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**GOOD
AGRICULTURAL
PRACTICE THAT
PRESERVE LIFE**

SORRISO-MATO GROSSO - BRAZIL

«SORRISO VIVO» ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION PROJECT

SORRISO'S EARTH FRIENDS CLUB - CAT

**SORRISO CITY, IN BRAZIL, IS HAVING A PARTY!
SORRISO'S EARTH FRIENDS CLUB (CAT IN PORTUGUESE)
IS CELEBRATING IT'S 16TH ANNIVERSARY!
SORRISO'S EARTH FRIENDS CLUB IS AN NON-PROFIT INSTITUTION WITH
A FOCUS ON AGRICULTURAL SUSTAINABILITY AND ENVIRONMENTAL
EDUCATION THROUGH THE IDEALIZATION OF SOCIAL PROJECTS.
CURRENTLY THE INSTITUTION IS WORKING IN THE PROJECT «PEOPLE
THAT PRODUCE AND PRESERVE» IN THE ORGANIC FRUIT AND
VEGETABLE SEGMENT AND MILK PRODUCTION IN THE RURAL
SETTLEMENTS:
JONAS PINHEIRO AND CASULO
AND THE RTRS CERTIFICATION - ENCOURAGING GOOD AGRICULTURAL
PRACTICES.**

**«SORRISO VIVO» IS THE ASSOCIATION MAIN PROJECT, THAT FOR 14
YEARS HAS BEEN WORKED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS WITH SORRISO'S
COUNTY SUPPORT.**

**THIS BOOKLET ISSUE SHOWS THE WORK OF THE RURAL PRODUCER IN
PRODUCING WITH SUSTAINABILITY, RESPECTING BRAZIL'S RULES AND
LEGISLATION AND EVEN MORE, FOLLOWING INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS
OF FOOD PRODUCTION WITH RESPONSIBILITY.
ROUND TABLE ON RESPONSIBLE SOY (RTRS)*.**

**AND SO WE START OUR HISTORY.
OUR COMPLIMENTS TO THE CITY OF SORRISO!**

***CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATION THAT PROMOTES THE RESPONSIBLE PRODUCTION, PROCESSING AND
MARKETING OF SOYBEANS GLOBALLY.**

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IT WAS CORINGA'S BIRTHDAY,
A GUARA WOLF,
MASCOT OF EARTH FRIENDS CLUB AND HIS
FRIENDS HAVE DECIDED TO CELEBRATE!
THERE ARE LOTS OF FRIENDS BECAUSE
NOWADAYS THE WOODS ARE INCREASINGLY
PLEASANT FOR THEM, IN CONSEQUENCE OF
GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES THAT OUR
PARTNERS HAVE DONE ON THEIR PROPERTIES.



LET'S HAVE FUN
GIVING OUT INVITATIONS TO OUR
PARTNERS AND FRIENDS?

THE CLUB'S MEMBERS
SPLIT IN GROUPS AND EACH
ONE GOES TO DIFERENTE
DIRECTIONS WITH THE
INVITATIONS IN HANDS,
OR BETTER, IN
THEIR
PAWS!



THEY GO ON A JOURNEY THROUGH THE PROPERTIES OF THE REGION.

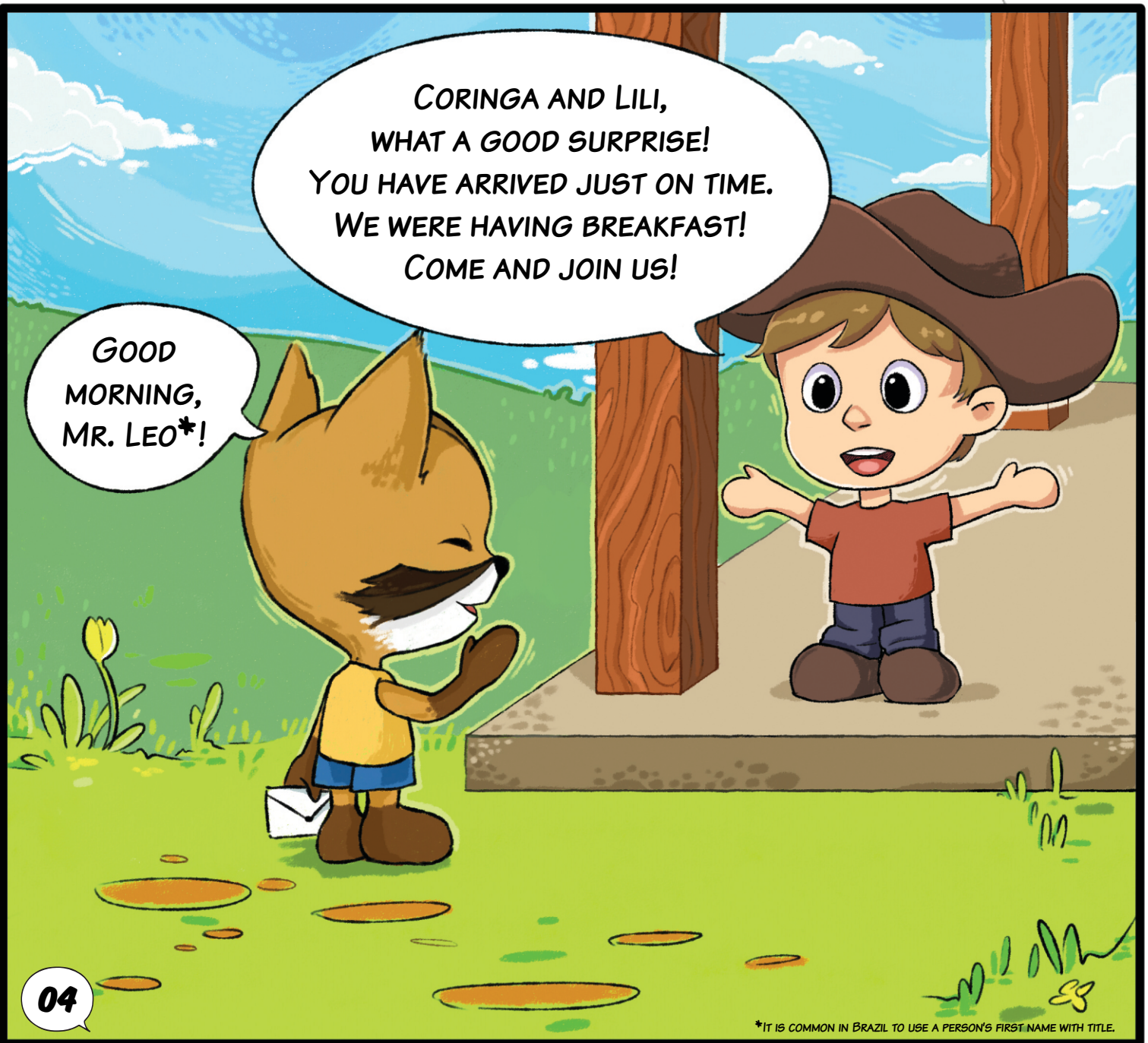
WE ARE GOING TO JOIN CORINGA AND LILI!



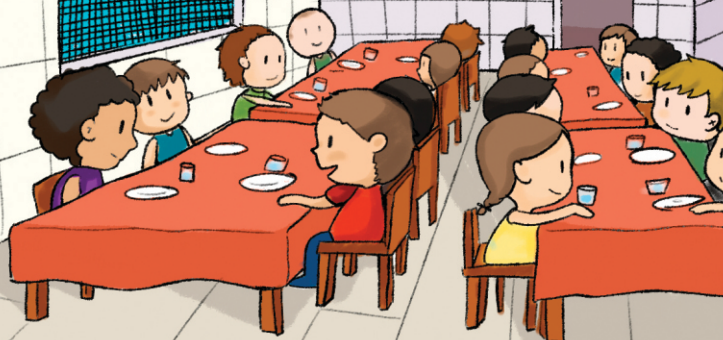
WE HAVE JUST ARRIVED!
SANTA MARIA FARM.

