WOOD SMOKE
ACTIVITY BOOK

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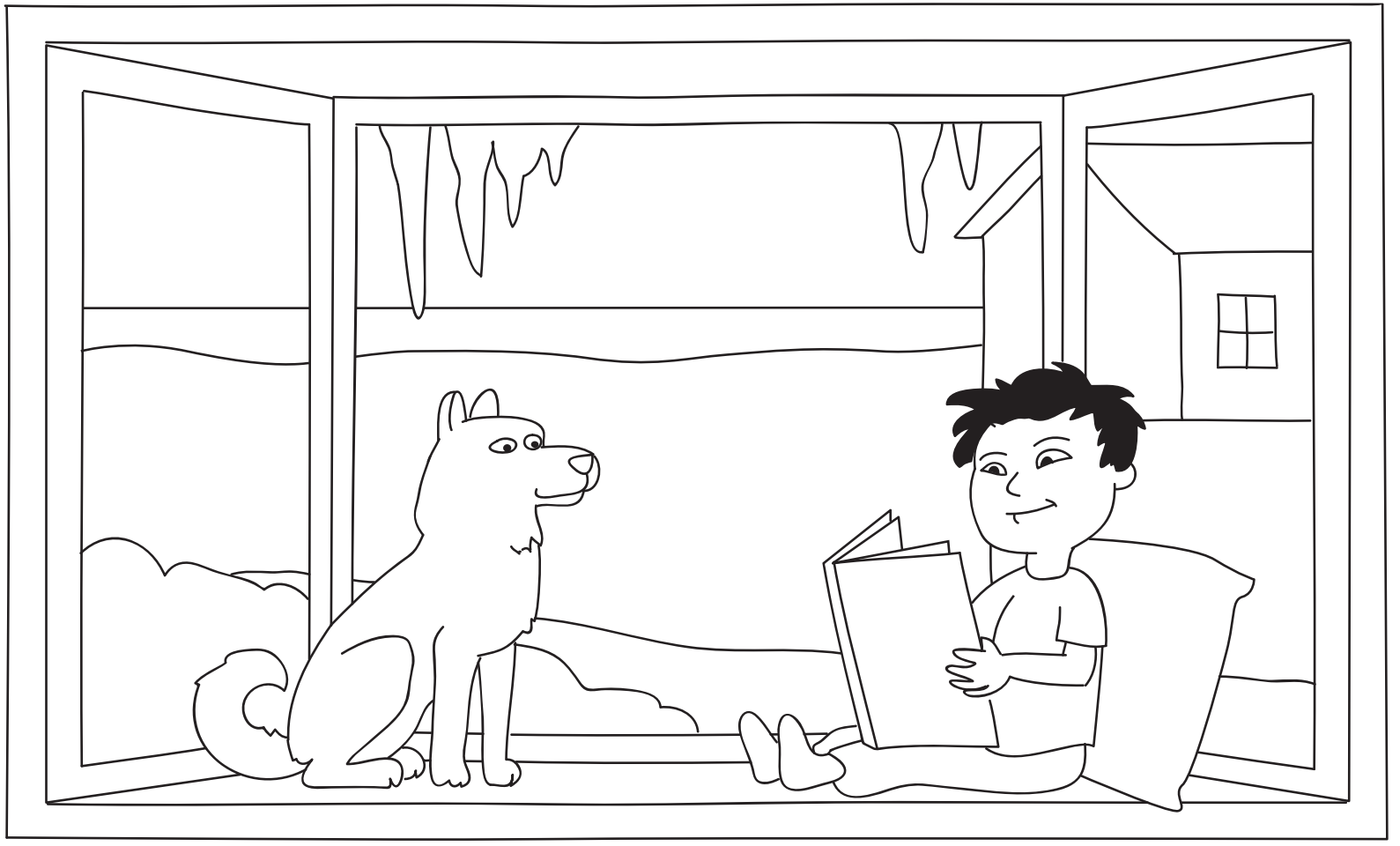
