



# Asnath Mahapa, mosadi wa mofofiši

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Lebo o boledišana le moKapteni Asnath  
Mahapa go ngwala ka makasining wa sekolo.  
Yena o thabetše go kopana le mofofiši yo wa  
go tsebega gohle.

“Thobela. Ke a le amogela poledišanong ya  
rena, Kapteni Asnath!” gwa realo Lebo.

“Thobela, Lebo. Le nna ke thabela go ba le  
wena. Nke o mpitše Asnath,” gwa fetola Moh.  
Asnath.



"Na Asnath ke mang?" gwa botšiša Lebo.

Asnath a re, "Ke belegwe ka 1979 kua Profenseng ya Limpopo, go la Afrika Borwa.

Ge re gola re be re se na dipompi tša meetse ka magaeng gape re šomiša dikerese go dira mošomo wa sekolo."



"Bjale lerato la go fofiša difofane le thomile neng?" gwa botšiša Lebo.

"Taba yeo e be e le toro fela. Ge ke na le mengwaga ye 13, ke ile ka thoma go ba le kgahlego ya difofane.

Kua sekolong ka thoma go bala dimakasine tša bofofiši.

Ya ba ge ke thomile," gwa gopola Asnath.



"Bjale taba yeo ya gola bjang?" gwa botšiša Lebo a ngwala fase.

"Ke be ke fela ke ipotšiša gore na go tla bjang gore sefofane, selo se segolo, sa boima, se kgone go fofa moyeng.

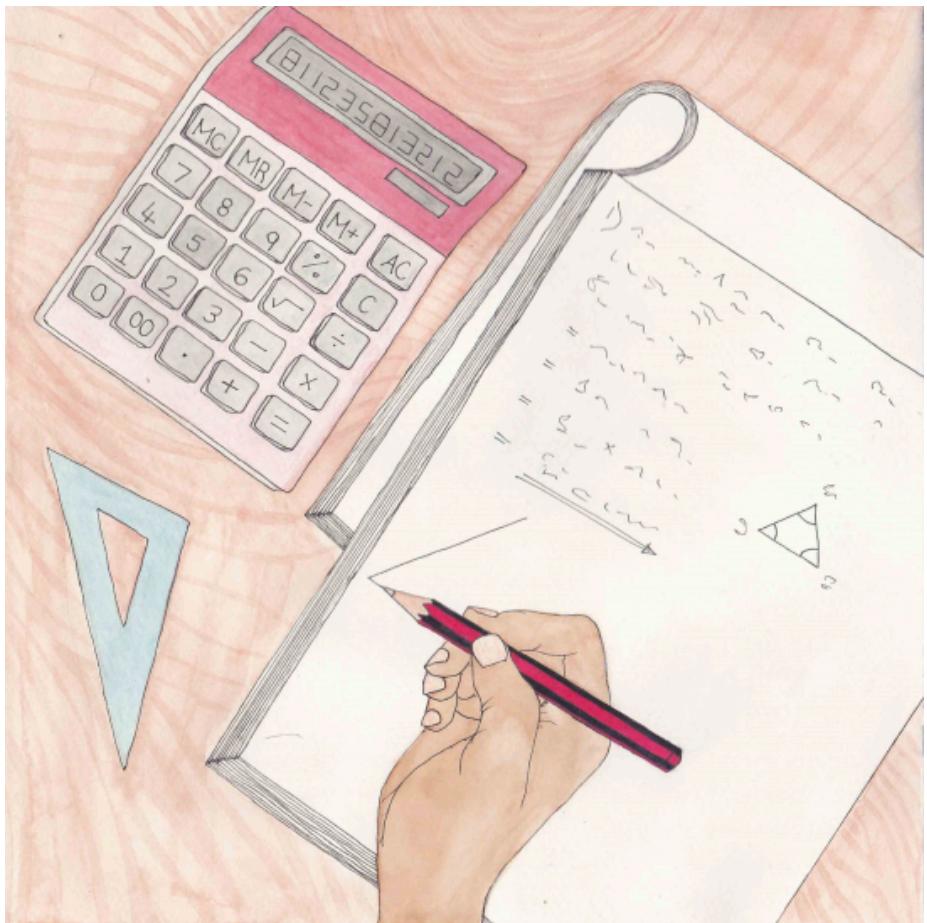
Ka nyaka gape go tseba gore di fofa bjang," gwa fetola Asnath.



"Na motho o swanetše go dira dithuto dife go ba mofofiši?" gwa botšiša Lebo.

