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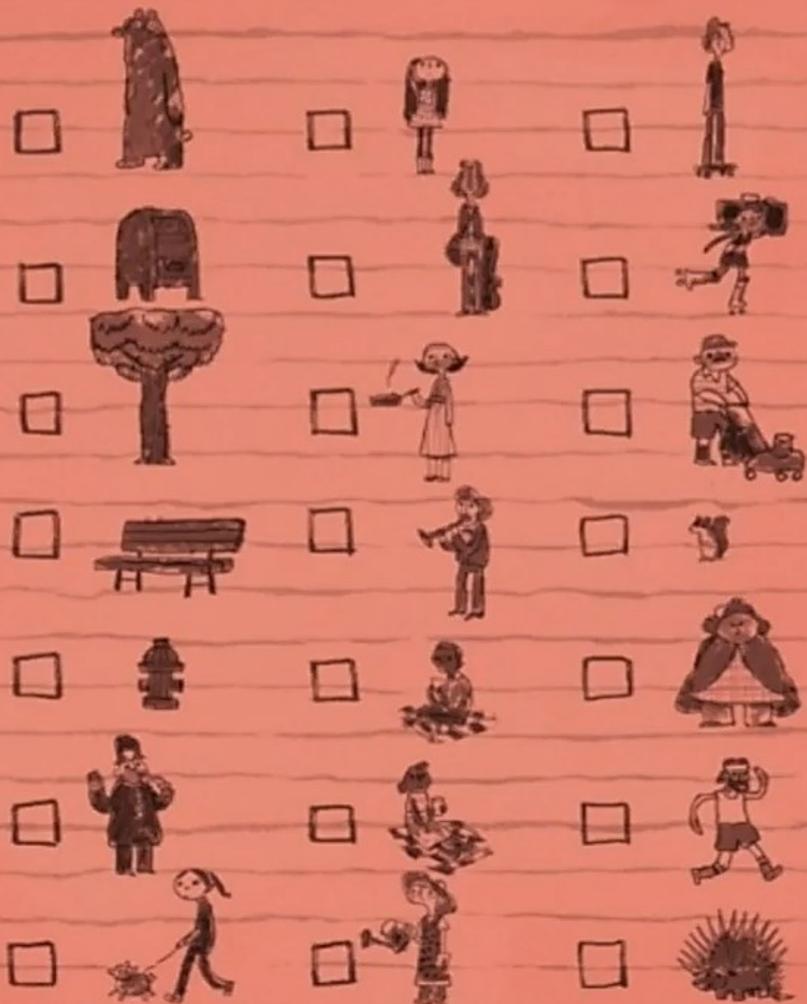
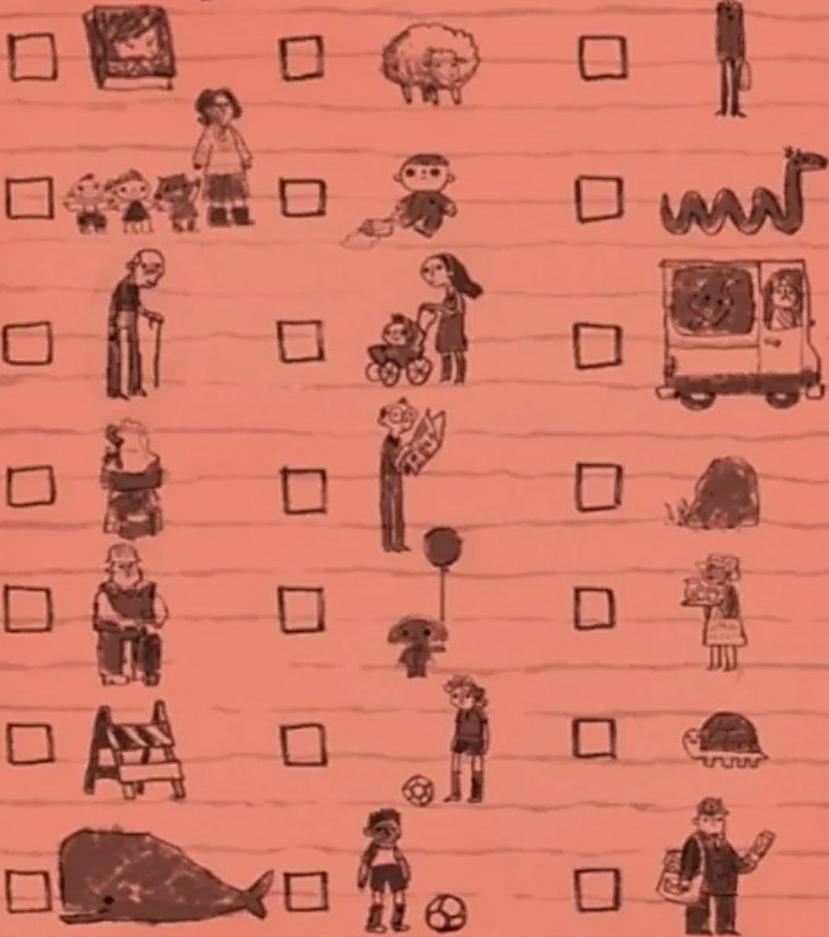
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- Who have YOU hugged today? Open your arms to this delightfully tender, goofy, and sweet book from Scott Campbell.
- Watch out world, here he comes! The Hug Machine!
- Whether you are big, or small, or square, or long, or spikey, or soft, no one can resist his unbelievable hugs! HUG ACCOMPLISHED!
- This endearing story encourages a warm, caring, and buoyantly affectionate approach to life. Everyone deserves a hug—and this book!