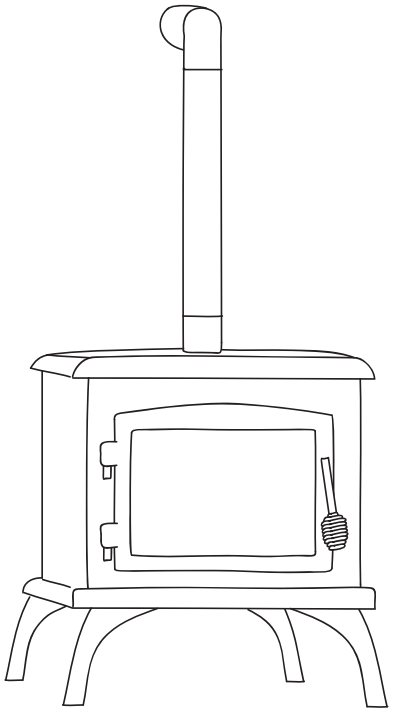
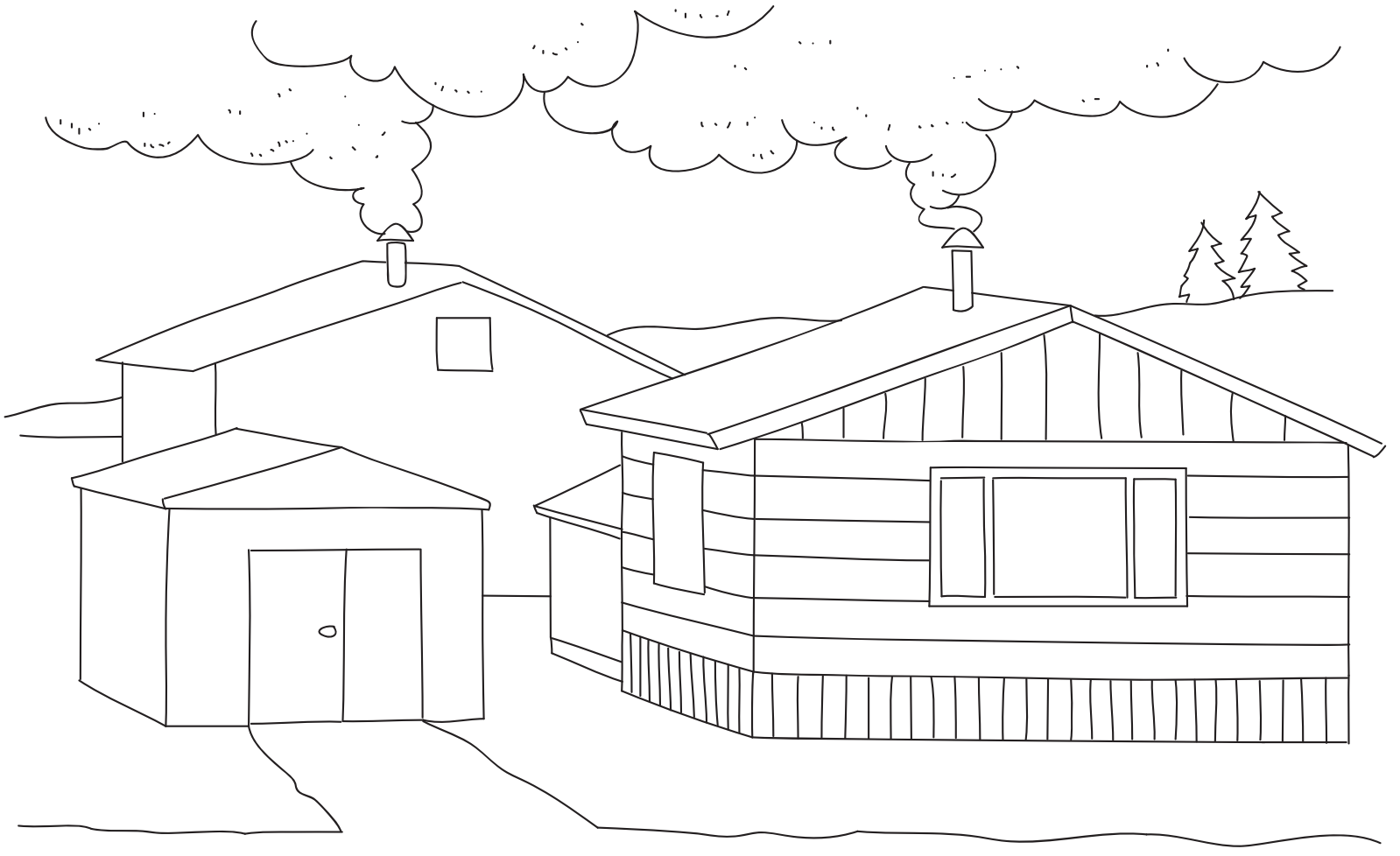


