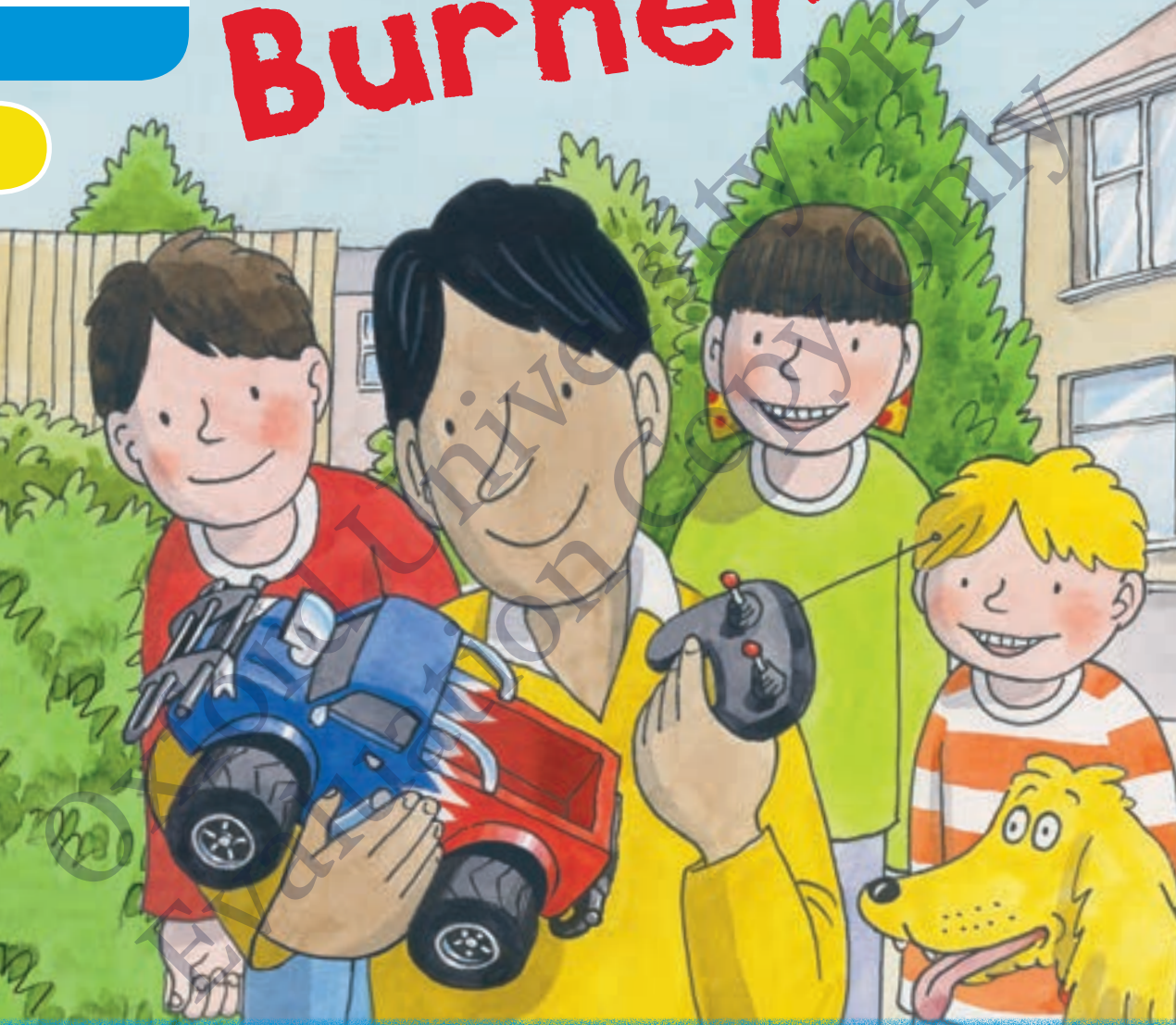


Road Burner



Series created by Roderick Hunt and Alex Brychta



Written by Roderick Hunt

Illustrated by Nick Schon, based on the original characters created by Roderick Hunt and Alex Brychta

BEFORE READING

Talk together

- Read the title together and look at the cover picture. Ask: *What do you think a 'Road Burner' is? Why might it be called a 'Road Burner'?*
- Talk about any favourite toys that your child has or favourite games that your child likes to play.
- Look through the book and talk about the pictures.

About the words in this book

- Your child should be able to sound out and blend some words, which may include:

**then for look too car
zoom road need hear turn**

- Some words may be more challenging. Encourage or model blending, then read the words below to your child if necessary.

