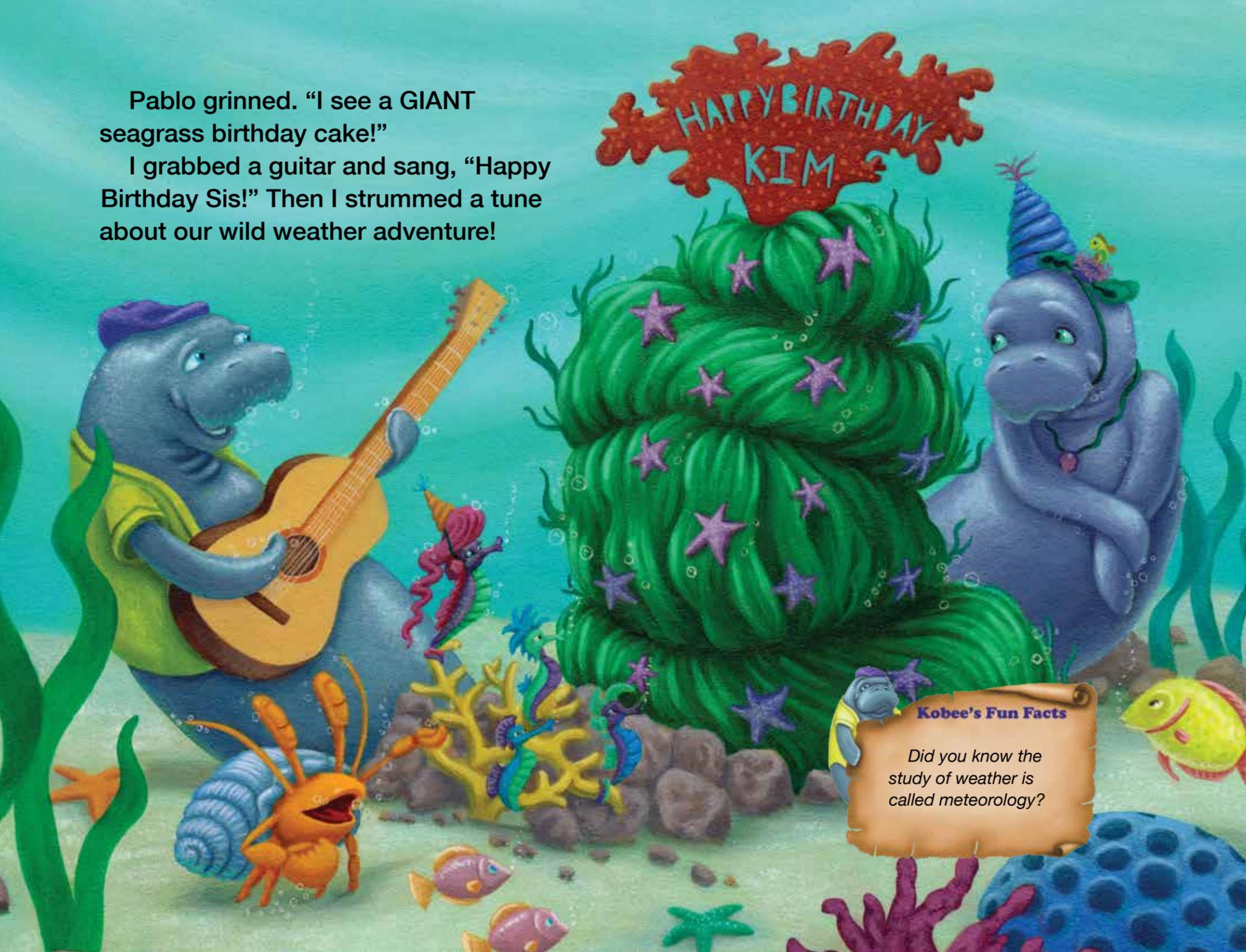
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What's the temperature? The United States uses the English or Fahrenheit measurement for temperature. However, the majority of the world uses the metric or Celsius measurement. For example, if it were 68 degrees Fahrenheit in Philadelphia, U.S.A., it would be 20 degrees Celsius in Toronto, Canada!

Did you know a raindrop falls at an average speed of 17 miles per hour?

Pablo grinned. "I see a GIANT seagrass birthday cake!"

I grabbed a guitar and sang, "Happy Birthday Sis!" Then I strummed a tune about our wild weather adventure!



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