Our woodstove keeps me warm
when it's cold outside!

It makes me feel nice and cozy.



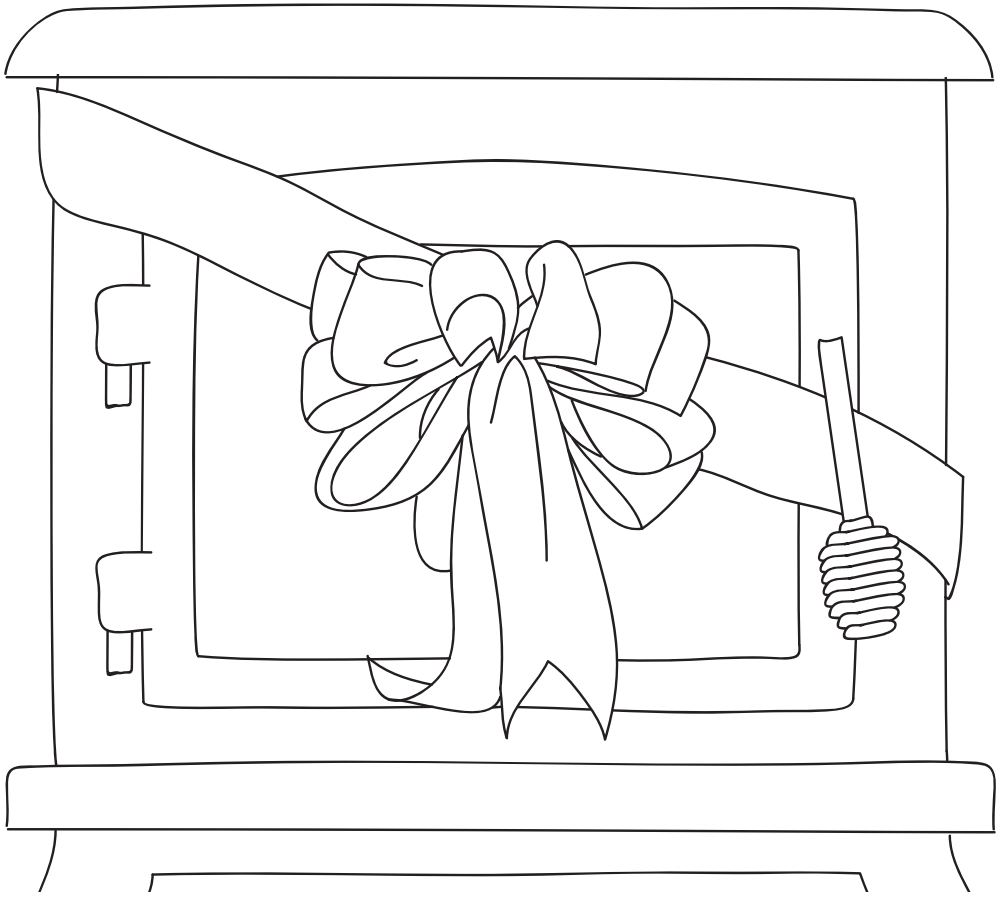
Does your house have a woodstove?
Draw your living room!



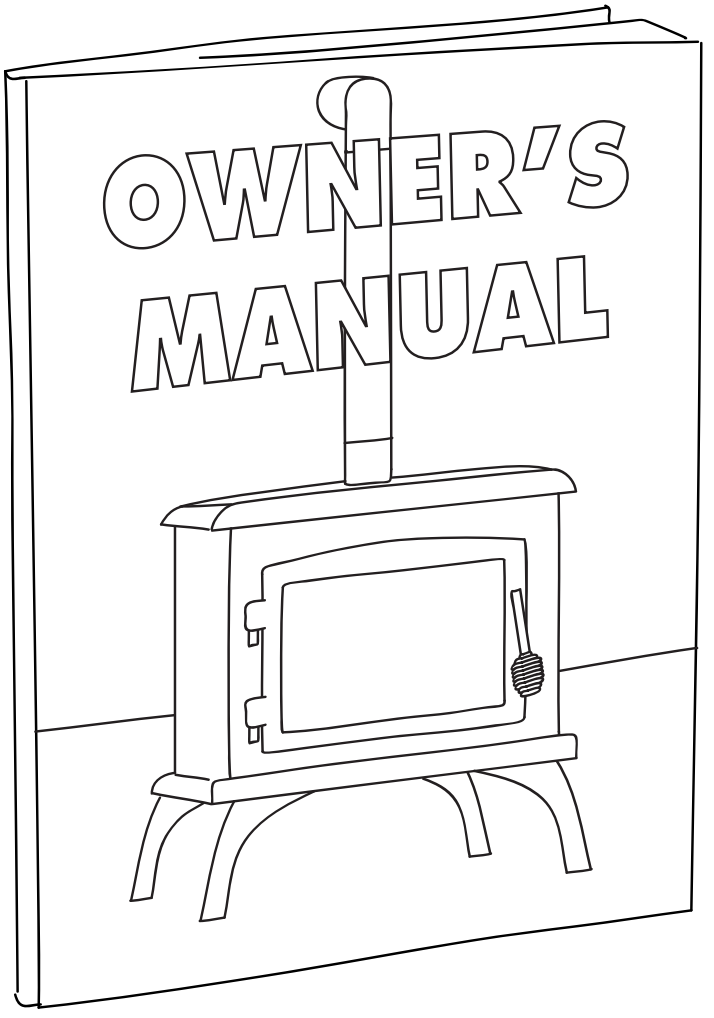
But wood smoke can be bad for me.

When it's too smoky outside, my eyes get scratchy and I get a cough.

