

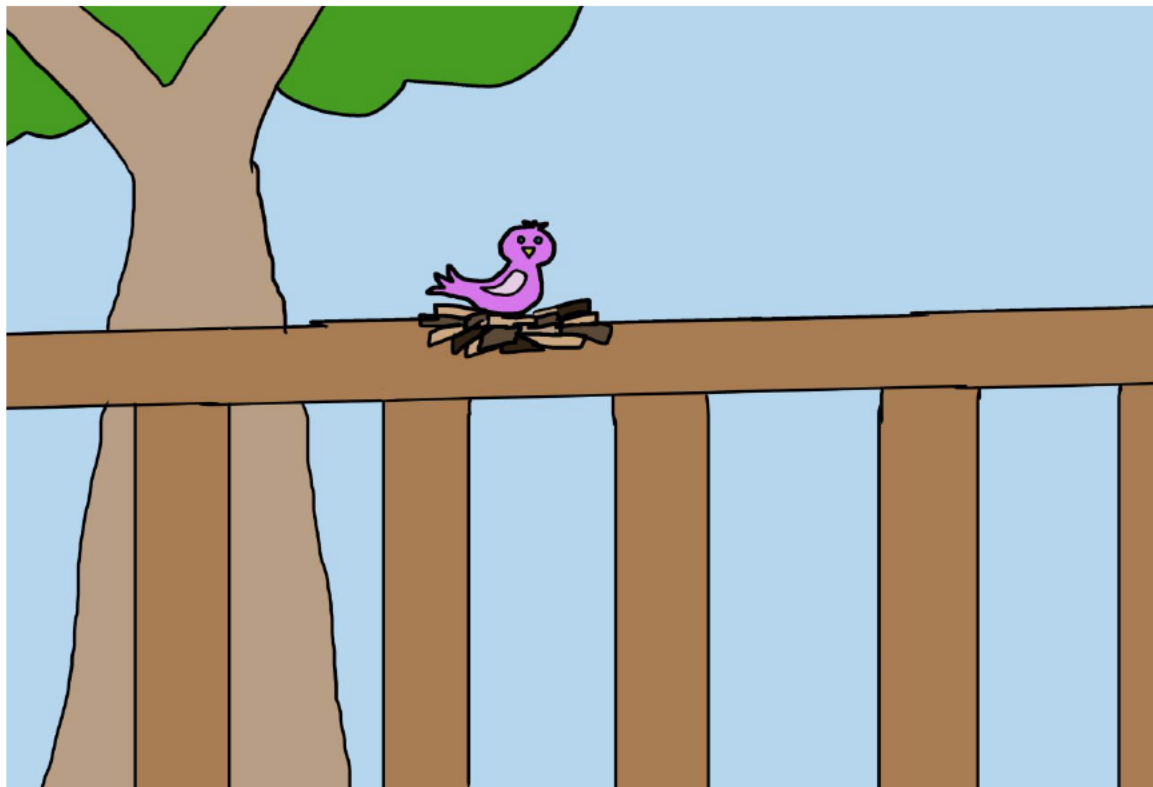


# My Bird Barb

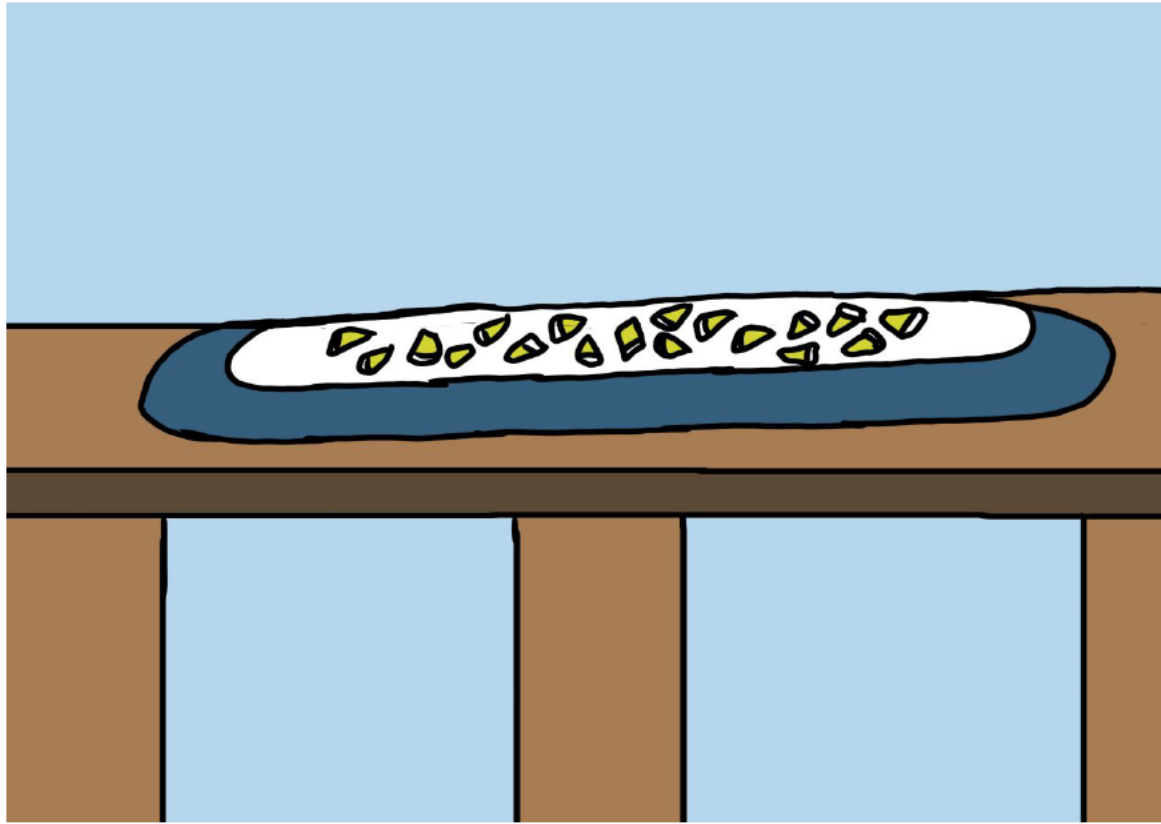
