

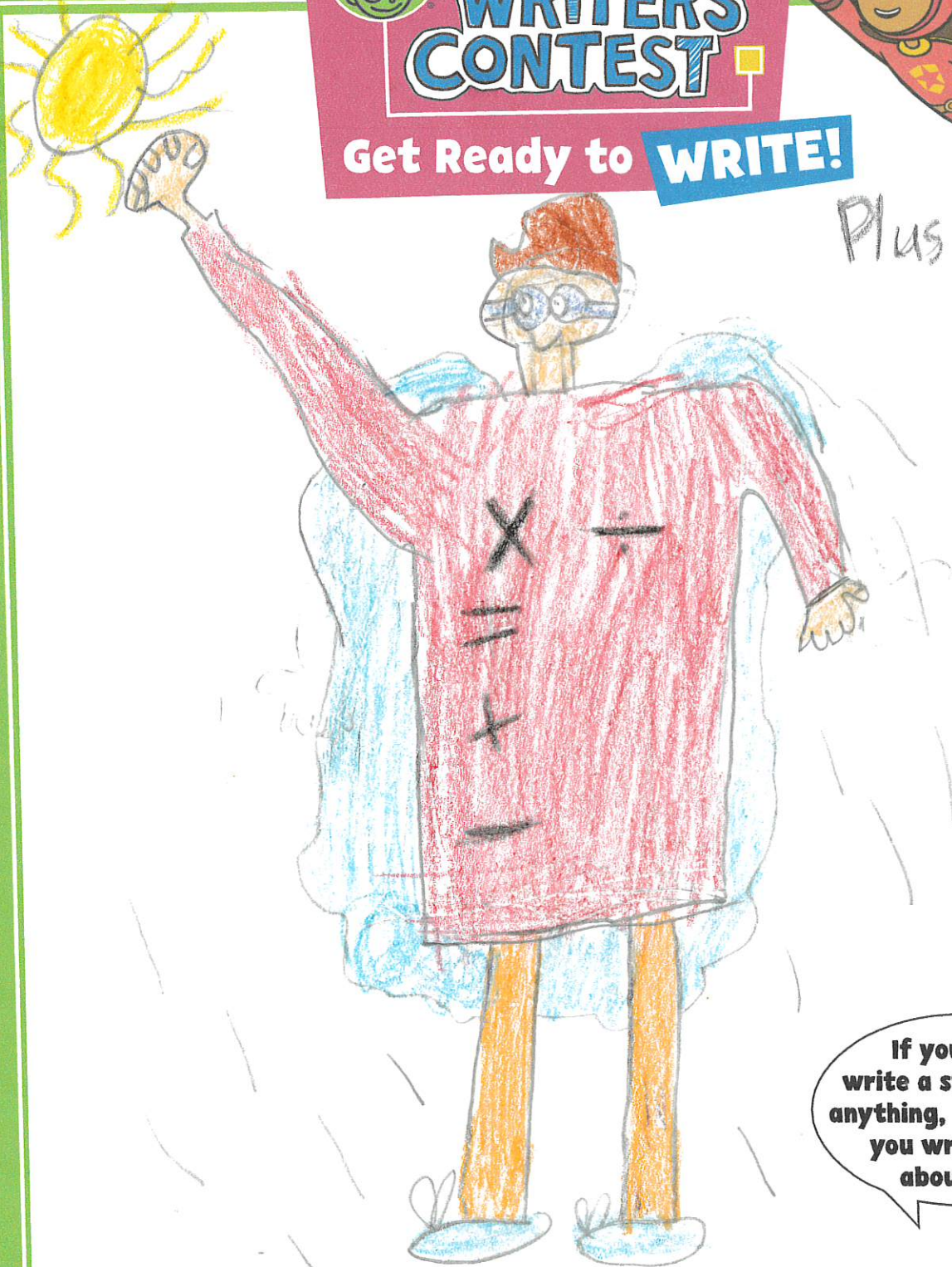


WRITERS CONTEST



Get Ready to **WRITE!**

Plus vs Minus



If you could write a story about anything, what would you write about?



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A long time ago, there was a peaceful town named Saint Louis where a superhero named Math Man lived. Math Man is a superhero that knows a lot about math. But one day a villain named Minus Man came to town.