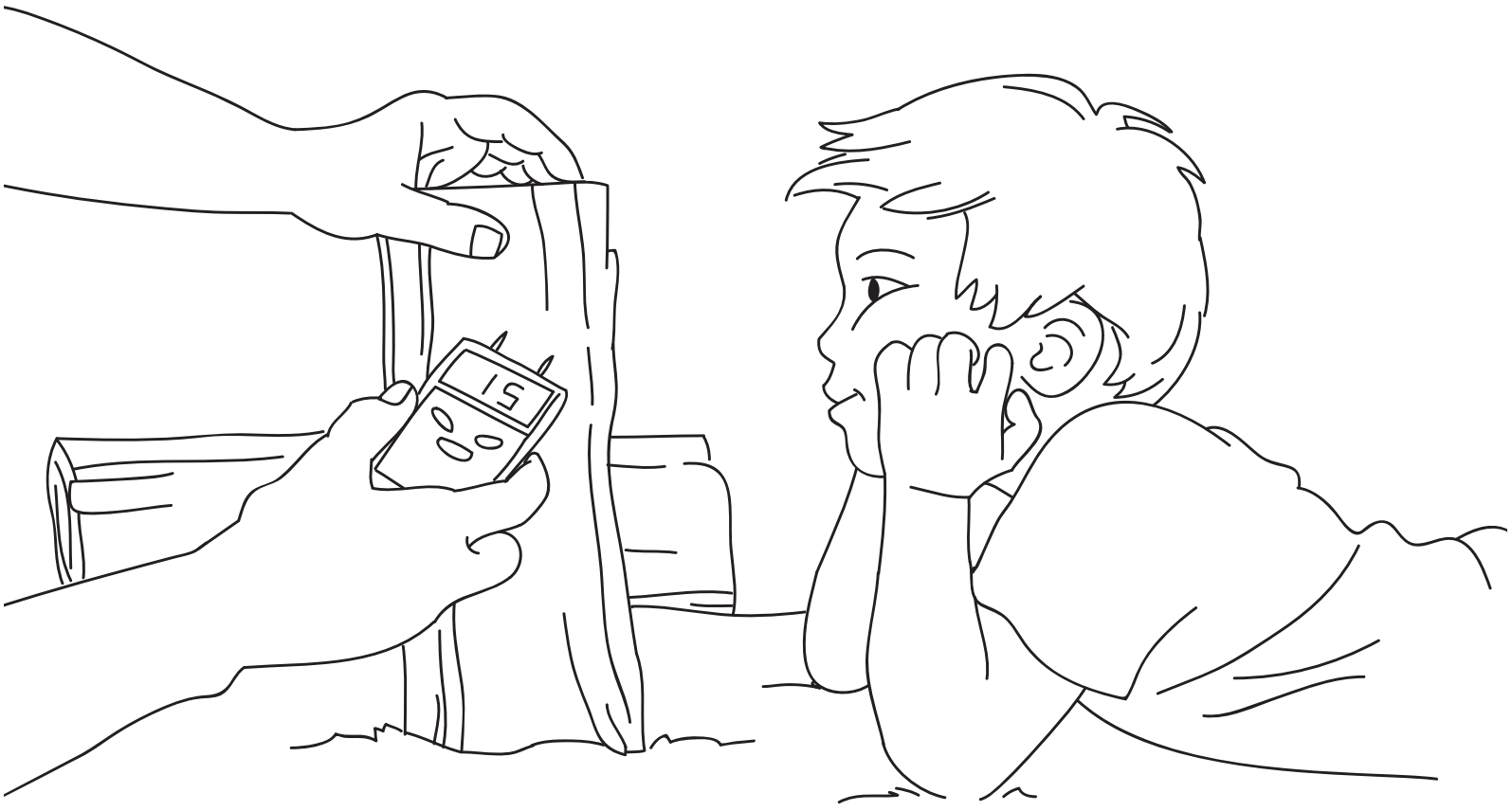
Luckily, Mom and Dad know
how to burn wood the right way.