CORINGA AND LILI,
WHAT A GOOD SURPRISE!
YOU HAVE ARRIVED JUST ON TIME.
WE WERE HAVING BREAKFAST!
COME AND JOIN US!

GOOD
MORNING,
MR. LEO*!

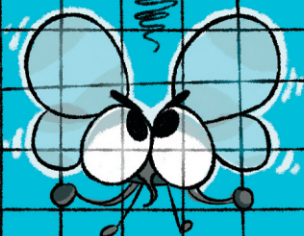


WHAT A HUGE
CAFETERIA!
HOW MANY PEOPLE!



INDEED MY FRIENDS!
OUR STAFF HAVE
ALL DAILY MEALS HERE
IN THE CAFETERIA.

ALL WINDOWS
ARE SCREENED TO AVOID
THE BUGS AND
THE WALLS ARE TILED.
ALL WELL THOUGHT OUT
FOR KEEPING
HYGIENE.





YES! EVERYTHING
IS PLANNED SO THAT
EVERYONE CAN LIVE
WELL HERE.

BUT DO ALL THESE
PEOPLE LIVE HERE ON
YOUR FARM?



ALL FARMS OF THE "PEOPLE THAT PRODUCE AND PRESERV" PROJECT MUST HAVE:

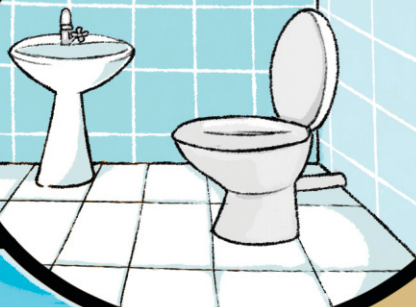
CAFETERIA



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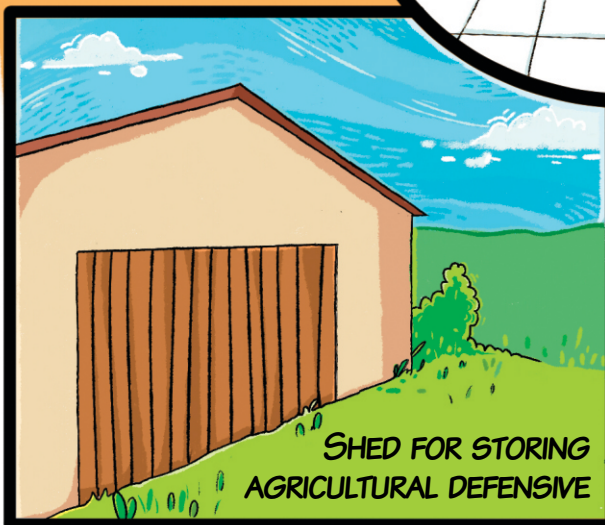


OUTSIDE BATHROOMS

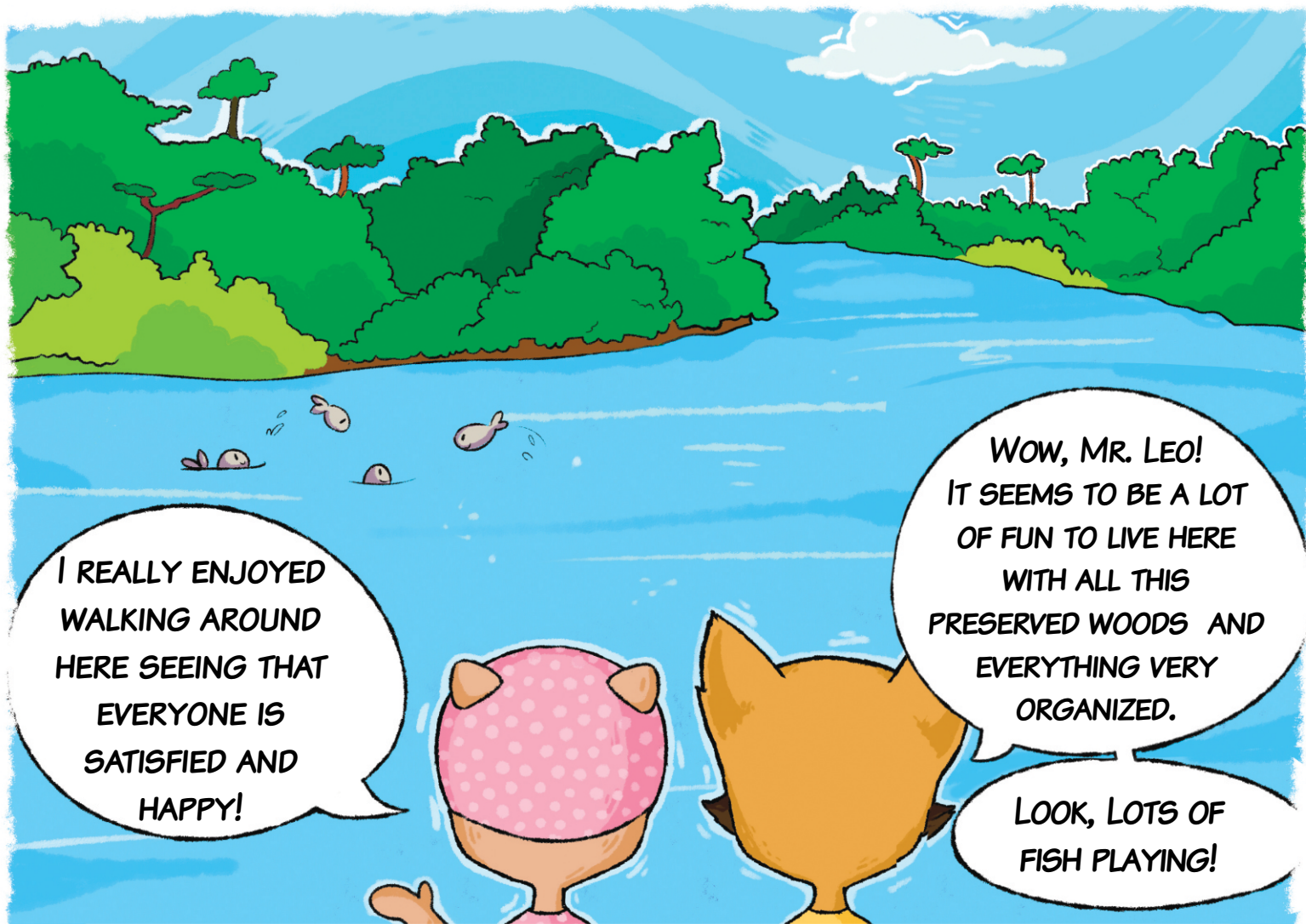


ORGANIZED WORKSHOPS

SHED FOR STORING
AGRICULTURAL DEFENSIVE



ENCLOSED AREA TO STORE
EMPTY CONTAINERS AND
OTHER IMPORTANT THINGS THAT
ENABLE PRODUCERS TO HAVE A
RESPONSIBLE PRODUCER STAMP



I REALLY ENJOYED
WALKING AROUND
HERE SEEING THAT
EVERYONE IS
SATISFIED AND
HAPPY!

WOW, MR. LEO!
IT SEEMS TO BE A LOT
OF FUN TO LIVE HERE
WITH ALL THIS
PRESERVED WOODS AND
EVERYTHING VERY
ORGANIZED.

LOOK, LOTS OF
FISH PLAYING!

WE ARE VERY WELL TAKEN CARE OF HERE.
WE ARE VERY WELL TREATED. THE WATER IS ALWAYS
CLEAN BECAUSE MR. LEO KNOWS HOW TO PLANT
WITHOUT DIRTYING IT.
ISN'T THAT SO?