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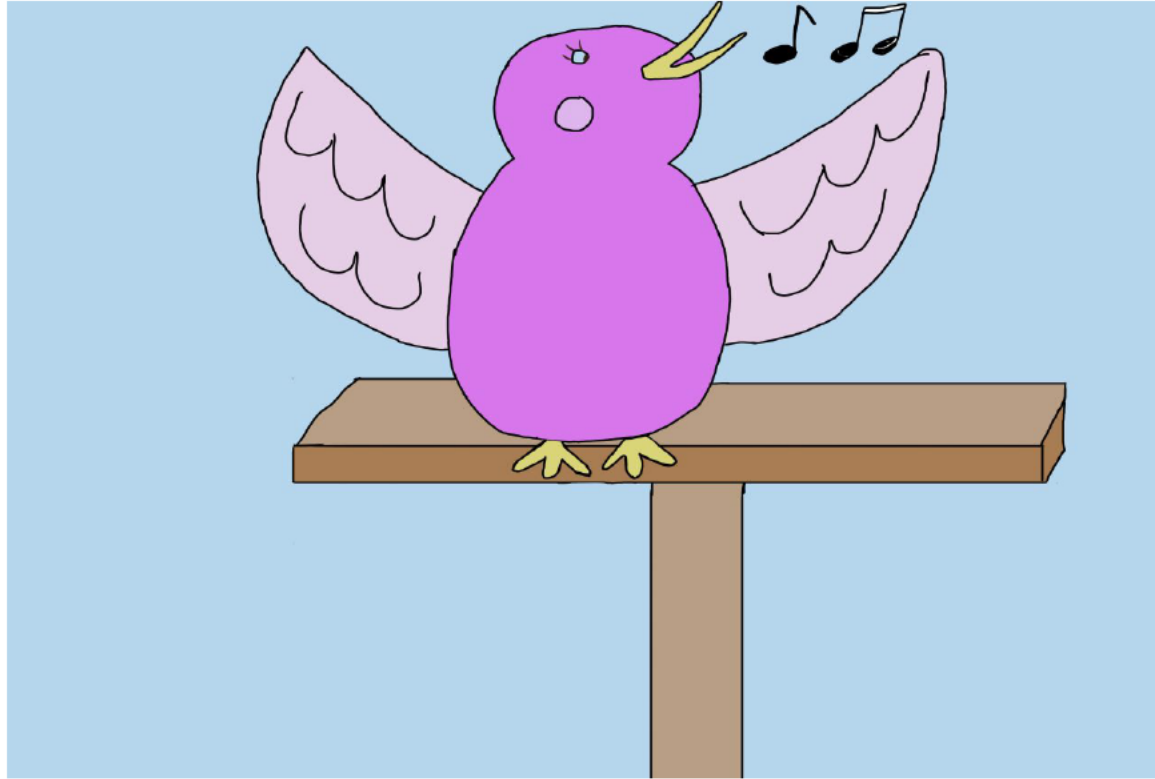
My bird was born on the  
farm porch.