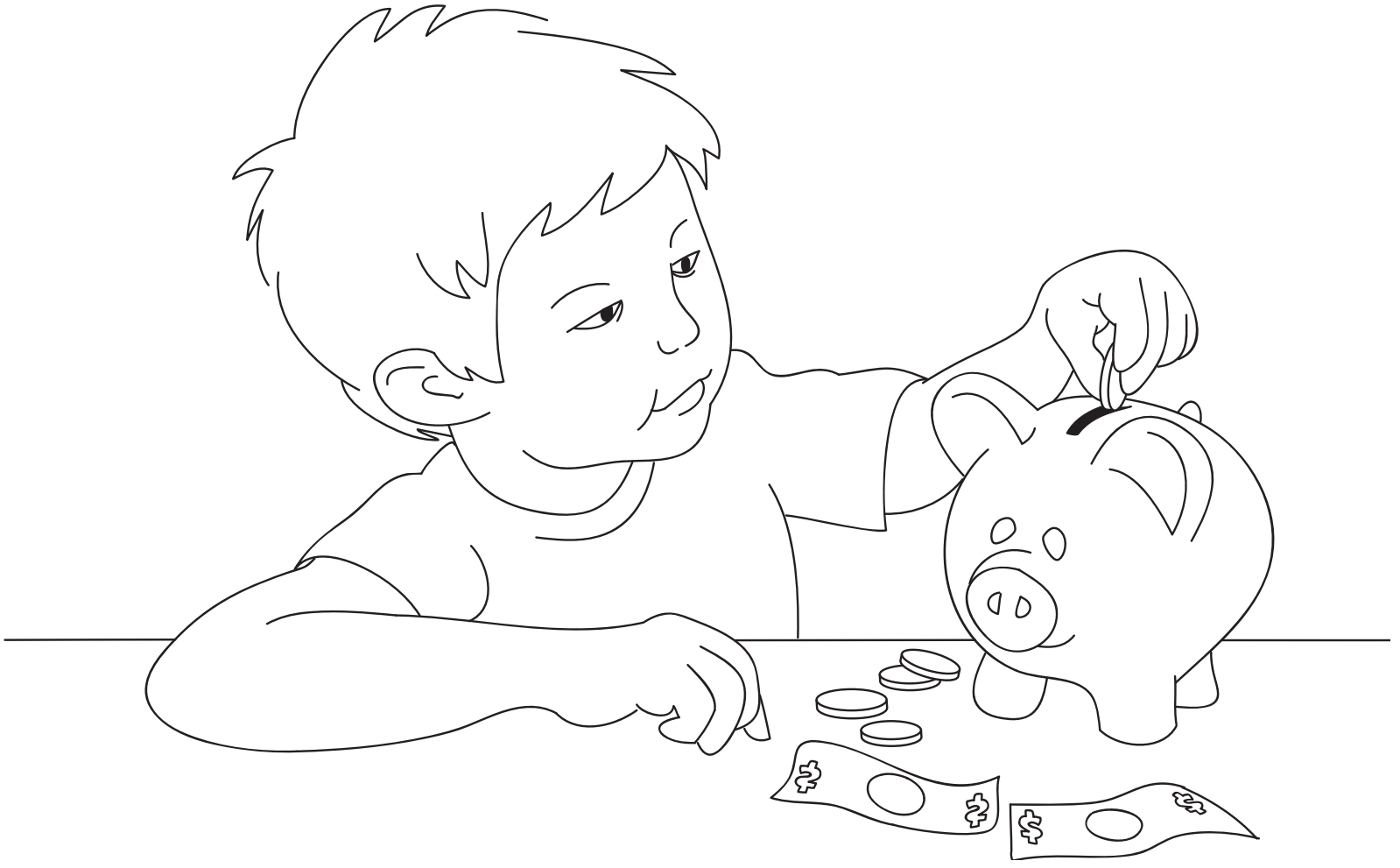
One day, my parents decided we needed a new woodstove because ours was too old and smoky. The staff at the store helped us pick out a new stove that is just the right size for our home.



Mom and Dad read the owner's manual before we used it so we stay safe and warm. Now the air is cleaner in our home!