YES! WE PLANT ON
THE STRAW, WITHOUT
TOUCHING THE GROUND,
THEREFORE THUS, LEAVING
THE WATER CLEAN!



IT'S NON-TILLAGE

Wow!
We have learned
many things here!

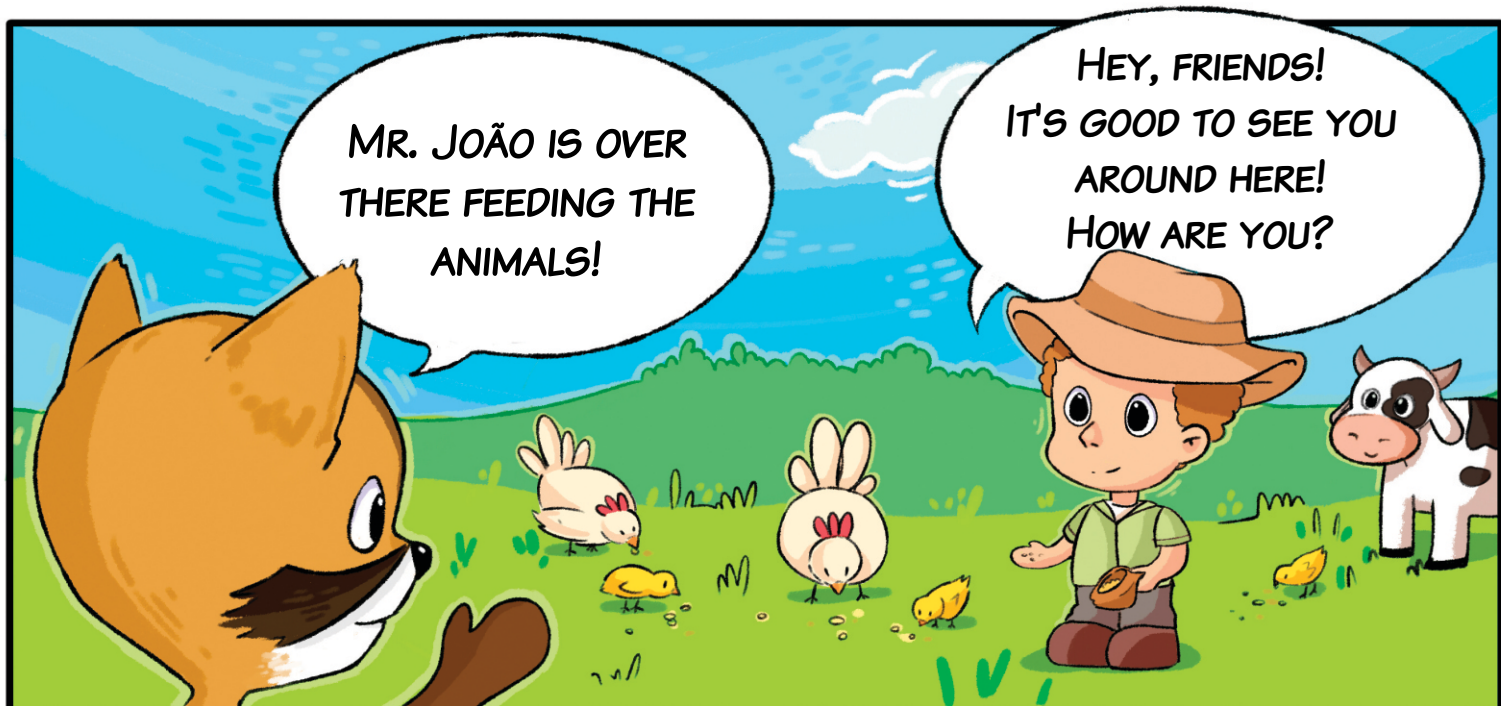
But, we came to
make an invitation!

We are going to
celebrate my
birthday! We're
having a party and we're
counting on all our
partners!



I think he is
happy with the
invitation!
Let's go, we've got
a long way
to go.

The next stop
is at
Videira Farm.



MR. JOÃO IS OVER
THERE FEEDING THE
ANIMALS!

HEY, FRIENDS!
IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU
AROUND HERE!
HOW ARE YOU?

GOOD AFTERNOON!
WE'RE VERY WELL.
WE ARE VISITING YOU TO
FIND OUT IF EVERYTHING
IS ALL RIGHT AND ALSO
TO MAKE AN INVITATION
TO YOU.

OH, RIGHT! WE ARE
IN ONE OF THE BEST
PRODUCTION
STAGES NOW.

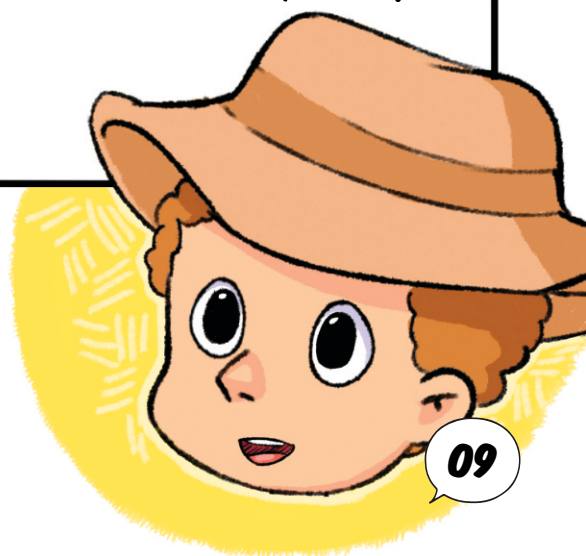
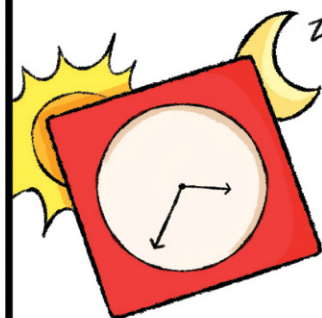
OH REALLY? AND
HOW DO THINGS
WORK AROUND
HERE?