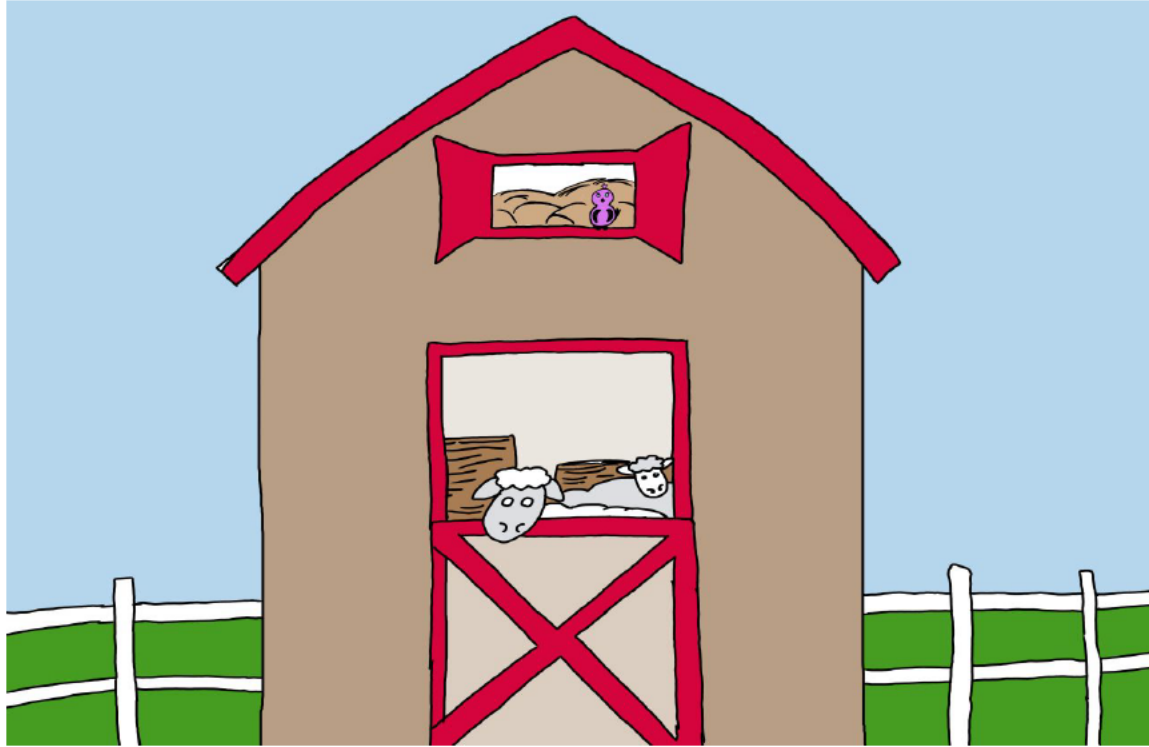
**Her name is Barb.**



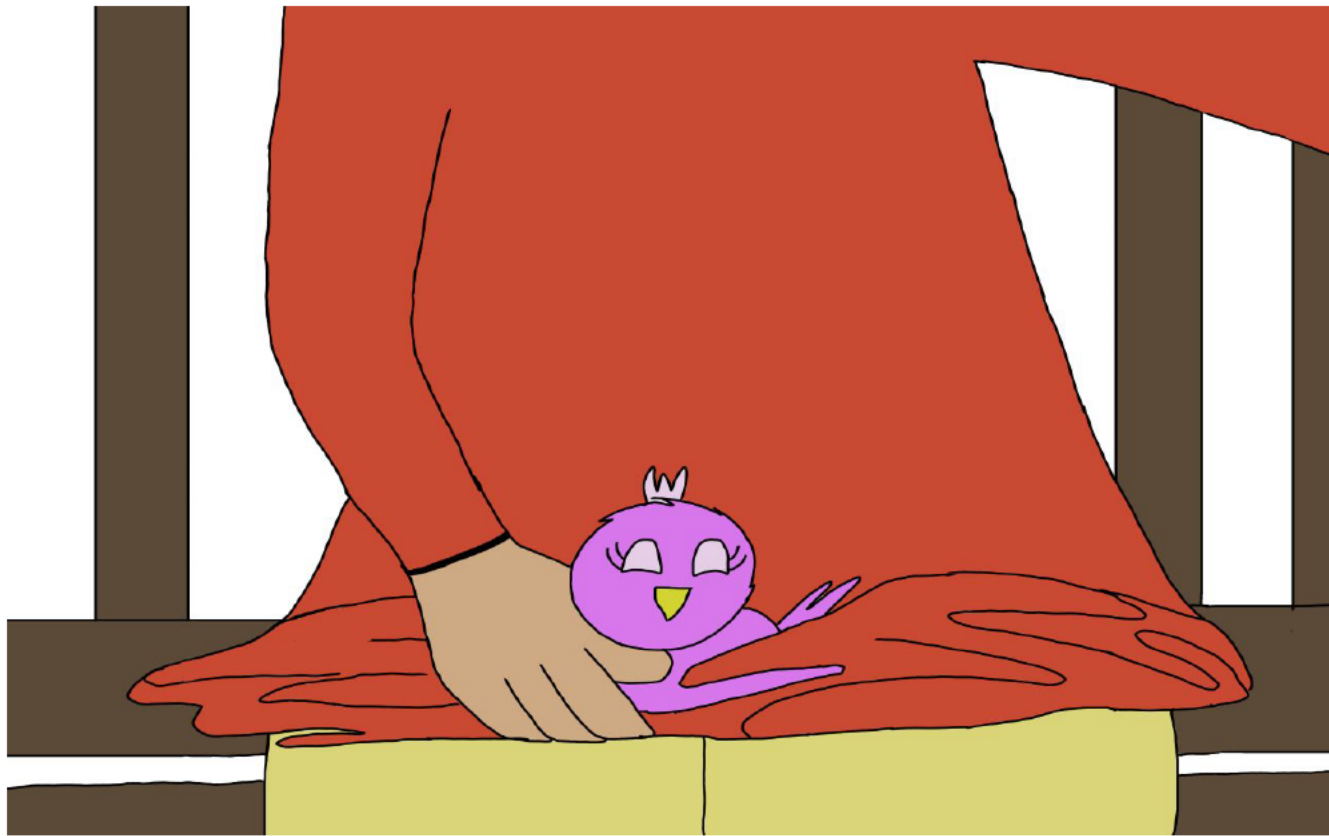
Barb eats a plate of