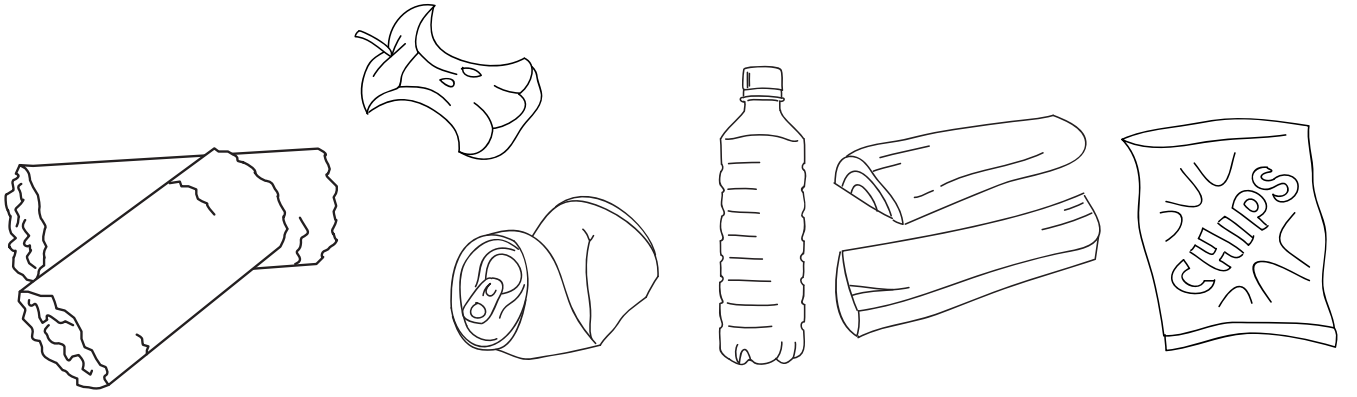


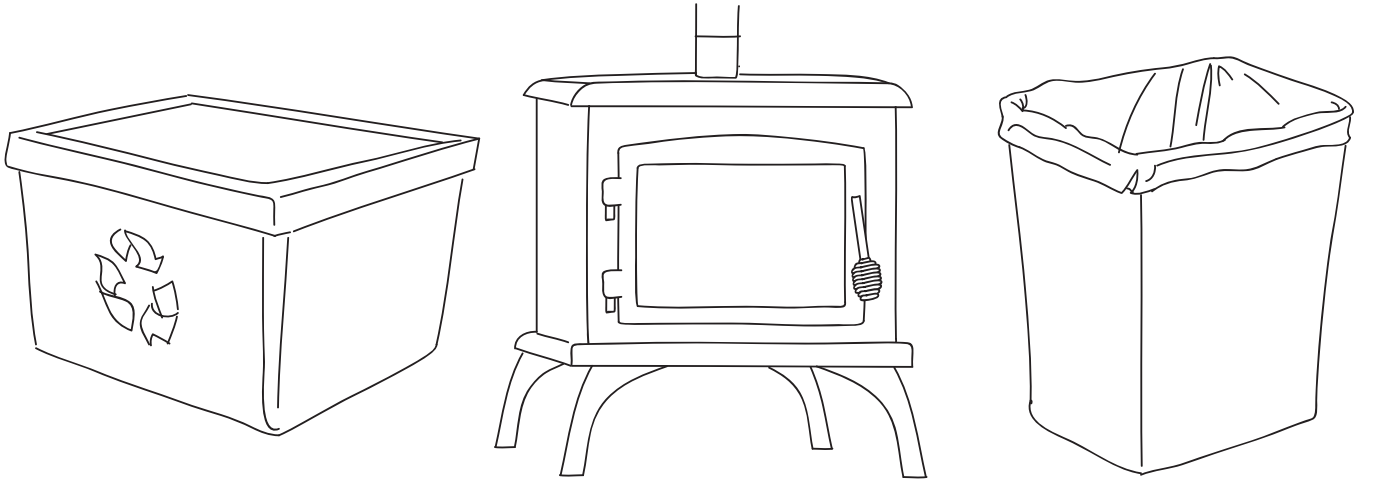
Mom and Dad make sure to burn dry wood only.



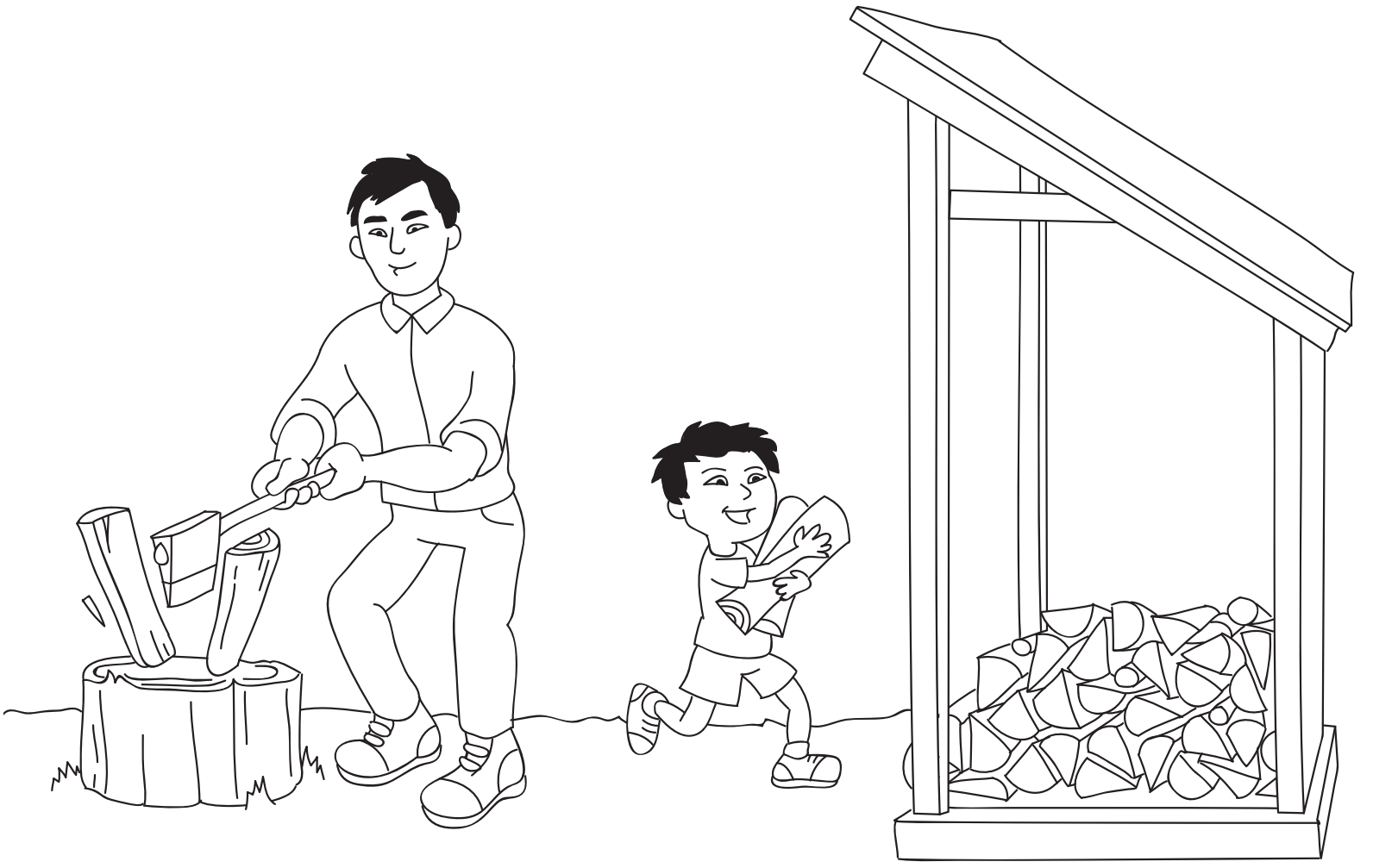
They say it burns longer and hotter and saves us money.