# Hug Checklist





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Whoa!

Here I come!

I am the Hug Machine!

I am very good at hugging.



No one can resist my unbelievable hugging.



The best at hugging.



I am the Hug Machine!



My hugs calm people down.



They make them go completely nuts!

They cheer them up.



I am the Hug Machine!



I hug everything I see!



No one escapes the Hug Machine.

My hugs make the biggest feel small.



The smallest feel big.



I hug soft things.



Square things.



Hard things.



Long things!



I am the Hug Machine!



Oh.  
Do you need a hug?

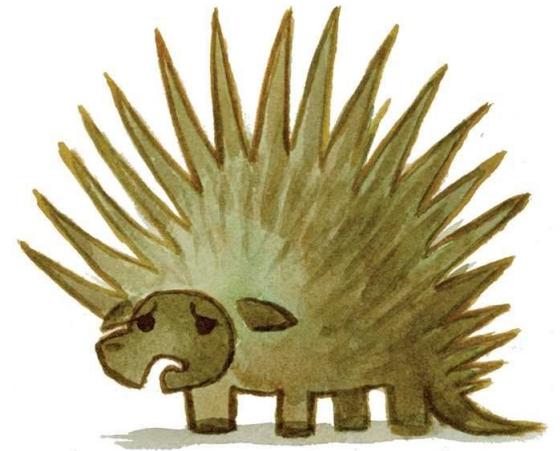
I think you do.

HUG ACCOMPLISHED!



There is nothing the Hug Machine will  
not hug.

