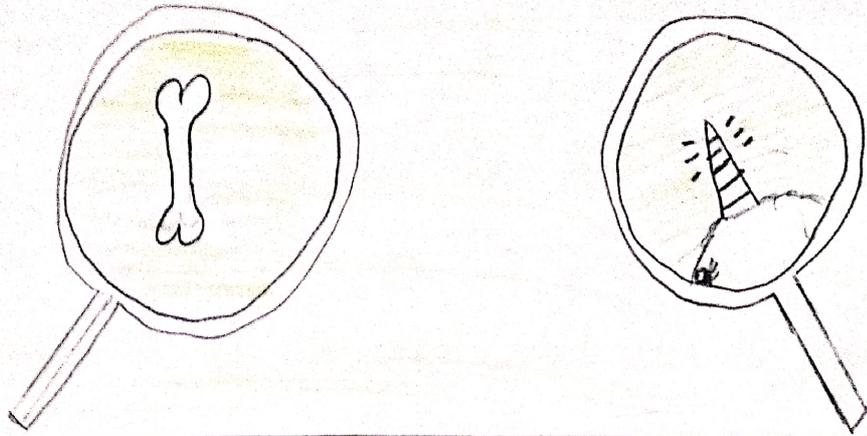


Indu, Pip and the Double Coince



It was a bright sunny morning as the sun was making its first attempt at shining after the long and dark winter. Inquisitive Indu was skipping towards the magical creature sanctuary to meet her friend Aliya, who was the owner of the sanctuary. When she reached, she stopped by to count the number of dragons when she heard footsteps. She turned around to see Aliya running towards her, a bag full of squirming piscies dangling from her neck.

"Indu! One of our unicorns is missing!" she cried, a worried expression spread across her face. Indu immediately pulled out her notebook from her pocket and started jotting down notes.

"What color is it? Is it a baby or adult? Is it tall or short?" she asked until Aliya gave the full description of the unicorn. "When was the last time you saw it?" Indu interrogated.

"I think it was before I went to feed the ogres."
Aliya replied.



After that Indu set off, but when she was at the entrance of the sanctuary, she found herself face to face with Mr. Ridley, the museum manager. Today the manager was worried. "Help!!" he yelled at the top of his lungs. "A thief has entered the museum!". As Indu rushed to calm him down, she found out that one of the sixteen dinosaur bones was missing. "The T-Rex is about to collapse and it would take MONTHS to rebuild it." he sobbed. "Don't worry. I'll find the thief and get the bone back to the museum." Indu promised.

Indu was walking towards her house, trying to find something suspicious. But the problem was if you're trying to find something suspicious, everything looks suspicious. Even the dirt on the pavement can cook up a story. "Psst," someone said. Indu turned around to see... no one. "Over here!" the voice was from Indu's pocket. She reached her hand into the

small hole and extracted ^{it} and there, sitting on her hand was a tiny piece dressed in purple from head to toe. "Hello, I'm Pip!" it said. "How did you get in my pocket?" Indu asked. "I sneaked out of the sanctuary." she replied "Anyway, I saw the unicorn theft and I have 2 suspects: Jack Stone and Liam Mcruitt." Indu was confused "Jack Stone, the dragon groomer? Why would he steal unicorns?" "He started breeding unicorns lately and he got one yesterday." Pip said. "Right, we're off to Jack's," Indu replied

Jack's house was painted red with a mural of flames at the front. Pip got on Indu's shoulder and rang the bell. "Well, hello!" Jack said as he opened the door. A dinosaur bone was being polished. "Hey, it's the museum dino-bone!" Pip cried. There was neigh and a magnificent unicorn stepped in. "The missing unicorn!" Indu said. "Why did you steal them?" Pip questioned. "My brother's birthday is tomorrow, and he loves unicorns and dinosaurs. I knew Aliya and Mr. Ridley wouldn't let me have them so I stole instead." he said. Now that the mystery was solved, everything was smooth as Jack realized his mistake and returned the unicorn and the bone and Indu chose Pip as her partner in **THE END** solving crimes.