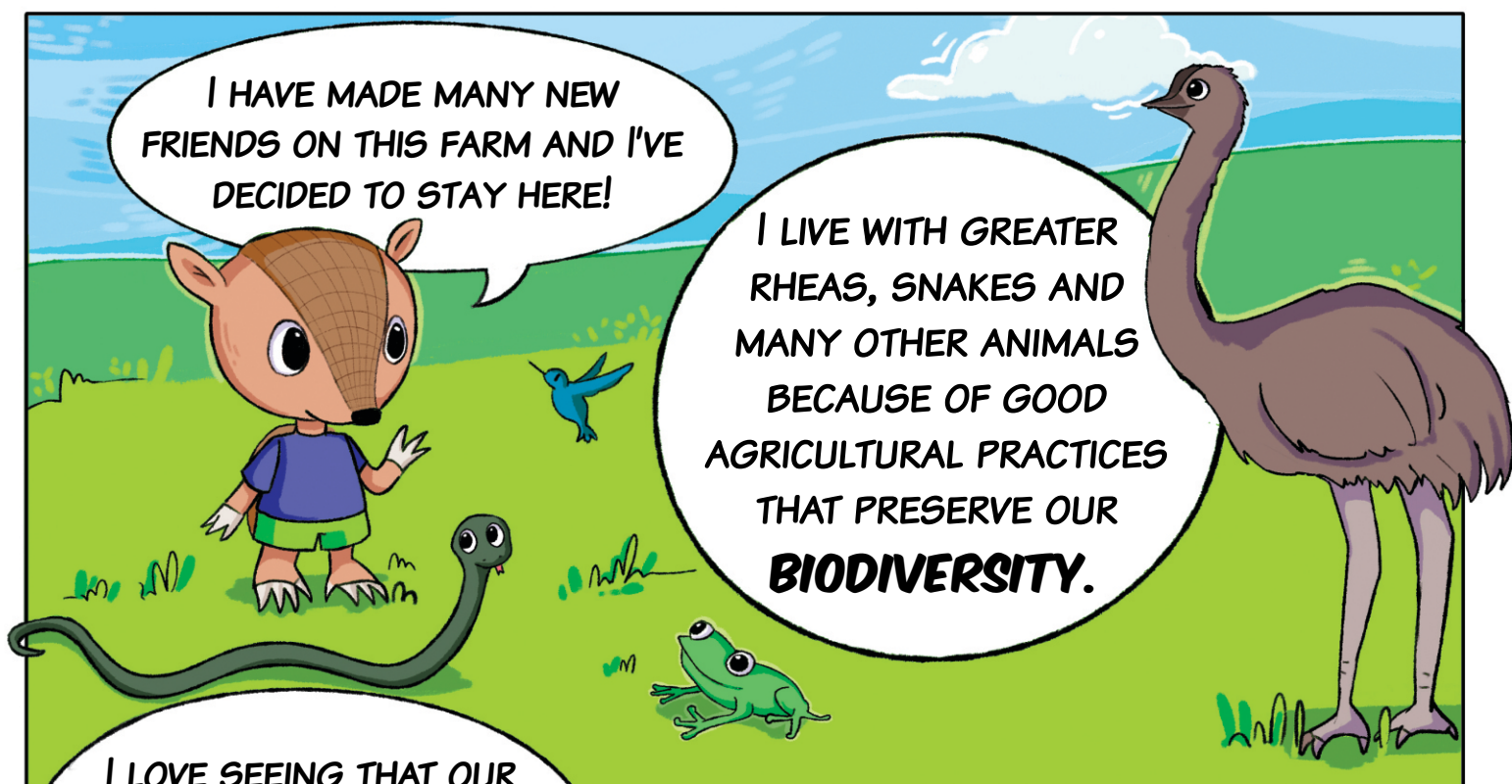
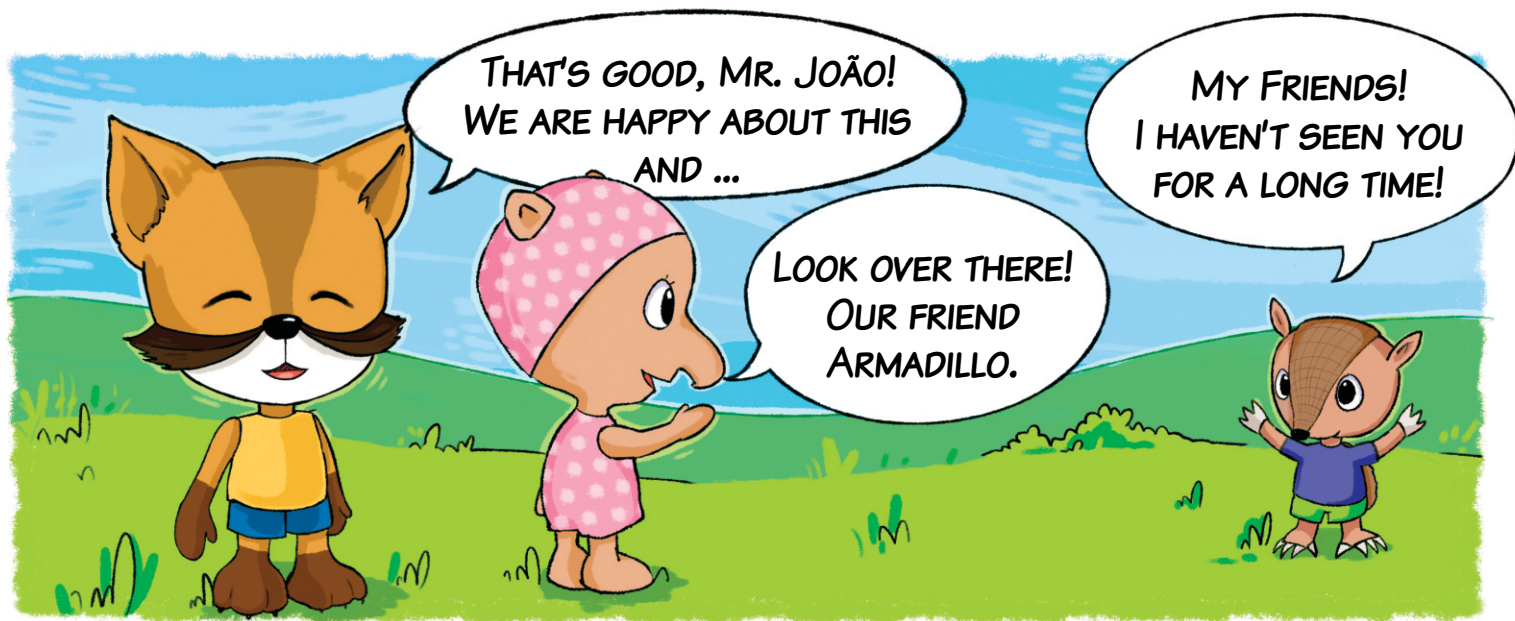
WELL, EVERYTHING IS
VERY WELL CONTROLLED.

THERE ARE CLEANING AND
DECONTAMINATION OF THE
EQUIPMENT. (CDE)

THERE ARE
CROP
AGROCHEMICALS
APPLICATIONS'
CONTROL AND
STOCK
CONTROL.

THERE'S A
TIME TO
WORK, TIME
TO REST ...





WHILE CORINGA AND LILI WERE GOING TO ANOTHER FARM LITTLE JAGUAR AND CAPUCHIN MONKEY WERE ALSO GIVING OUT INVITATIONS...

HERE WE ARE.
THIS IS SANTO
ANTONIO FARM.

IT BELONGS TO
MR. RUI, ISN'T IT? I
THINK HE'S OVER THERE.

MR. RUI, CAN WE
TALK TO YOU?

LITTLE JAGUAR!
CAPUCHIN MONKEY!
COME OVER HERE.
I'M SUPERVISING THE
TRACTOR BEING
WASHED.

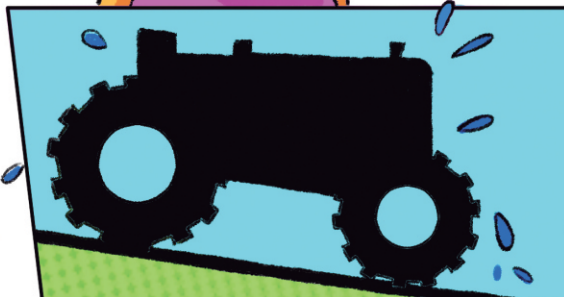


WHAT A NICE PLACE!
DO YOU WASH THE
TRACTORS HERE,
MR. RUI?

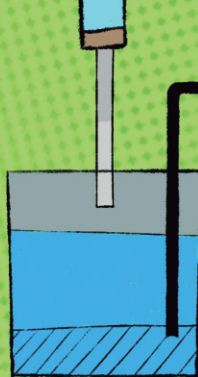


THIS IS EXACTLY THE
PLACE WHERE WE HAVE
THEM CLEANED.

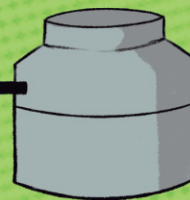
WE HAVE SPECIALLY PREPARED THIS SPACE
FOR ALL CONTAMINATED WATER AND CHEMICAL
WASTE TO BE CARRIED
BY GUTTERS ...



THEY'RE DRAINED
BY CONTAINMENT
BOXES WHERE
DECANTATION OF
WASTE OCCURS.



THE WATER IS PUMPED FOR
DECONTAMINATION TREATMENT AND
IT RETURNED CLEAN TO THE SOIL!



WOW! ...
WATER-PRODUCING
MACHINE! THIS WAY
NATURE IS RESPECTED AND
SOIL IS PROTECTED.
VERY GOOD!