**he we me was
you they birthday
called said yelled
wallet it's saw**



DURING READING

Enjoy the story together.

If your child needs support to read the words:

- Ask your child to point from left to right under each word whilst reading.
- Model how to sound out and blend new words if necessary.
- If a word is still too tricky, simply say the whole word for your child.
- Use the pictures to talk about the story and learn the meaning of new words.



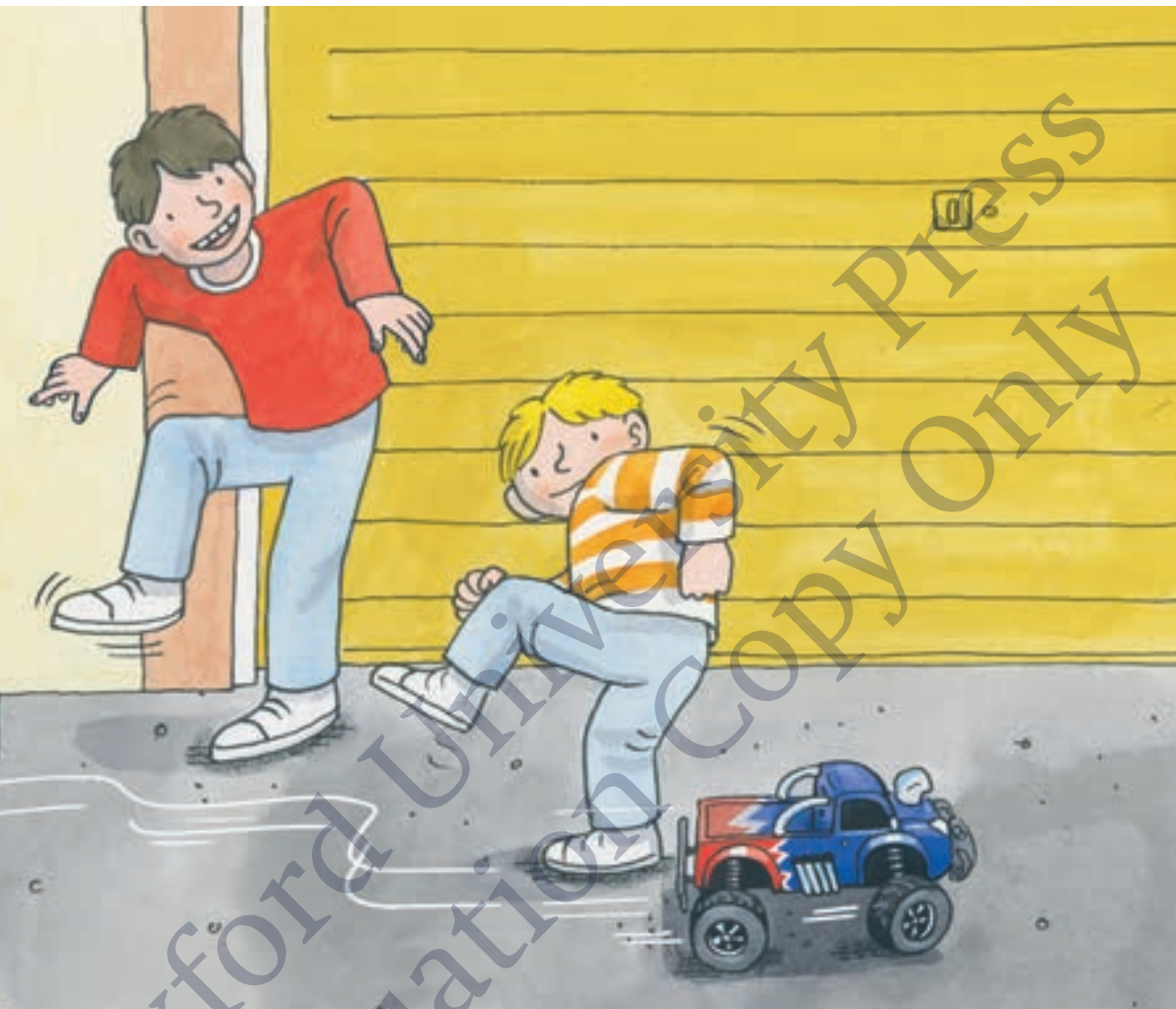
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Nadim had a car for his birthday.



“It’s called the Road Burner,”
he said. “It can go fast!”



“Wow! It can zoom!”
said Kipper.



The children had a go.



“It is hard to turn,” said Chip,
“if you go too fast.”



A man went past on a scooter.



His wallet fell out of his pocket.



