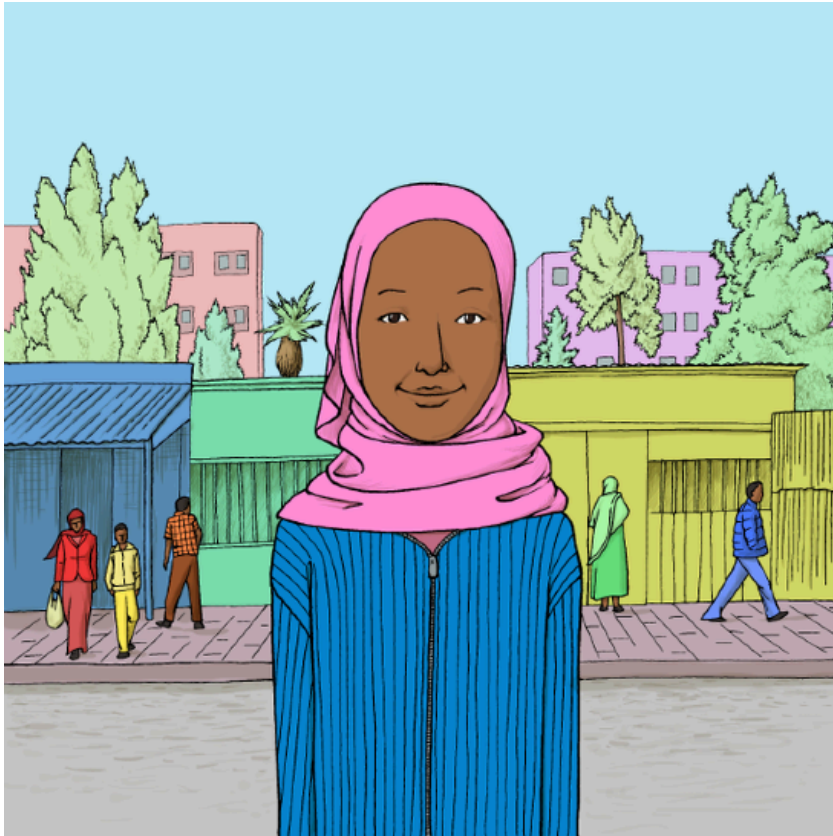


# Furaha and her animals

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Furaha and her family live in Rubavu a busy town in Rwanda. Furaha is a Grade 3 student. She is good-hearted and wise.



Furaha loves animals. She has a cat, two hens, a goat and a dove.

She spends time with these animals, feeding them, and playing with them.



One day, Furaha was playing in the school yard with her friends. She noticed some children throwing stones at doves." Why are they hurting the doves?" she asked herself.



She stopped playing and ran towards the children who were throwing stones. At first her friends didn't understand what was happening, then they followed her. "Stop throwing stones!" shouted Furaha.



The other children ran away. Furaha caught the two injured doves. She saw wounds on their wings. She decided to take the two doves home to look after them.



She fed the doves. In the evening she told her family about how she saved the doves.





In the morning, Furaha and her parents went to the clinic and got medicine for the doves.

After a few days, the doves' wounds healed. Furaha felt very happy.





Furaha always tells her friends, "I love animals. Animals help us and they are our friends. We must protect and preserve them."

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