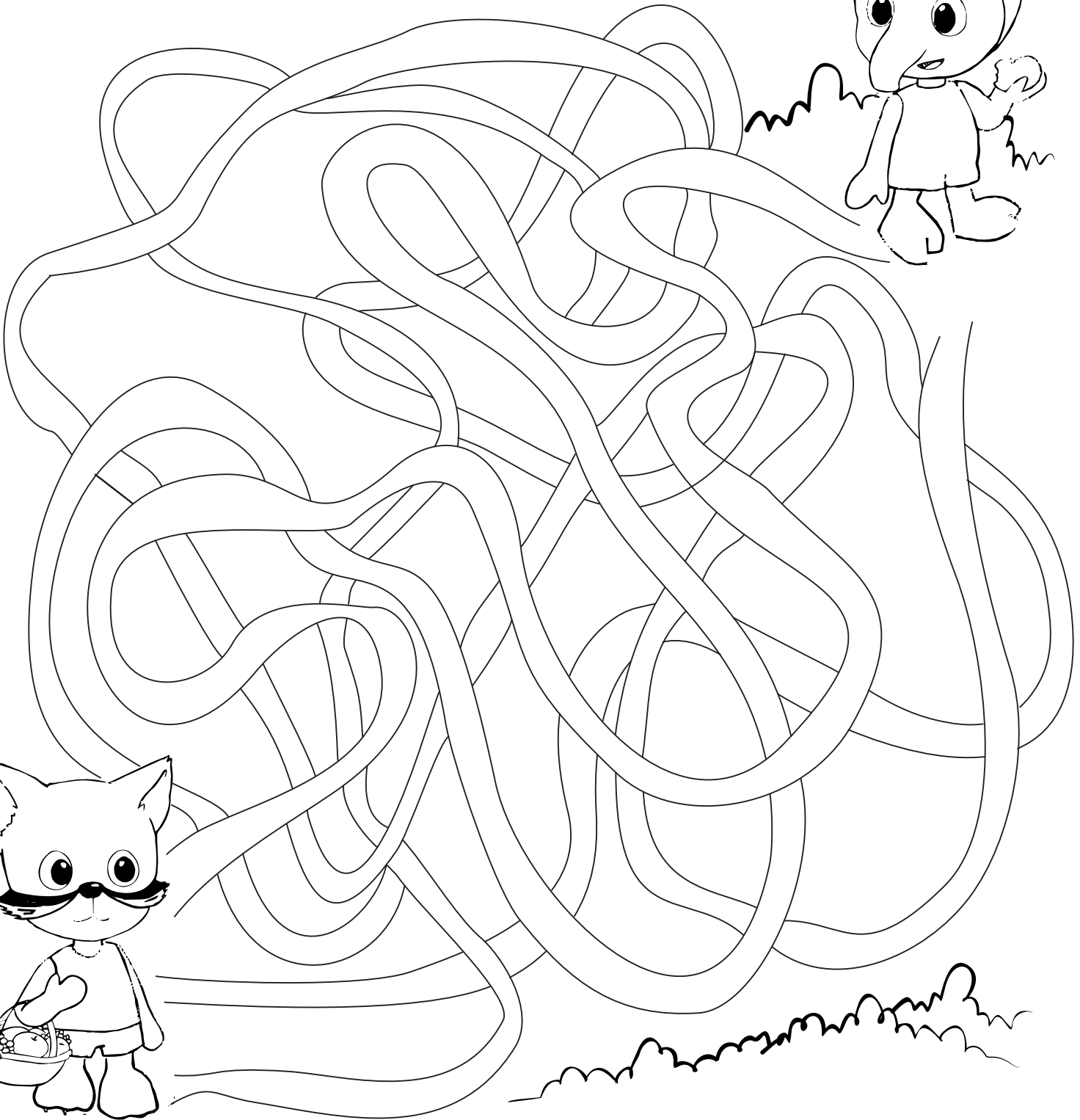
WHAT SPECIAL WORK!
PRACTICING SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE IS TO TAKE CARE OF THE
ENVIRONMENT. IT IS TO THINK ABOUT THE NEIGHBOR, WHICH IS
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT!

WE MUST PRESERVE AND RESPECT NATURE, SO IT CAN GROW
HEALTHILY FOR A LONG TIME, WELCOMING MANY GENERATIONS OF
LIVING BEINGS THAT ARE YET TO COME!



**LET'S COLOR
CORINGA!**

LILI IS WAITING CORINGA WITH THE FRUIT BASKET.
FIND THE PATH THAT LEADS CORINGA TO HER.





1

A

400
YEARS



2

B

6 MONTHS
TO **1** YEAR



3

C

500
YEARS



ALUMINUM

4

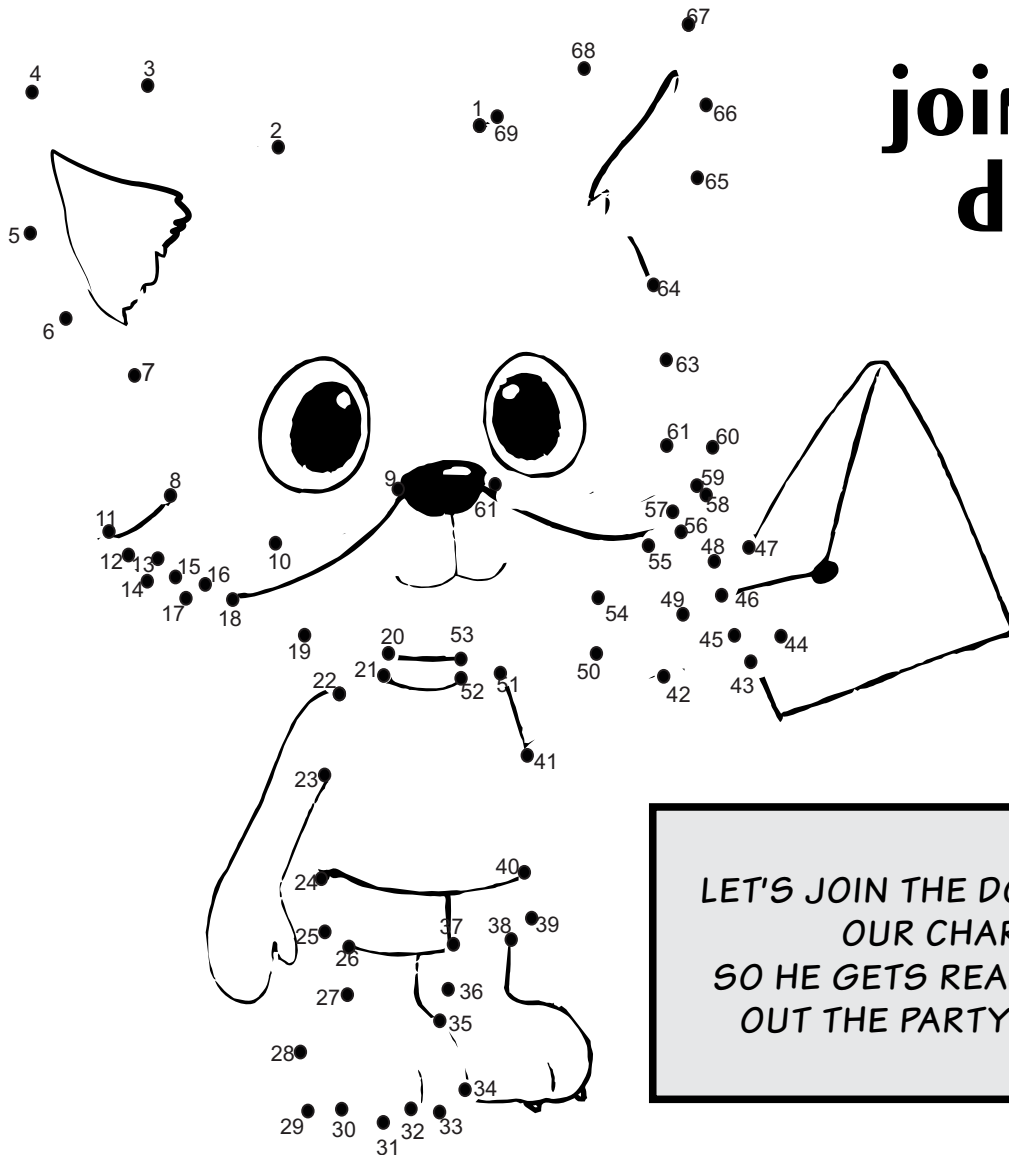
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MORE THAN
100
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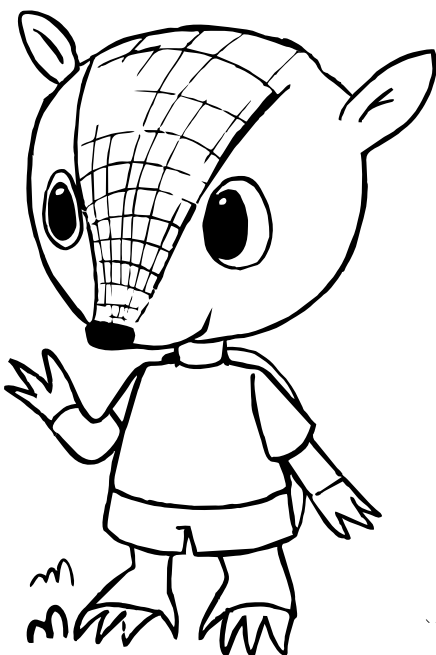