The children saw the wallet.
“We need to stop him,” said Biff.



“Stop!” they yelled.

“He cannot hear us,” said Chip.



But the man did not stop.
He did not look back.



Nadim had a plan.



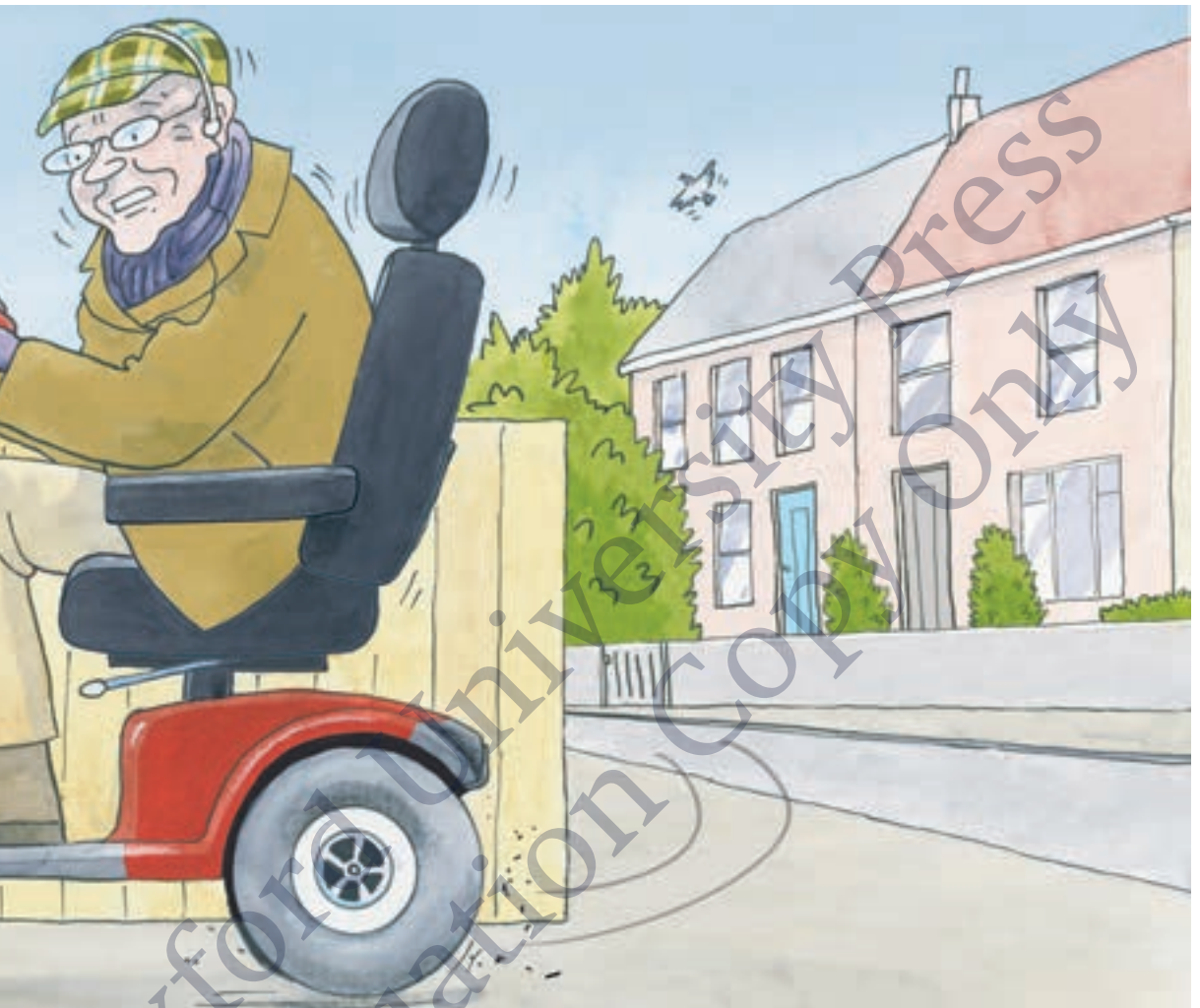
He put the wallet on the
Road Burner.



Then he sent it off.



The scooter was fast, but
the Road Burner was faster.



The man saw his wallet
on the Road Burner.



“Thank you,” he said.

“You did me a good turn.”

AFTER READING

- Turn to page 10 and ask: *Why didn't the man stop to get his wallet?*
- Look at page 11 and ask: *What was Nadim's plan?*
- At the end, ask: *Do you think 'Road Burner' is a good name for Nadim's car? Talk about how fast it can go.*

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