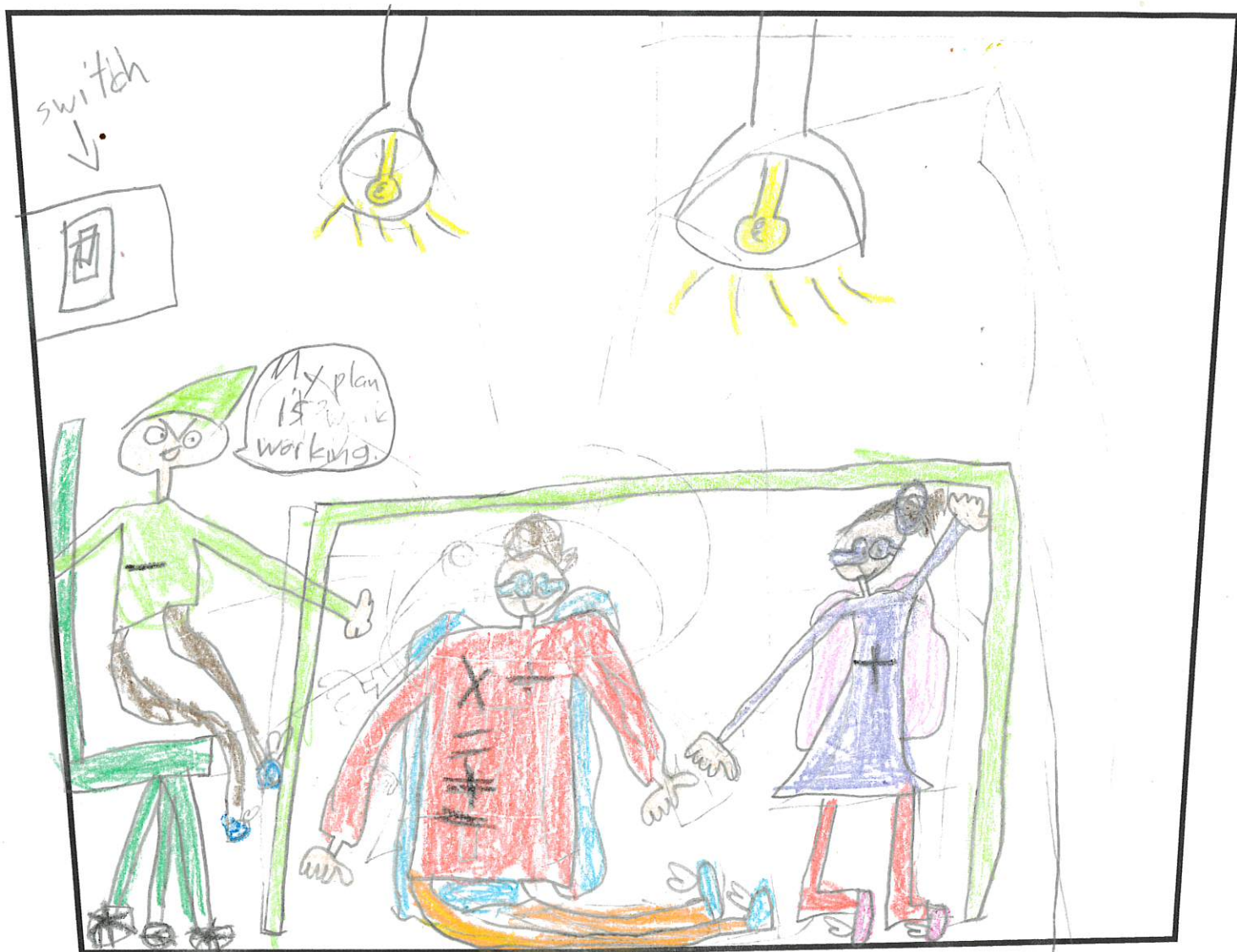
So, that meant Math Man
had to stop him. He was taking
ten cars today. Math Man
knows how to stop Minus Man.
Math Man was putting more but,
instead he's adding too many
cars. So, he went to plus girl
for help



He said "I need help adding. Plus girl is good at adding. Plus girl helped Math Man by adding. Plus girl trained Math Man how to take a deep breath and think about what you need to add what you don't. Plus girl helped Math Man get better at adding."



Minus Man was taking ten cars to build a machine that would take over the world. Math Man and Plus girl did not know that Minus Man was going to take over the world. So, they wanted to know what Minus Man was going to do with all the cars?



So, they sneaked into Minus Man's lair and was going to find out what he was up to. They got there answers and made a film. They would stop Minus Man by tickling to distract him because Minus Man didn't have all the cars he needs. Math Man was the one tickling Minus Man while plus girl took apart the machine and Minus Man was never able to make his machine ever again.