FOLLOW THE LINES AND FIND OUT
HOW LONG EACH MATERIAL TAKES
FOR DECOMPOSING!

join the dots

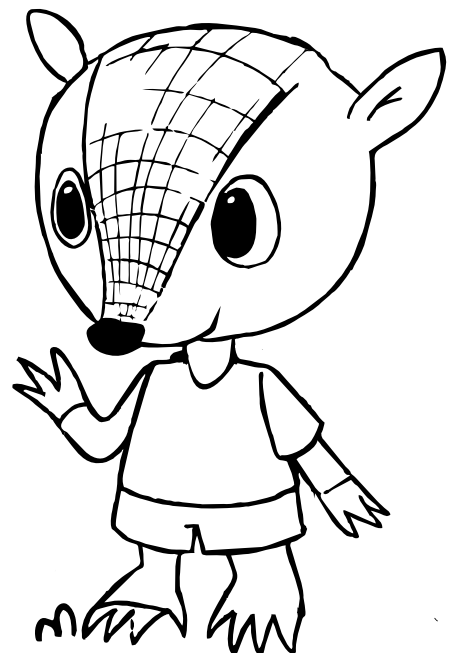


LET'S JOIN THE DOTS AND COLOR
OUR CHARACTER!
SO HE GETS READY FOR GIVING
OUT THE PARTY INVITATIONS!



THERE ARE SOME
DIFFERENCES
BETWEEN THE
ARMADILLOS!
LET'S FIND THEM!

7
differences






IT'S REQUIRED TO HAVE A MAP OF THE AREA SHOWING THAT WE DON'T CUT DOWN OUR WOODS BUT WE PRESERVE THEM INSTEAD.


ALSO DOCUMENTS ARE REQUIRED SAYING THAT WE CARE, MONITOR AND CONTROL EACH TASK, SHOWING EACH DAY AND TIME THAT THE PRODUCT HAS BEEN APPLIED TO THE CROP, EQUIPMENT CLEANING ETC ...

THE ADMINISTRATION KNOWS EVERYTHING IT'S NEEDED TO BE LEGAL. THIS WAY: NO FINE. BECAUSE WE DO EVERYTHING RIGHT!

TO UNDERSTAND MORE ABOUT AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES LET US EXPLAIN HOW IT WORKS.



YOU ARE ALSO OUR
SPECIAL GUEST TO
CELEBRATE
GUARA WOLF
CORINGA'S BIRTHDAY.



LET'S GO, WE
STILL HAVE SOME
INVITATIONS TO
GIVE OUT.

I WONDER IF CORINGA
HAS ALREADY GAVE ALL
OF THEM OUT!

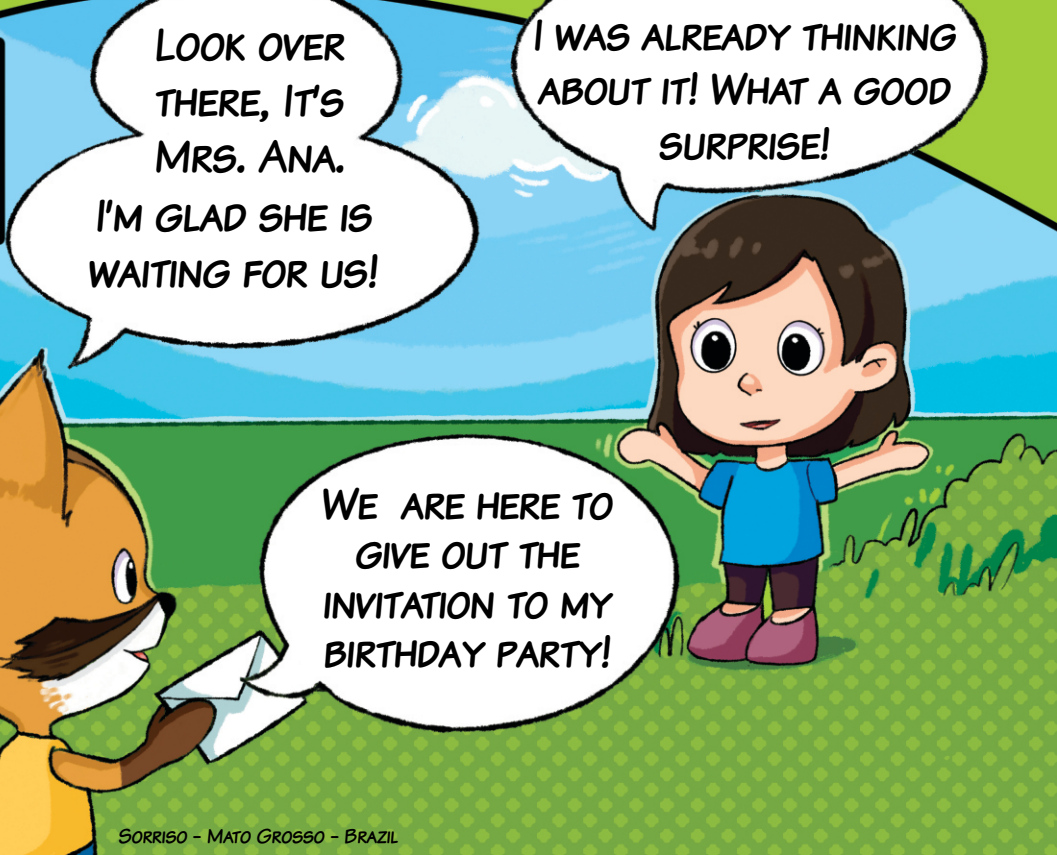


NO, CORINGA AND LILI
WEREN'T GAVE THEM
OUT YET

SANTA ANA
FARM

LOOK OVER
THERE, IT'S
MRS. ANA.
I'M GLAD SHE IS
WAITING FOR US!

WOW!
I WAS ALREADY THINKING
ABOUT IT! WHAT A GOOD
SURPRISE!



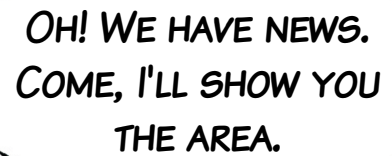
WE ARE HERE TO
GIVE OUT THE
INVITATION TO MY
BIRTHDAY PARTY!



