



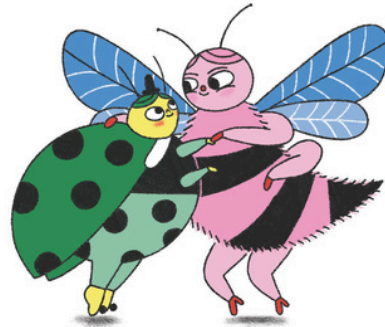


Dejected and downcast, Baboo flew away to a garden nearby where he sat in dismay.

He slumped by the stump of a juniper tree and cried as he thought of that cruel, thoughtless bee. "I wish I was yellow, like all of the others. Why aren't I the same as my sisters and brothers?"









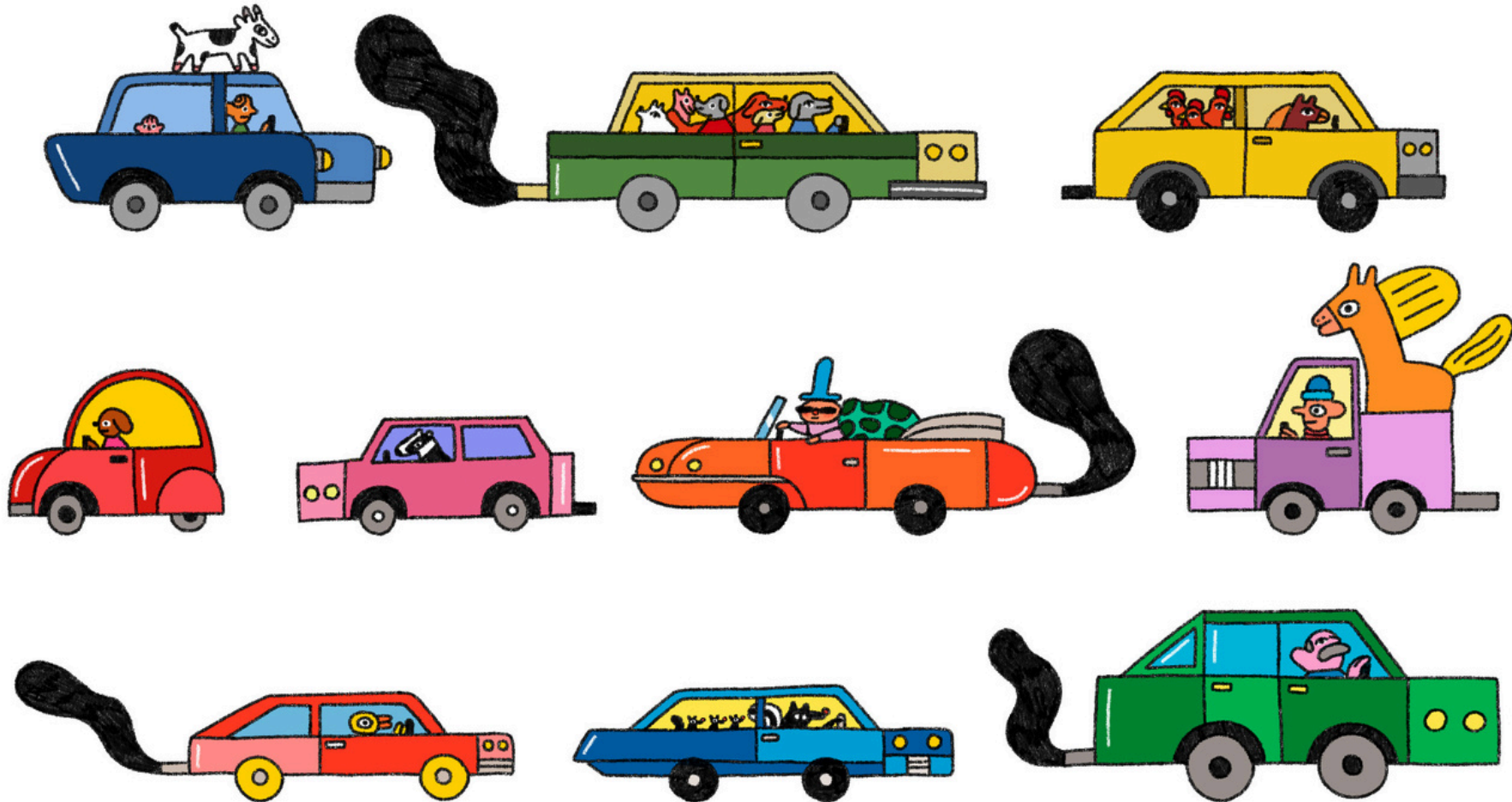






















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