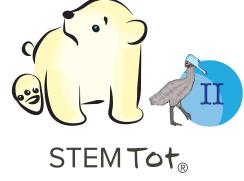


Qila is back home under the thick Arctic ice. Nanook is happy to be back home too. "This ice is nice," they say to their moms.

## THIS ICE IS NICE





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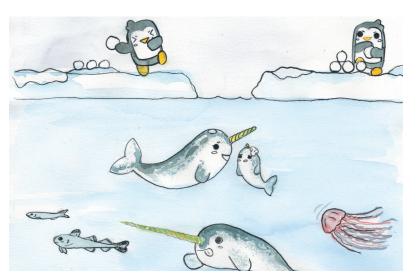
Qila lost her pod and was all alone. She heard a loud crack and a splash! Nanook fell into the icy sea. Orcas were near.



Nanook, a baby polar bear, loves his icy home. But, he wishes he had some dirt to dig in too.

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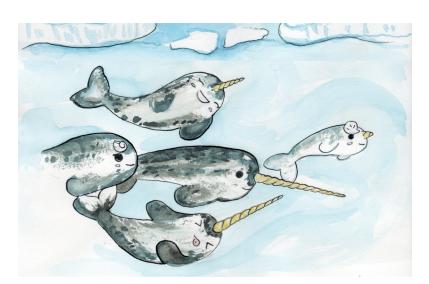
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Qila, a baby narwhal, loves her arctic home. But, oh, how she wishes she could roam.



I know what to do!" said Nanook. He gave Qila a big bear hug. His white fur looked like the ice and hid them from the orcas.



One day, Qila's pod swam far out to sea. With no thick ice, she finally felt free.



Nanook left home to find the edge of the ice. He walked and he walked.

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