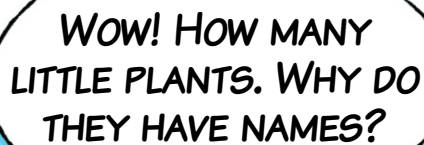
THANK YOU FOR THE INVITATION AND, OF COURSE, WE ALL FROM THE FARM WILL BE THERE!



I'M CURIOUS TO SEE WHAT HAS HAPPENED WHEN THE KIDS CAME HERE ON A SIGHTSEEING TOURS.



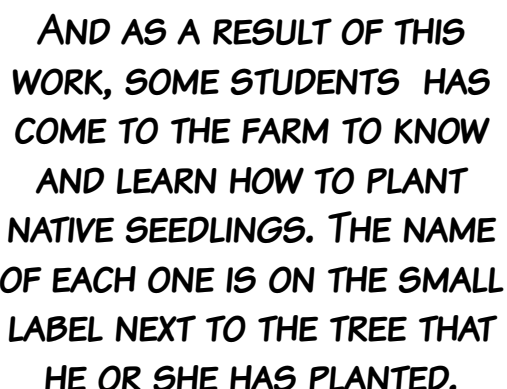
OH! WE HAVE NEWS. COME, I'LL SHOW YOU THE AREA.



WOW! HOW MANY LITTLE PLANTS. WHY DO THEY HAVE NAMES?



THAT'S WHAT I WANTED TO SHOW YOU. AS YOU KNOW, EVERY YEAR WE WORK WITH ENVIRONMENTAL BOOKLETS IN SCHOOLS ...



AND AS A RESULT OF THIS WORK, SOME STUDENTS HAS COME TO THE FARM TO KNOW AND LEARN HOW TO PLANT NATIVE SEEDLINGS. THE NAME OF EACH ONE IS ON THE SMALL LABEL NEXT TO THE TREE THAT HE OR SHE HAS PLANTED.




WOW! HOW BEAUTIFUL! HOW GOOD SCHOOLS ARE PARTICIPATING AND ALSO CARE ABOUT HELPING THE ENVIRONMENT!




HELLO!




I HEARD YOU TALKING
ABOUT THE NEW PLANTS! MY FAMILY
AND I WERE HAPPY WITH THIS
INITIATIVE!



IN A SHORT TIME WE
WILL HAVE NEW TREES AND
PLANTS WHERE WE CAN LIVE!
NOT MENTIONING THAT IT'S EASIER
TO FIND OUR FRUITS!



WHAT A SURPRISE HAVING YOU
AROUND HERE, TOUCAN! I'M GLAD
YOU'RE FINDING YOUR BERRIES!



WELL,
THERE ARE ONLY A FEW
DAYS LEFT FOR OUR PARTY
AND WE WANT YOU TO BE
THERE.
TAKE YOUR FAMILY,
TOUCAN!

**BYE!
TCHAU!!!**

FARM LUDOVICO.
THIS IS THE LAST INVITATION
FOR GIVING OUT.

WHERE ARE WE
GOING NOW?

YUMMY...


THERE'S HEALTHY FOOD THERE!

GOOD AFTERNOON,
MRS. MARCIA!
WHAT A BEAUTIFUL WORK YOU
ARE DOING!

OH, THANK YOU!
THESE VEGETABLES
ARE ORGANIC.

ORGANIC?

YES. SO FAR, ME AND THREE OTHERS FROM THE
RURAL SETTLEMENT'S PRODUCERS HAVE GOT THE
ORGANIC VEGETABLE AND FRUIT PRODUCT CERTIFIED
WHICH WAS A GREAT ACHIEVEMENT FOR US!



VERY GOOD, AND ALL OF US
GAIN WITH IT. A CLEAN, HEALTHY AND
CHEMICAL-FREE PRODUCTION.



FOR SURE! IN ADDITION
TO OUR PRODUCTS BEING ORGANIC WE
ARE ALWAYS THINKING ABOUT THE
ENVIRONMENT.




WE PREPARE THE FERTILIZER
BY COMPOSTING WASTE.



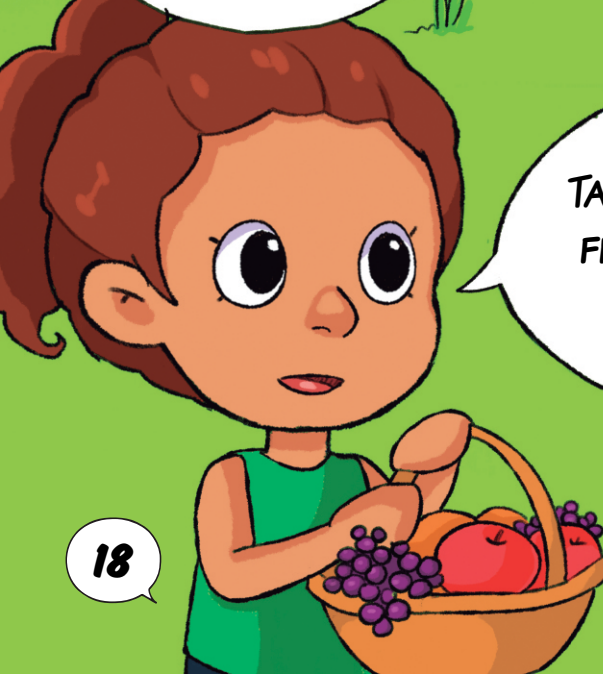
WE SEPARATE THE GARBAGE
IN THE CORRECT WAY ...

EVERYTHING IT'S DONE
WITH GREAT CARE AND
AFFECTION.



HOW WONDERFUL,
MRS. MARCIA.
NOTHING MAKES US
HAPPIER!

THAT'S WHY WE WANT YOU
TO BE WITH US AT THE PARTY
TO CELEBRATE CORINGA'S
BIRTHDAY.




THANK YOU!
TAKE A BASKET WITH SOME
FRUIT FOR EATING ON THE
WAY! YOU MUST BE
HUNGRY!



GREAT!


LILI AND CORINGA RETURN TO THE CLUB READY TO START THE PARTY PREPARATIONS WITH THEIR FRIENDS.



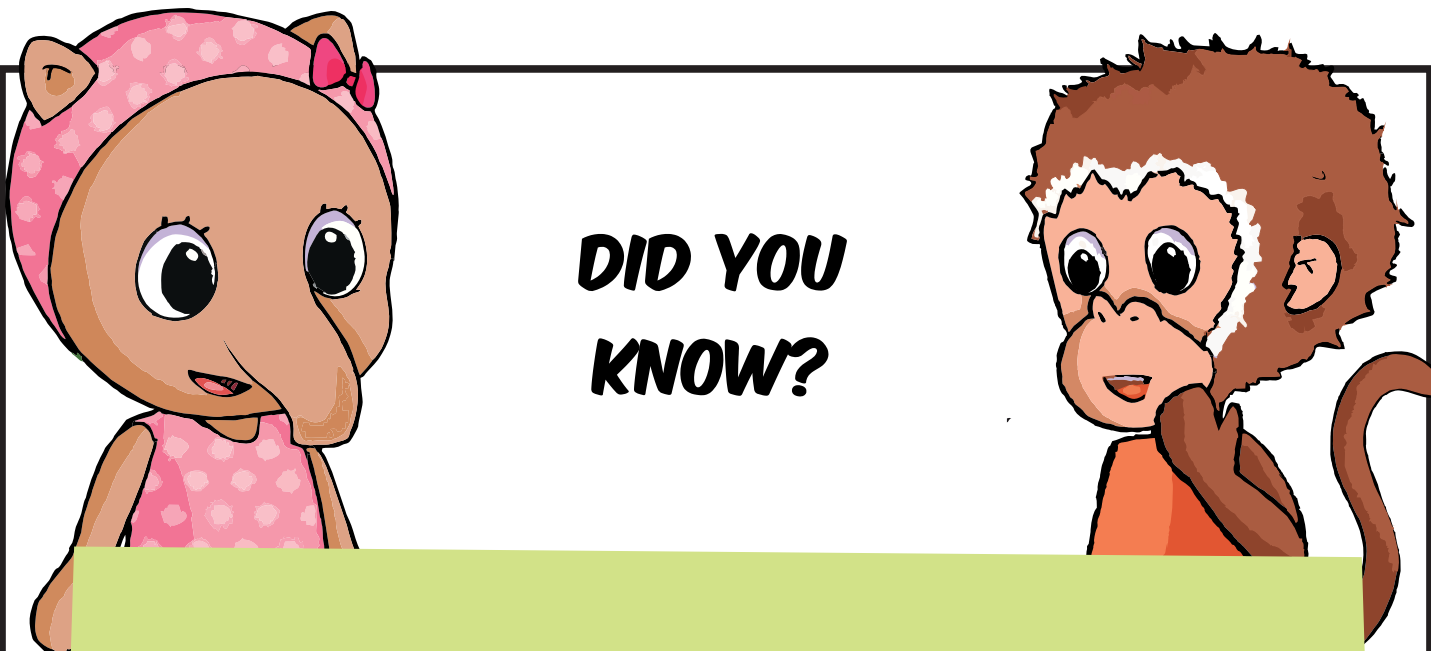
EVERYONE MUST HAVE
ALREADY GAVE THE
INVITATIONS OUT. NOW, LET'S
JOIN OUR FRIENDS AND
PREPARE OUR PARTY!



