

Rainbows in Windows

A book about
big imaginations,
big feelings,
and sheltering in place
during a pandemic.



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This book is dedicated to every hero
on the *frontlines* and every hero
sheltering at home.



You are all rainbows.

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Amos Brown *loves* the trees.



*Loves going
to school.*



Loves cartwheeling in the breeze.

But one morning
as he was getting ready to play...
His mom said,

*I'm sorry - But
we have to stay
inside today.*

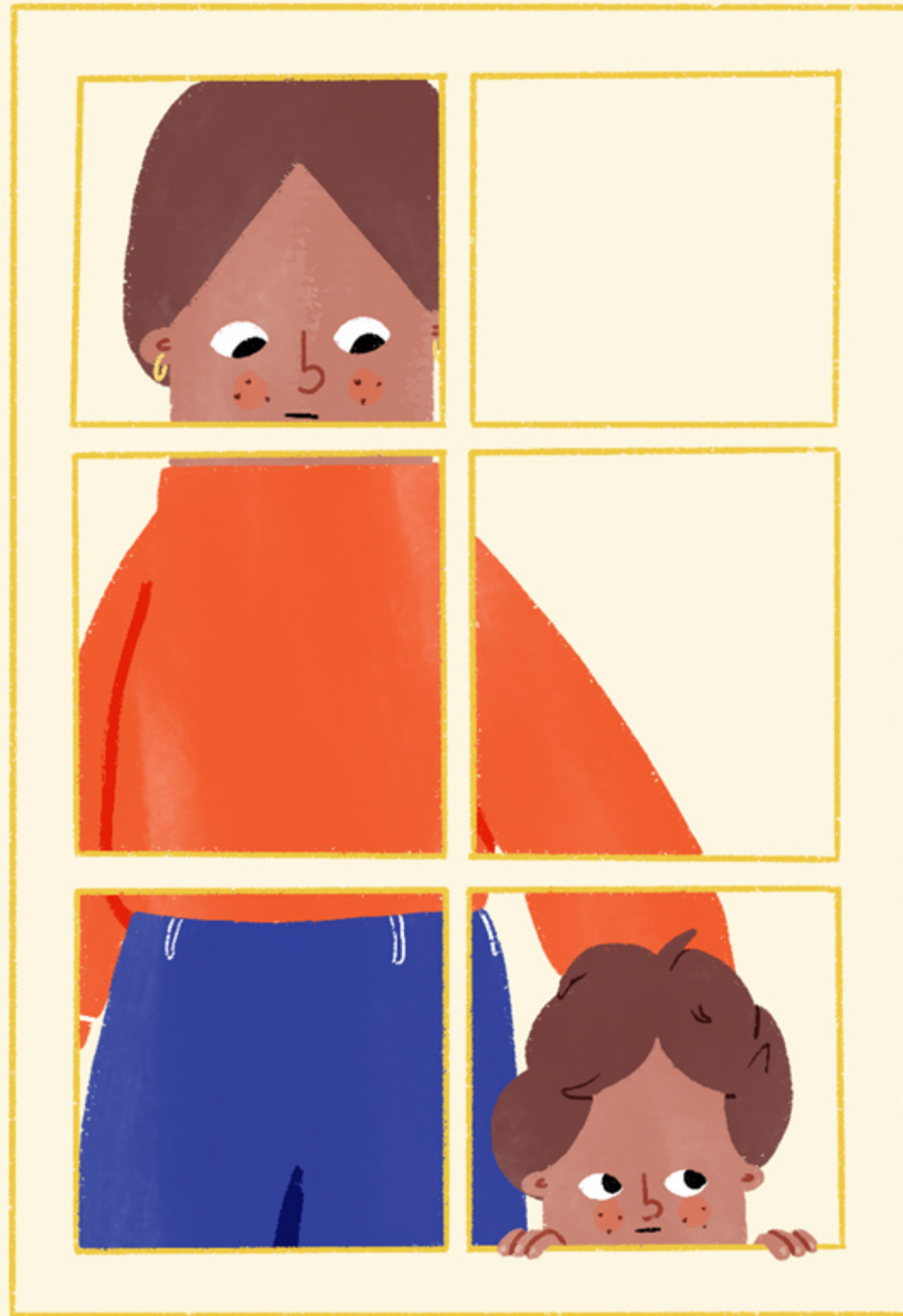


There's a rotten virus
outside *making so many*
sick.

It's name is *Covid-19*
and it's a tough bug
to kick.