corn to start the day.



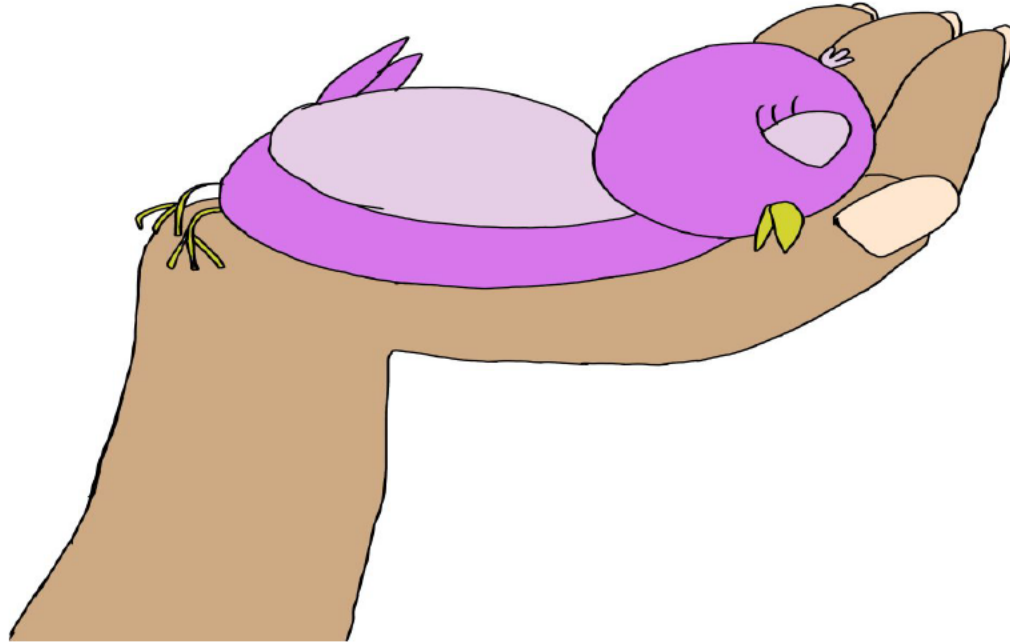
**Then Barb sits on her perch and gives a sharp chirp.**