IT'S PARTY DAY! THE
ENTIRE DECORATION IS WITH
FLOWERS. THE MEAL AND
SNACKS WERE PREPARED
WITH FRESH INGREDIENTS
FROM THE FARM AND THERE
ARE SEVERAL SPECIAL
GUESTS.



THIS PARTY IS NOT JUST
TO CELEBRATE MY BIRTHDAY! ...
IT'S TO CELEBRATE GOOD AGRICULTURAL
PRACTICE AND IT'S TO CONGRATULATE
EVERYONE WHO IS COMMITTED
IN TAKING CARE OF
OUR PLANET.



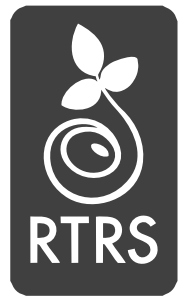
DID YOU KNOW?

GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES ARE CONSIDERED ONE OF THE FOUNDATIONS OF SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE BECAUSE ONLY THROUGH THEM FARMERS CAN PRESERVE NATURAL RESOURCES FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS. SAFETY IN THE PRODUCTION OF OUR CONSUMPTION FOOD SHOULD BE A CONSTANT CONCERN.

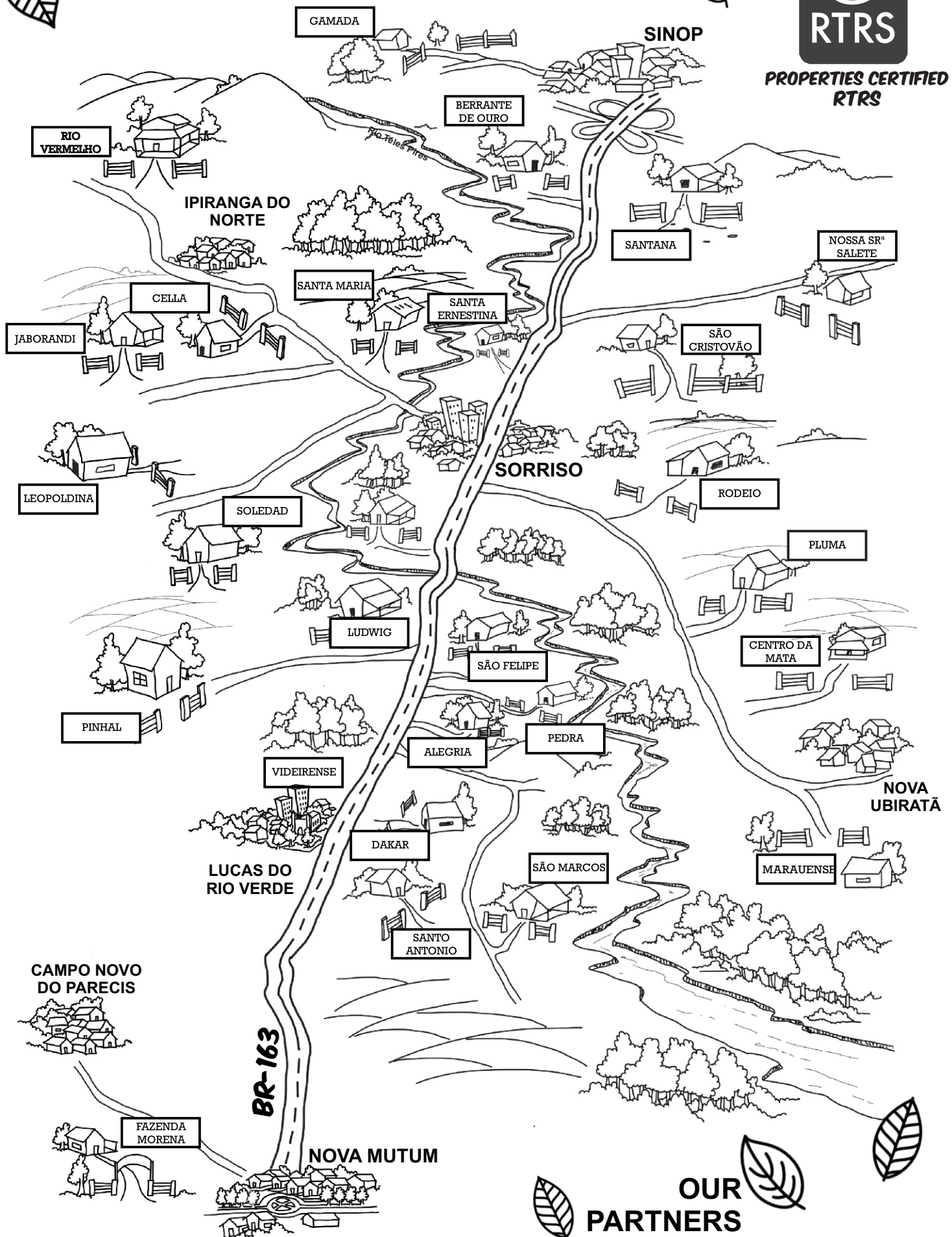
GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES ARE:

- TO CONTROL CONTAMINANTS FROM AIR, SOIL, WATER, SUCH AS: FERTILIZERS, AGROCHEMICALS, ANTIBIOTICS OR ANY AGRICULTURAL INPUTS.**
- TO CONTROL PLANTS' HEALTH BY PRACTICES THAT DON'T REPRESENT A DANGER TO HUMAN HEALTH OR THAT AFFECT THE QUALITY AND ADEQUACY OF FOOD.**
- TO AVOID THE USE OF AREAS WHERE THE ENVIRONMENT PRESENTS RISKS TO THE SAFETY OF THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT.**
- TO ADOPT PRACTICES TO ENSURE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION UNDER APPROPRIATE HYGIENE CONDITIONS.**
- TO PROTECT FOOD SOURCES FROM FECAL ORIGIN'S CONTAMINATION AND OTHER HARMFUL SOURCES TO HEALTH.**

THIS IS THE SECRET THAT MAKES THE CITY OF
SORRISO-MT BEING ONE OF BRAZIL'S AND THE
WORLD MOST LARGEST GRAIN PRODUCERS.



PROPERTIES CERTIFIED
RTRS



OUR
PARTNERS

It's Guara Wolf Coringa's 14th birthday and the entire group of Earth's Friends Club is engaged in preparing the party. When giving out the invitations, the group takes the opportunity to know how the properties of their partners who have adopted good agricultural practices are.

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