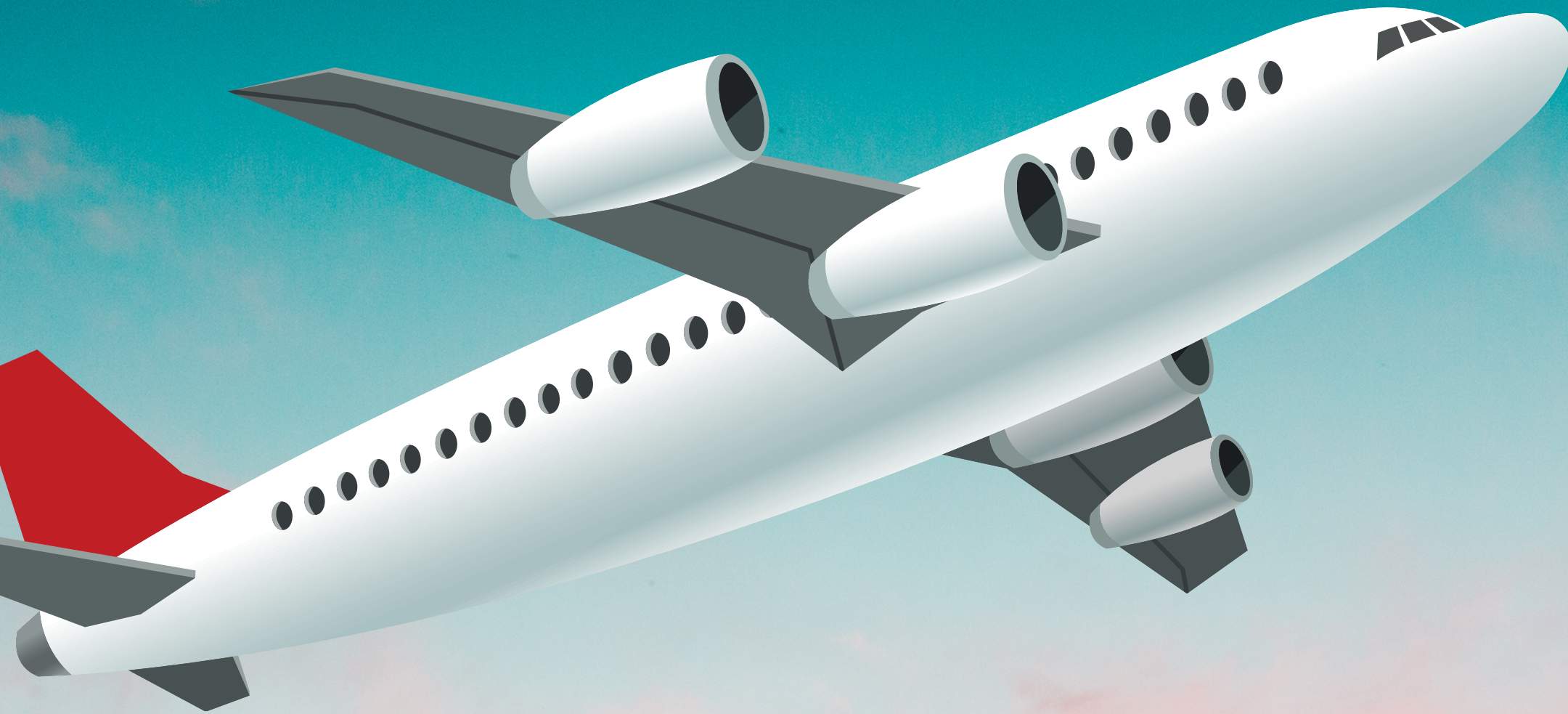


An Irish Migration



By Eoin Braid

For Mum

**Twenty years of a new life I'm
star-struck, twenty years of a grand
new home. Twenty years of Australia.**



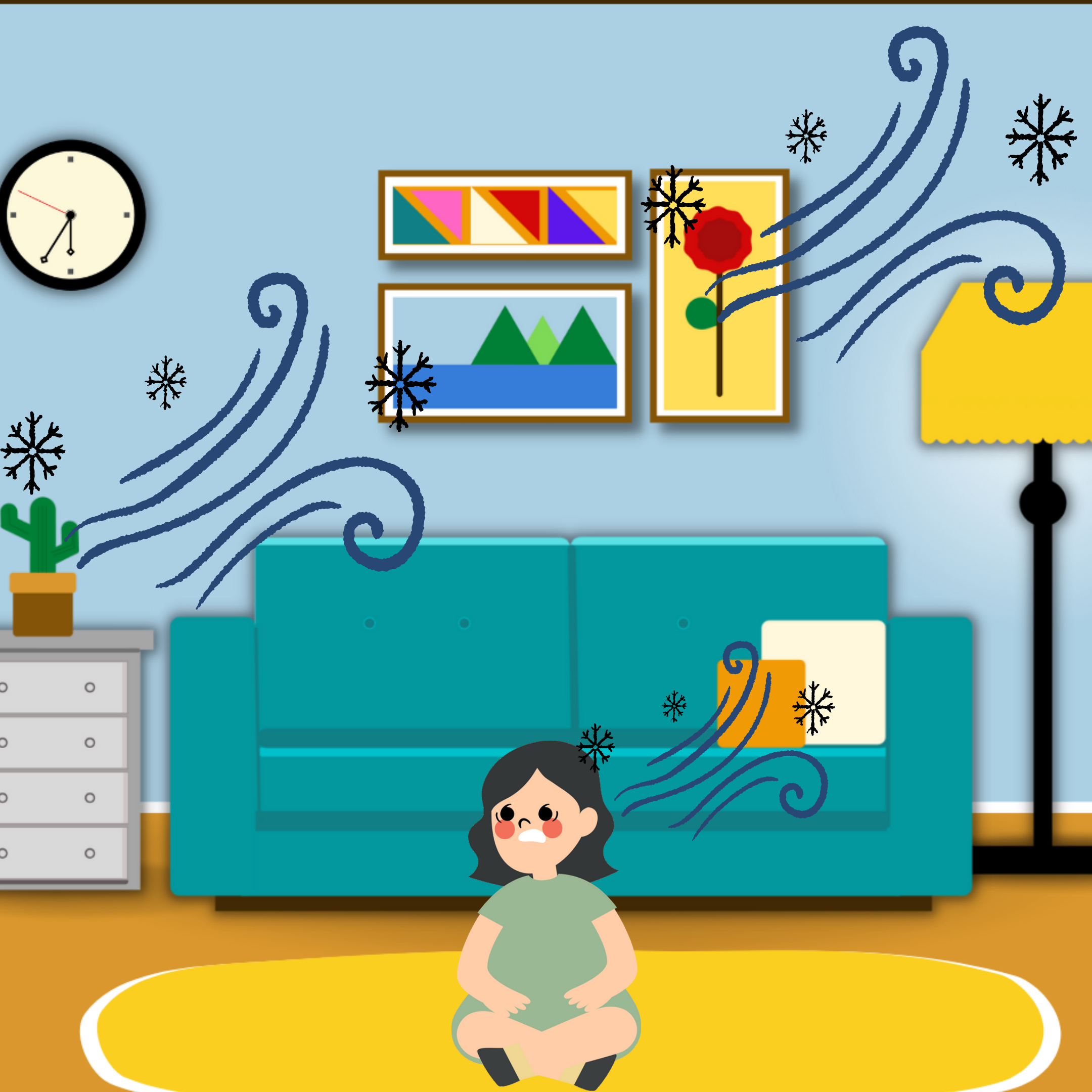
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**Powerful tears of joy poured down
my face Like all the rain that
pounded my home day and night. My
true home, Ireland**



