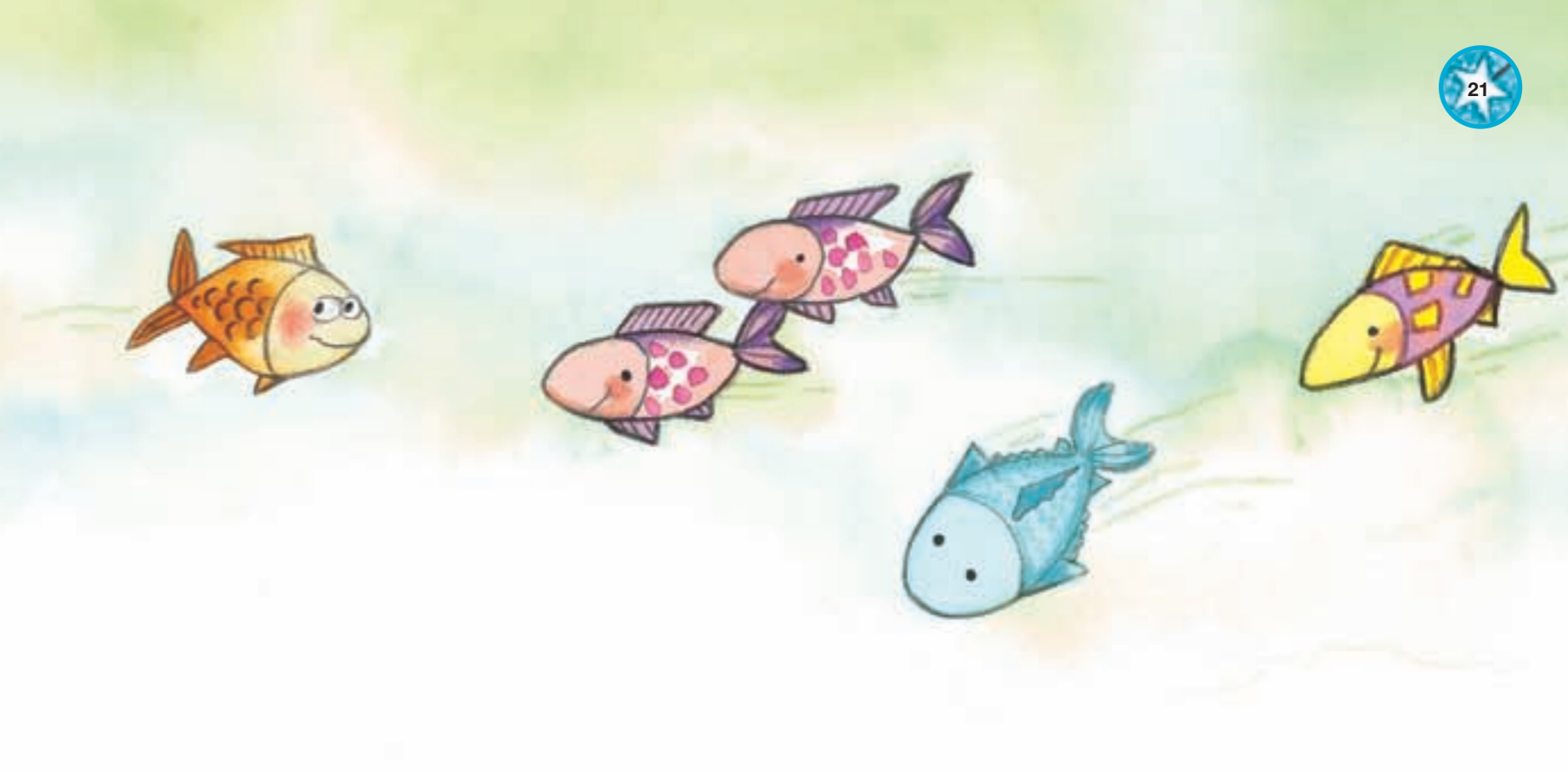




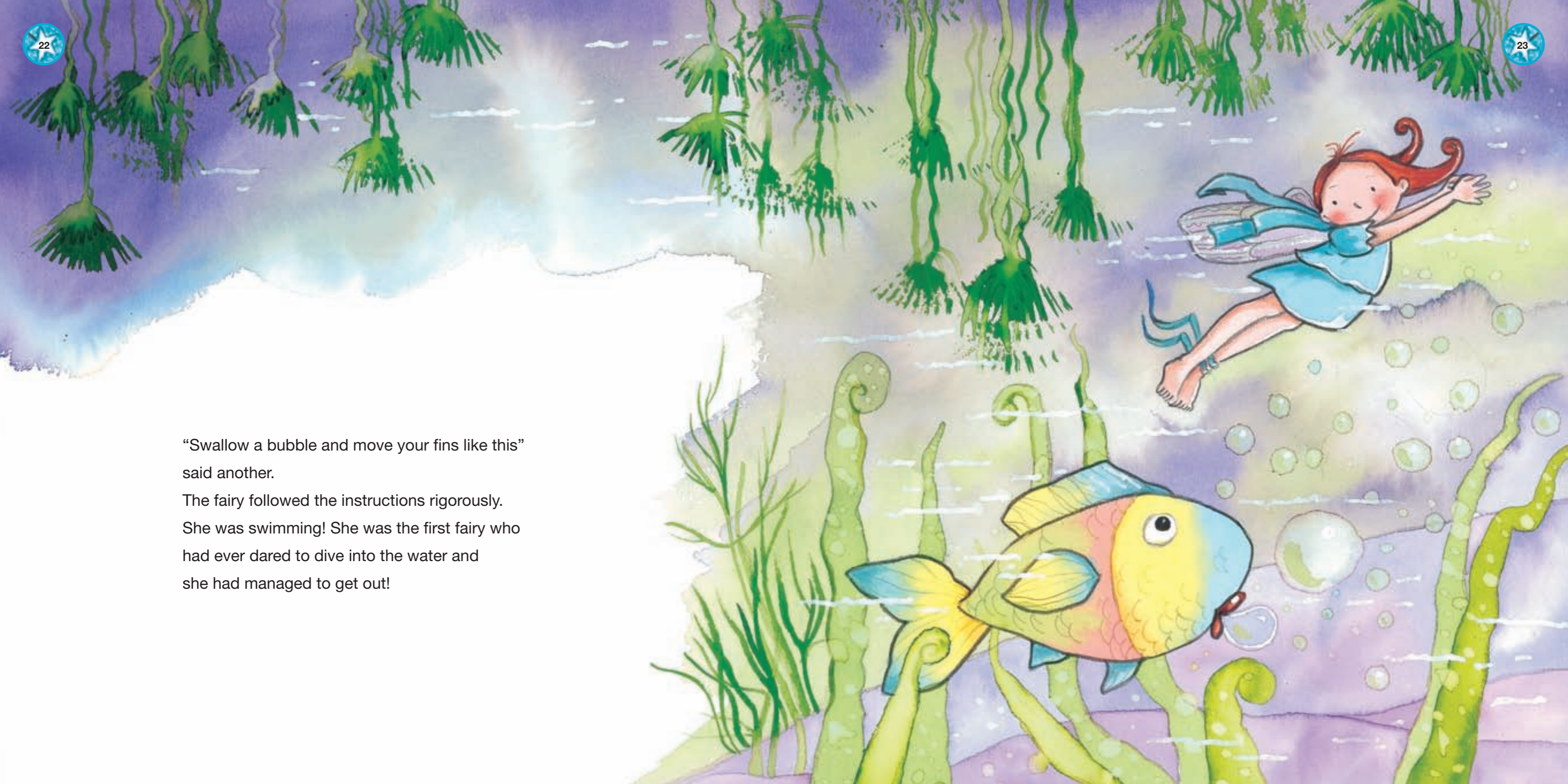
Without shedding a tear, Maisa flew away in rage, as quickly as she could. She wanted to prove to herself that she could do it, but her erratic flight drove her to the waters of the pond. She made a splash as she dived into the water.





“I’m drowning!” she exclaimed scared. Then the fish surrounding her showed her their fins. They had more than two and they weren’t all the same! “Why don’t you as we do?” suggested one of the fish.





“Swallow a bubble and move your fins like this”  
said another.

The fairy followed the instructions rigorously.  
She was swimming! She was the first fairy who  
had ever dared to dive into the water and  
she had managed to get out!