So we have
to stay in...



...*and* be
kind.



...wash our
hands...



This won't last forever *but*
it's on *everyone's* mind.

Short walks
are OK.



We can wave
from afar.



But for the next *little while*,
we won't go very far.



That worried Amos
and filled him with fears.
To be stuck without friends
brought a cloud
full of tears.



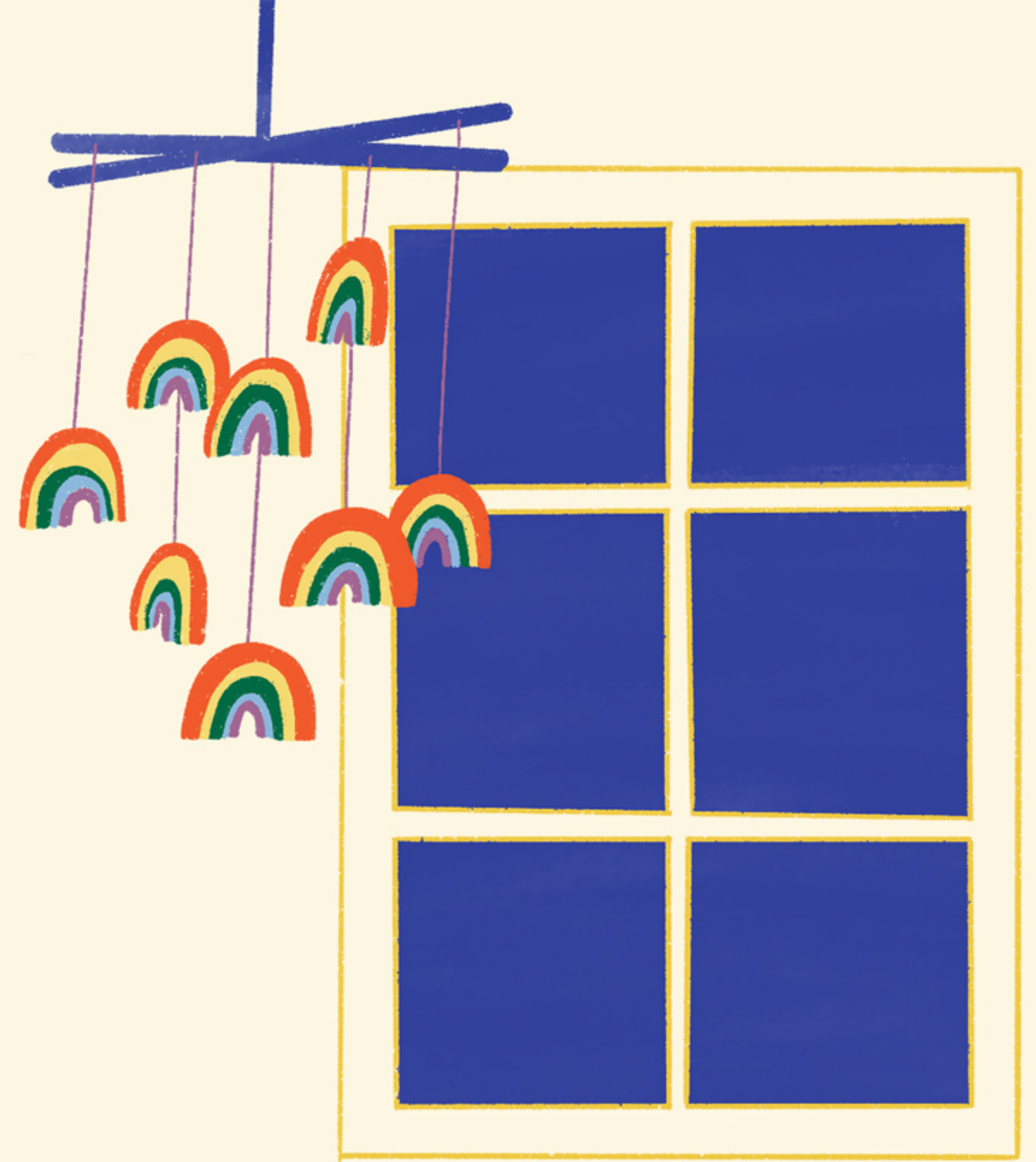


Sure.
He loved being at home.
Wearing PJs *all day*.



But it wasn't the same,
without friends that could play.

Amos's mom saw
that he was a bit down
in the dumps.



So she hatched
a quick plan
to get him over
these lumps.