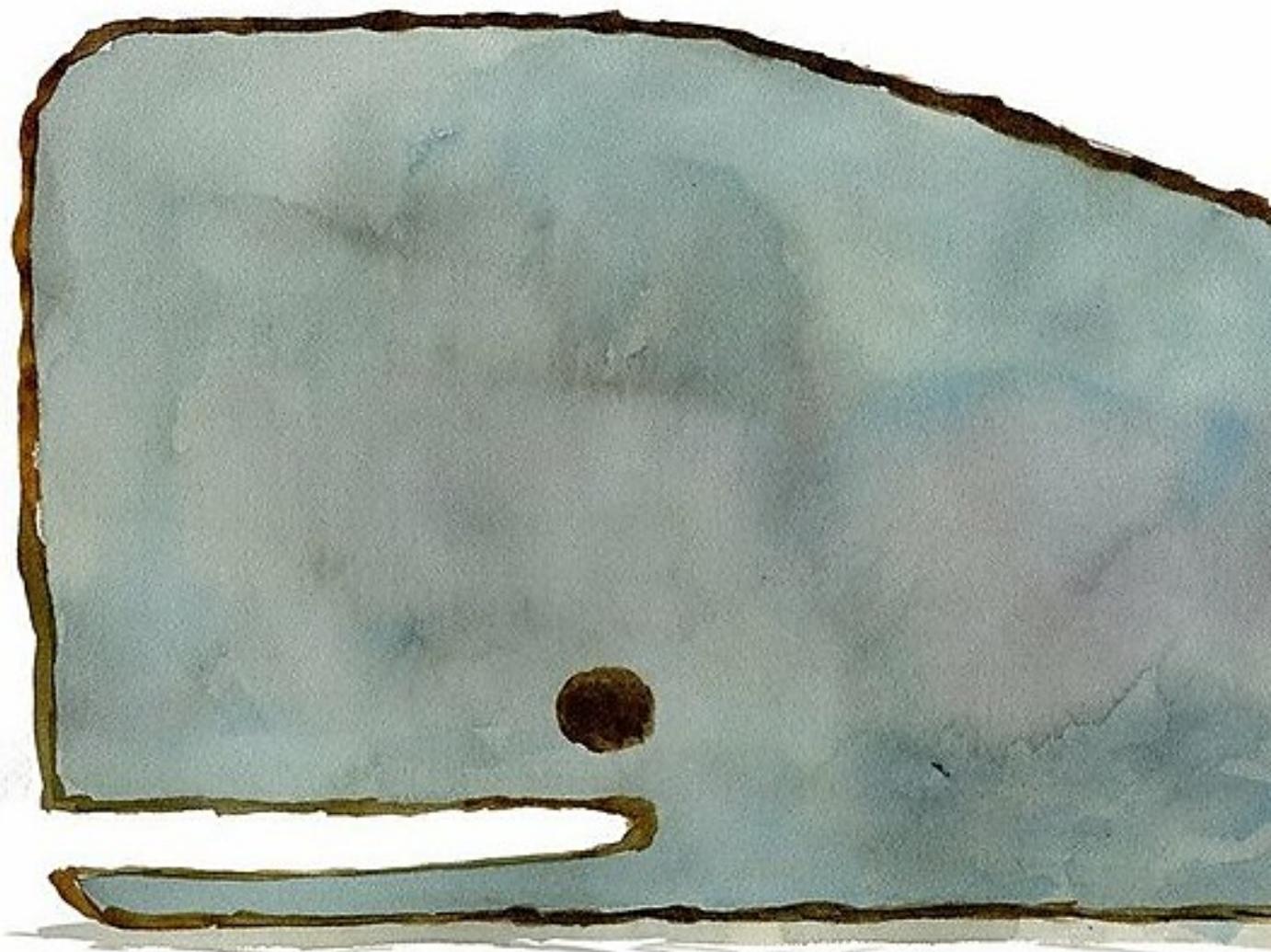
"What about me? I am so spiky. No one ever hugs me."



They are missing out!

