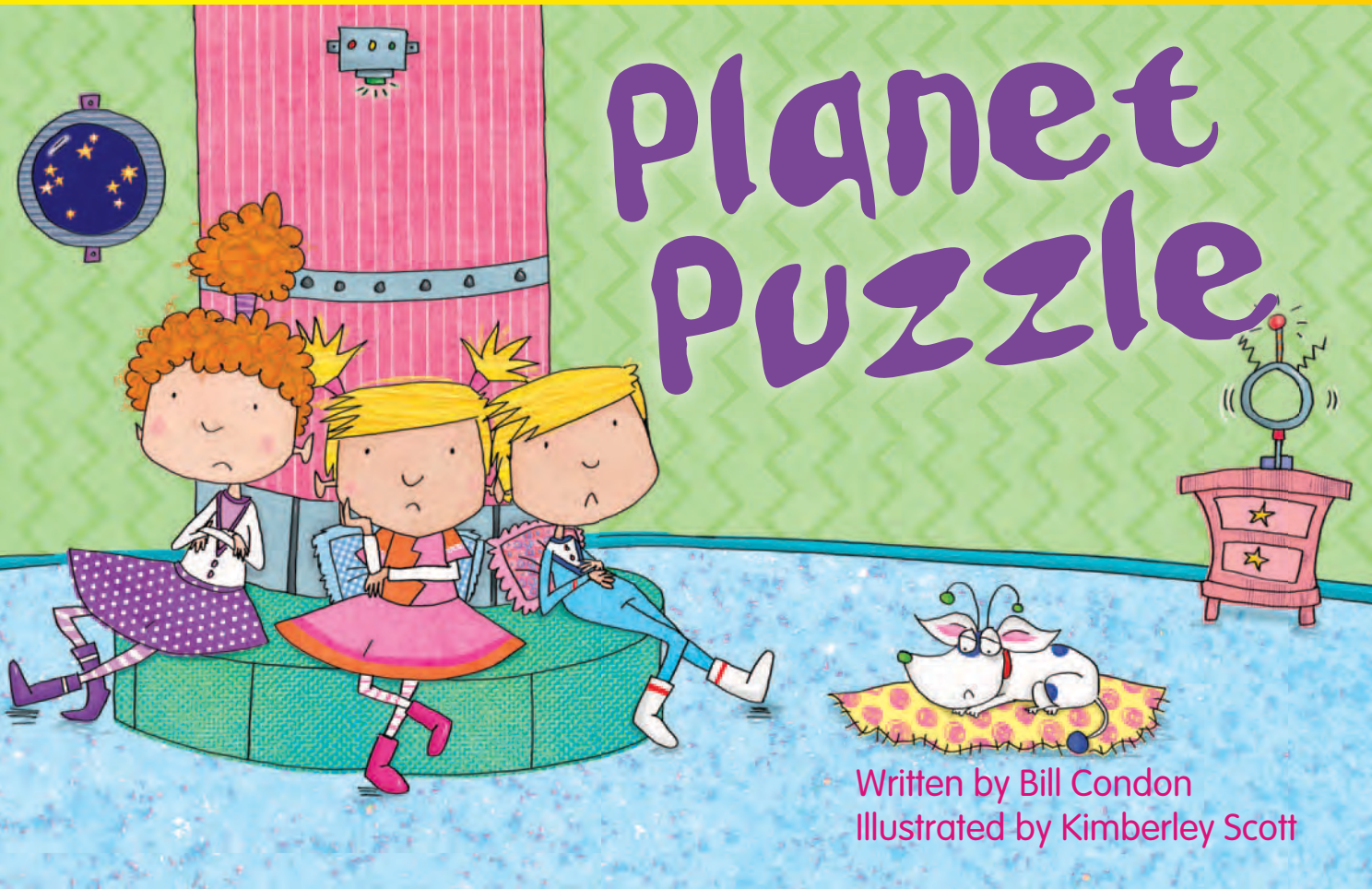

Planet Puzzle
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It's perfect weather for a picnic on Saturn! Robo-Pilot knows all the shortcuts. If we miss space jams and falling stars, we'll be there in a wink and a blink!



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Papa grins. "You won't be bored today, kids, because we're going to play Planet Puzzle!" A huge round planet appears on a screen. It's called Earth.

"Twenty points for each correct answer and the first to a hundred wins a trip to a moon with a ride on the Lunar Leap!" Mama says.

"First question—what is all that blue you see on Earth?" asks Mama.

Amarissa quickly says, "Blue paint!"

"No, absolutely wrong!"

"Blue cheese?"

"No, Amarissa," says Mama.

"Can you give us a clue?" asks Zachariah.

"Okay. It starts with *W*."



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"Blue whales?"

"No."

"Blue wwww. . .woodpeckers?"

"Nice try, Zachariah. But no."

Zachariah and Amarissa are my brother and sister. I'm a year older, which means I'm also a year smarter. "My turn," I say. "This needs brains."

"So how are you going to answer it?" asks Amarissa. The twins giggle, but I'll show them!