She pulled out Amos's paints,
Then some fun paper, too.
And together made a rainbow
With their scissors and glue.



When they were all done,
she gave Amos a kiss
and said,



“Let’s put this in our
window where it’s
impossible to miss.”



See, staying at home
is hard for *adults too*.
We like being outside
and seeing friends.
Just *like you*.





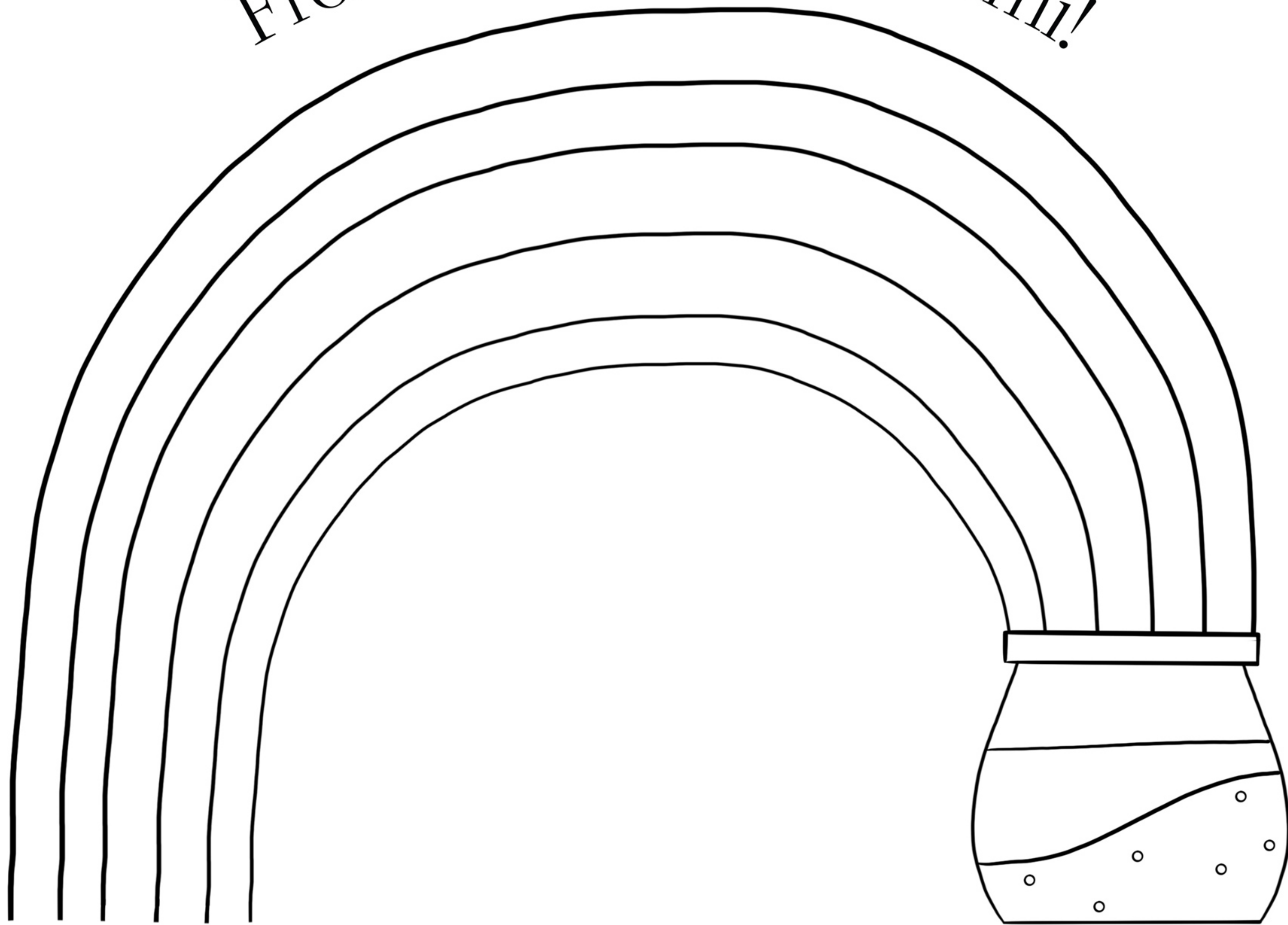
Rainbows
in windows
will help everyone
feel less blue.





So if you're like Amos and you feel stuck at home, let's make rainbows together to feel less alone.

From your friends at Yumi!





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