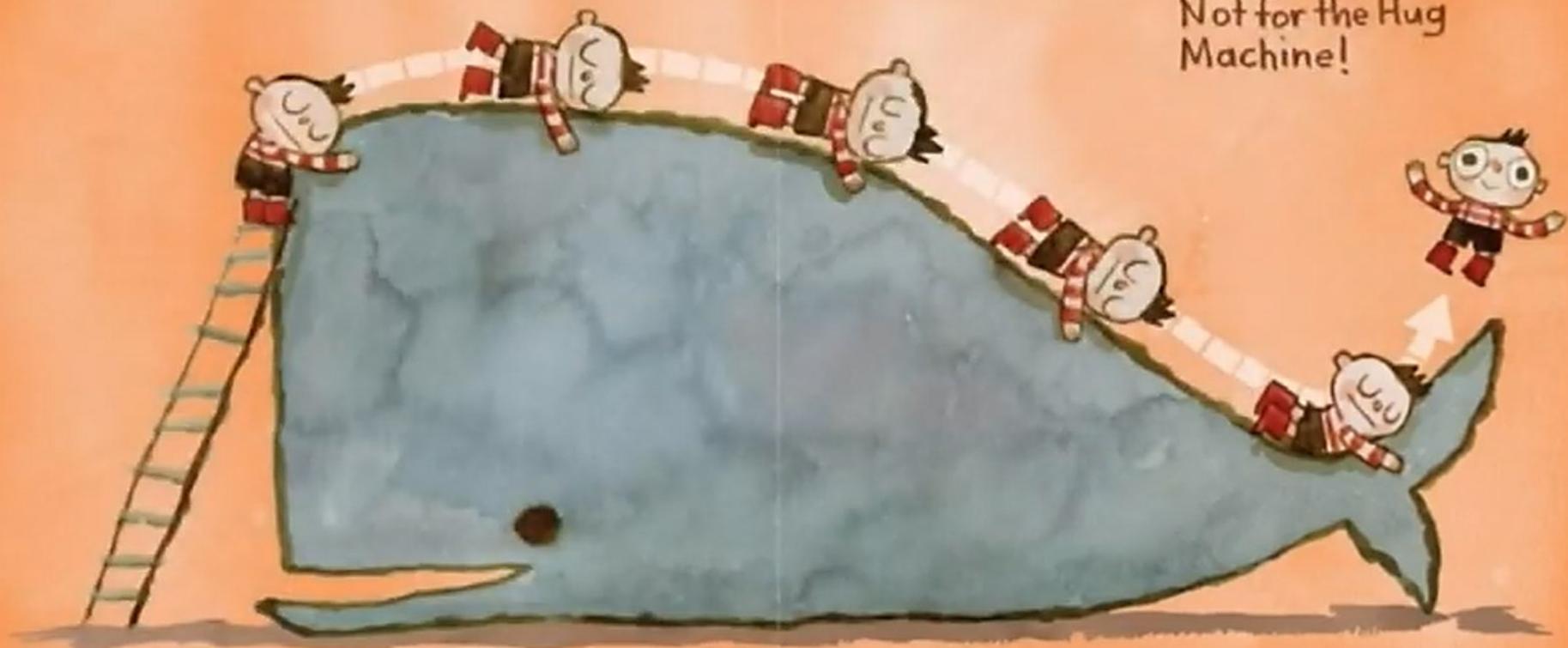


"What about  
me? Surely I am  
too big for you  
to hug."



Of course not!

Not for the Hug  
Machine!

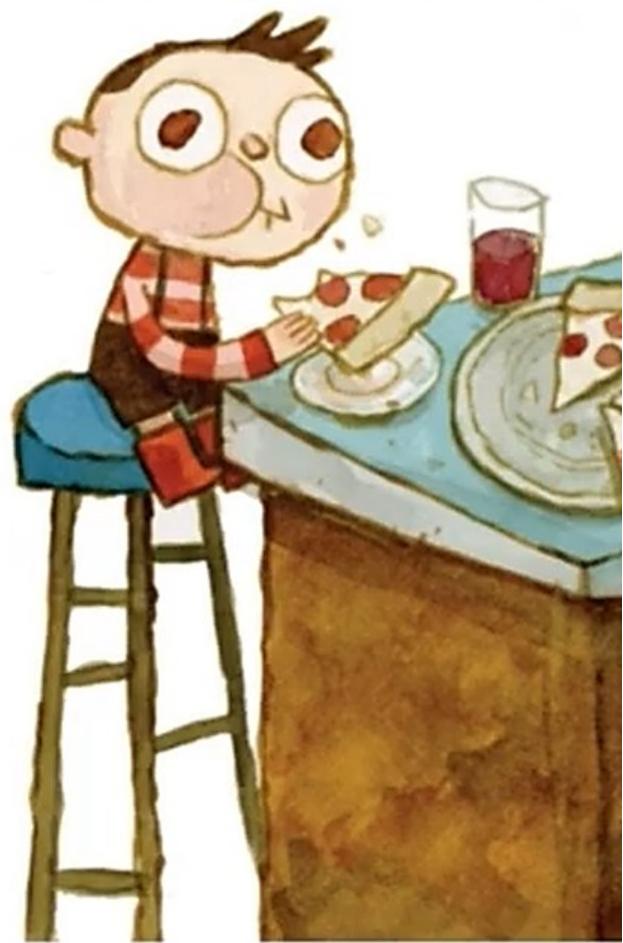


People often ask what the Hug Machine eats to keep the hugging energy high.



Well, the answer is pizza.

The Hug Machine likes pizza very much.



Refueled and ready for action!





Whew! What a tiring day of hugging.  
The Hug Machine is exhausted.



Hug Machine can hug no more.



Oh.

Why, yes. **YOU** may hug the Hug Machine.

Hug Machine is always open for business.



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