Asnath a fetola a re, "Dipalo, Saense le Boentšeneere.

Morago ga moo o ithuta go fofiša sefofane lebaka le letelele pele o ka hwetše lengwalo la go ba mofofiši wa difofane."



Lebo a re, "Na dithuto tšeо di thuša ka eng mošomong wa lena?"

Asnath a re, "Dipalo di thuša ge o hlakantšha dinomoro ka sefaneng ge se fofa.

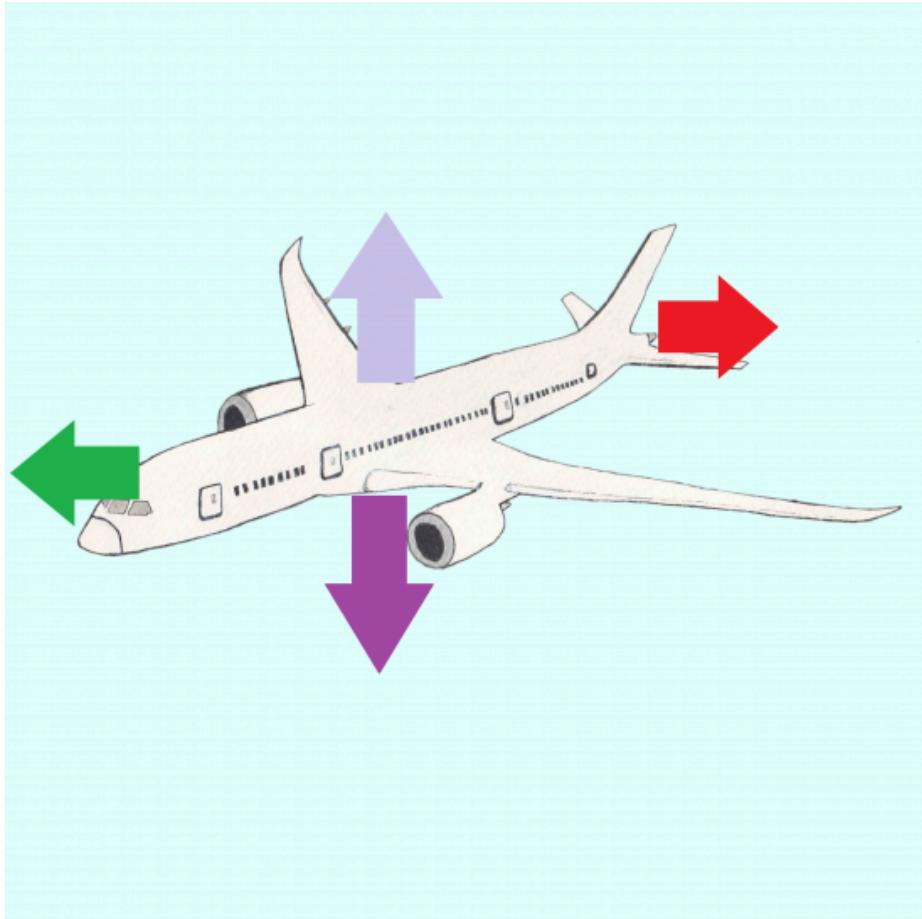
Ka Entšeneere o tseba bokagare bja sefaneng go kwešiša le go re se šoma bjang."



"Ee! Bjale ge le fofa la mathomo le be le ikwa bjang? Le be le sa tšhoga?" a realo Lebo.

Asnath a re, "Hei Lebo! Ke tšere matšatši ke sellega ge ke fofa. Efela ka se nyame.

Gabjale ke fofela dinageng tša ka ntle, ke ithuta ditšo tša go fapafapanana."