When it's really smoky outside, Mom and Dad use a mix of wood and manufactured logs.

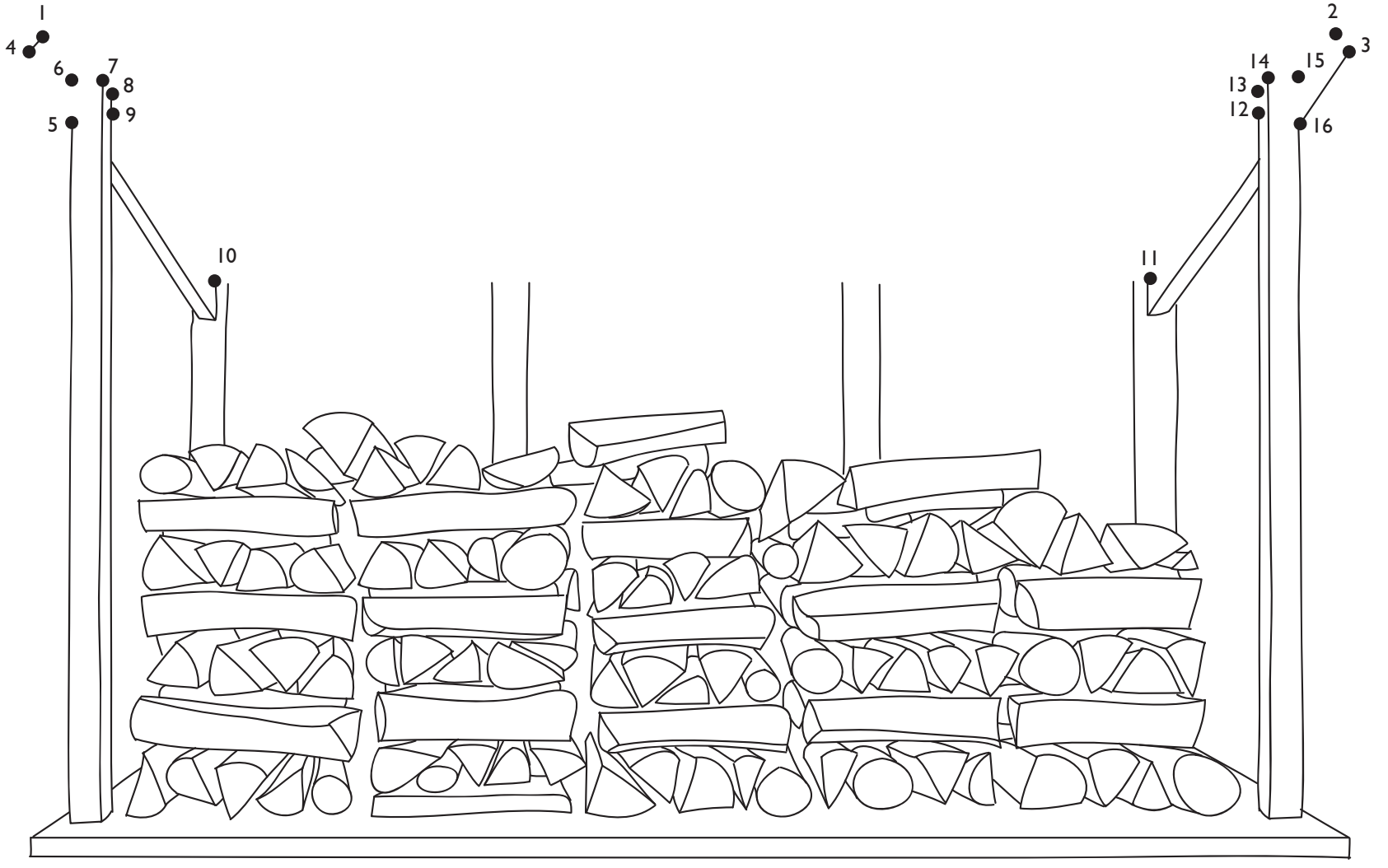




We never burn garbage in our woodstove; we only burn wood.
Draw lines showing which items should be
recycled, burned or thrown away.