Each day on the farm, she wakes up  
all the sheep in the barn.

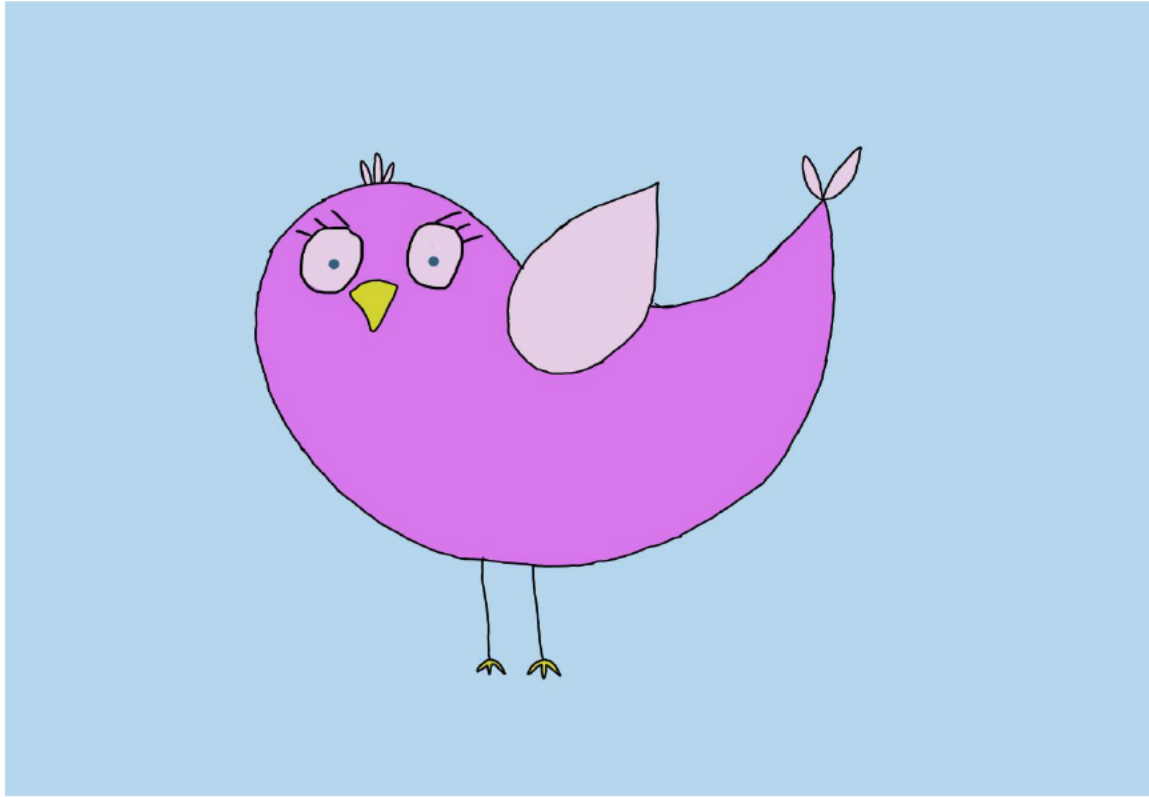


**Barb likes to take short naps  
in my shirt.**



On hot days, she sleeps in my  
hand.





**Barb the bird is my best friend.**

Green level  
Long vowel sounds  
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