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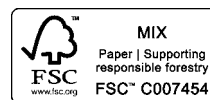
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The perfect gift for someone special.



Hurry home, Mouse.
No time to waste!



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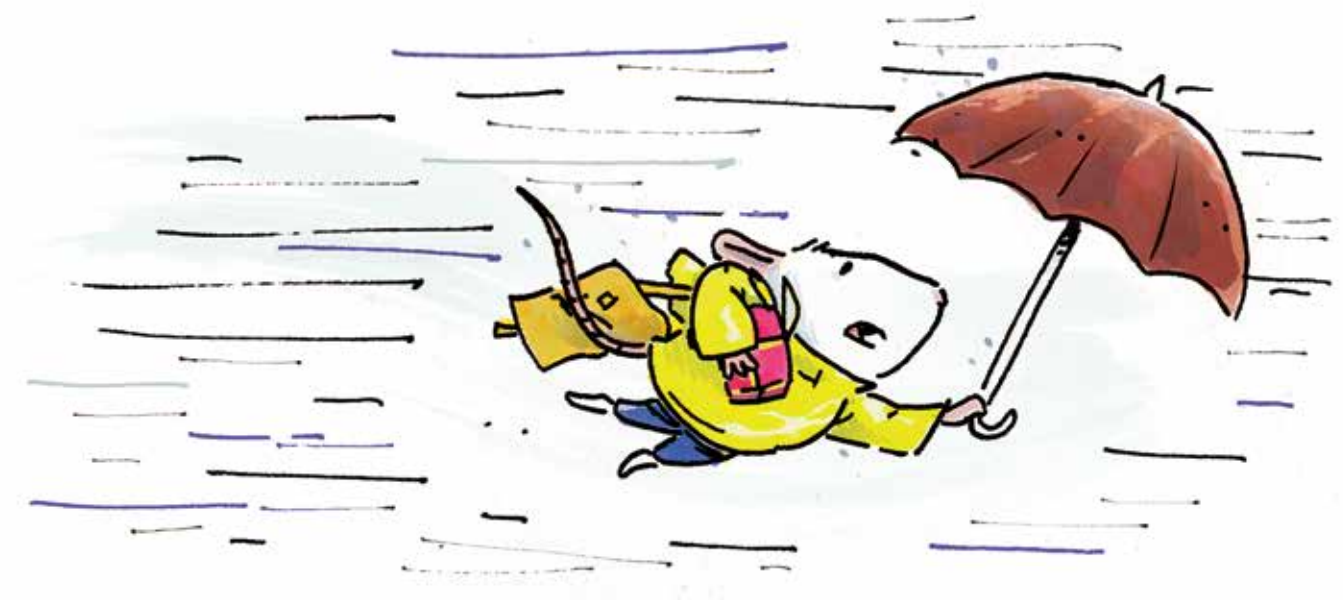
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It's lucky you brought
your umbrella!



Hold on tight, Mouse.



Don't let go.