After Dad splits wood, he lets me stack it in the woodpile. We cut our wood at least six months before we use it in our woodstove.



We keep our woodpile stacked outside.
Connect the dots to help build a cover for our woodpile.

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E K H R K M B A W M L M S G C A P
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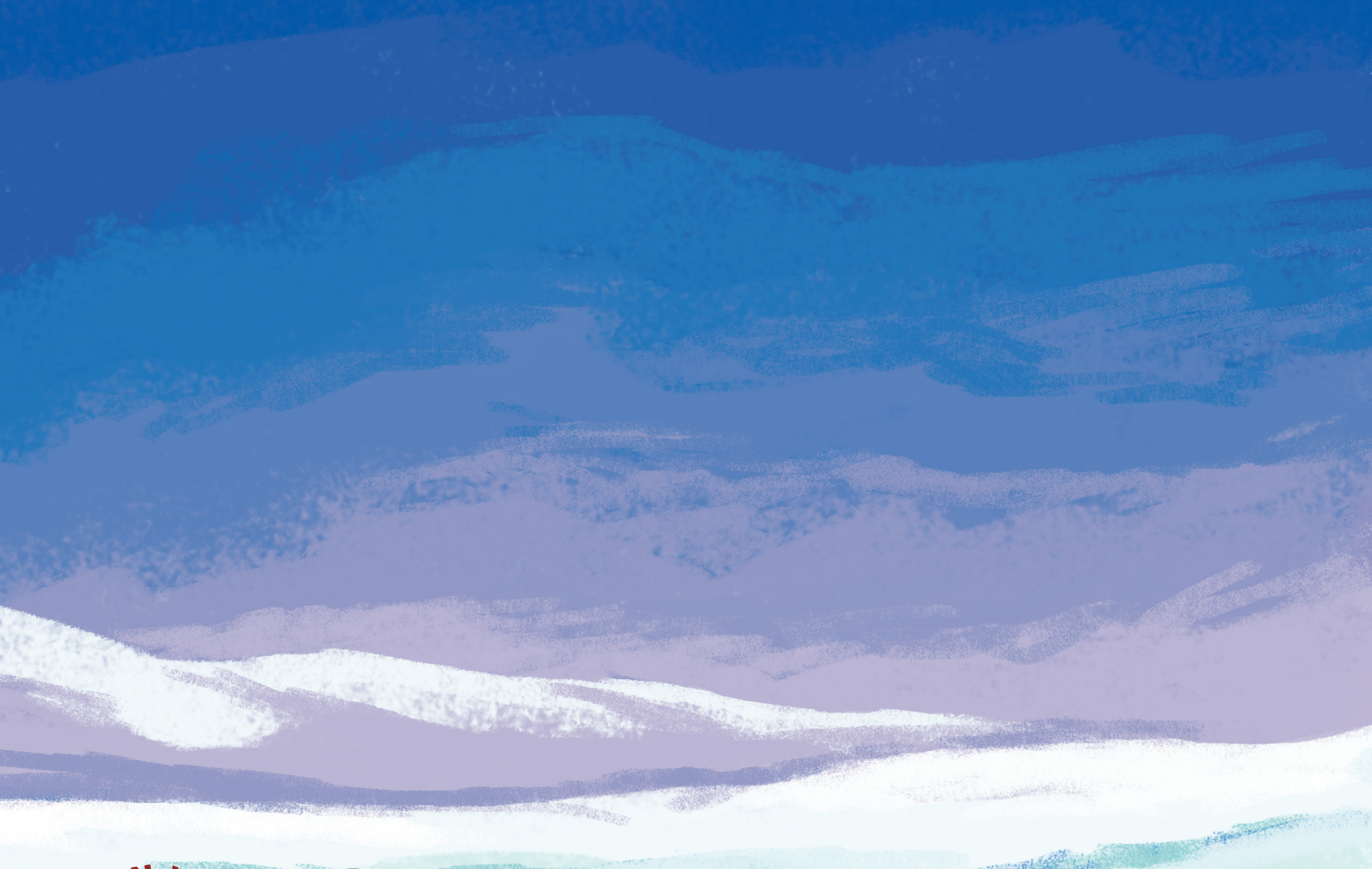
I know it's important for my parents to burn wood the right way.
Find these words in the puzzle above!

ALASKA	INSPECTOR	OUTDOORS	TEMPERATURE	WOODSTOVE
BREATHE	METER	PARTICLE	WARMTH	
COVER	MOISTURE	SMOKE	WOODPILE	

Remember to burn wise and breathe easy!



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