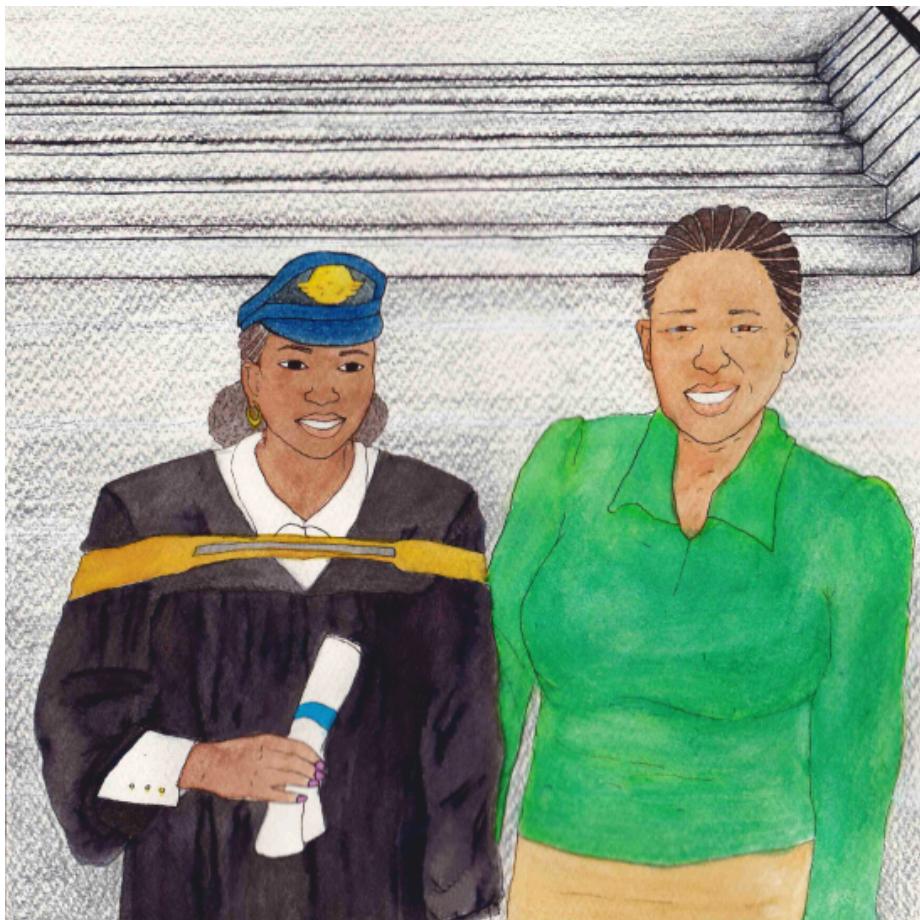
"Ke tshepa le ipshina ka seo! Bjale sefofane sona se fofa bjang?" Lebo a phegelela go tseba.

Asnath a hlaloša a re, "Moya o fofa diphegong wa kukela sefofane godimo. Maatla a go tšwa entšeneng a se iša pele, gomme sa fofa."



"Na mošomong wo le kopane le mathata afe?" gwa botšiša Lebo.

"Ke ile ka botšwa gore ke nna yo mokopana. Ba ntšhošetša ka go re mosadi a ka se šome mošomo wa banna. Gape ba re dithuto tša ka ga se tša maleba tša bofofiši."



Lebo a tšwela pele, "Na mathata ao le a fentše bjang?"

"Ke ile ka Iwantšha molao wa go gana batho ba seemo sa ka mošomong wo. Ka bušeletša dithuto gomme ka netefatša gore ke hwetša meputso ya godimo kudu.

Ka bontšha bokgoni bja basadi," a fetola ka go realo Asnath.



Lebo a dumela gomme Asnath a tšwela pele. "Ke ithutile go re ge o e na le maikemišetšo, o ka se palelwe.

Ka ithuta gape go re o se theeletše batho bao ba rego o ka se kgone. Go a kgonega go re basadi ba ka dira se sengwe le se sengwe seo banna ba se dirago," gwa fetola Asnath.

"Ke nnete seo!" Lebo a dumela.



"Na le ikgantšha ka eng?" gwa botšiša Lebo.

Asnath a re, "Ke be ke na le mengwaga ye 22 fela ge ke fihlelela go ba mosadi wa mothomoso wa mathomo wa go fofiša difofane.

Gape ke be ke le sehlopheng sa mathomo sa go fofiša sefofane re le basadi fela.

Ga bjale ke hlohleletša basetsana go latela dithuto tša Saense.



Lebo a fetša ka go re, "Ke rata go le leboga ge le kgonne go boledišana le nna.

Ge le kgonna go bontšha rena baswa go re ka maikemišetšo, motho a ka fofela godimo!"

Asnath a myemyela a re, "Le nna ke thabetše go boledišana le wena, Lebo.

## —Dipotšišo

1. Ke bo mang batho bao ba bolelago mo kanegelong gape ba bolela ka eng?
2. Naa ke ka baka la eng Lebo a dira poledišano ye?
3. Ke eng sa go dira gore Asnath a rate go ba mofofiši wa difofane?
4. Thala sefofane wena o le ka gare o le mofofiši wa sona.

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