**I head outside to a chilling breeze
and I start to shiver. I was freezing
for the first time in forever. Like the
deathly cold days at home.**



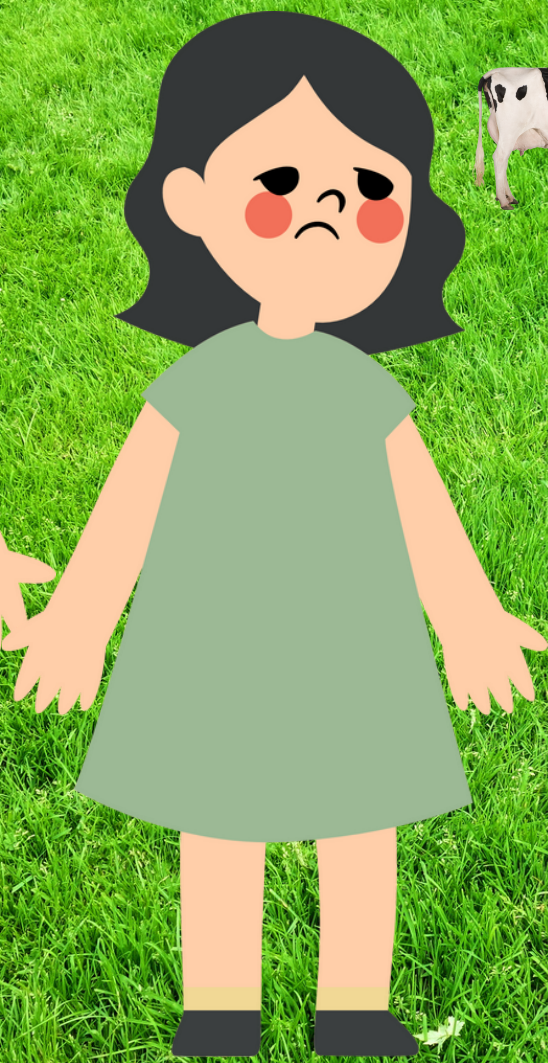
I rush inside to see a photo of my family, I miss them all. Especcially my loving dad. I adore him and wish he was here by my side.



Me and my dad were inseparable like peanut butter and jelly. But when my handsome boyfriend Tony asked me to live in Australia for just a month I was torn.

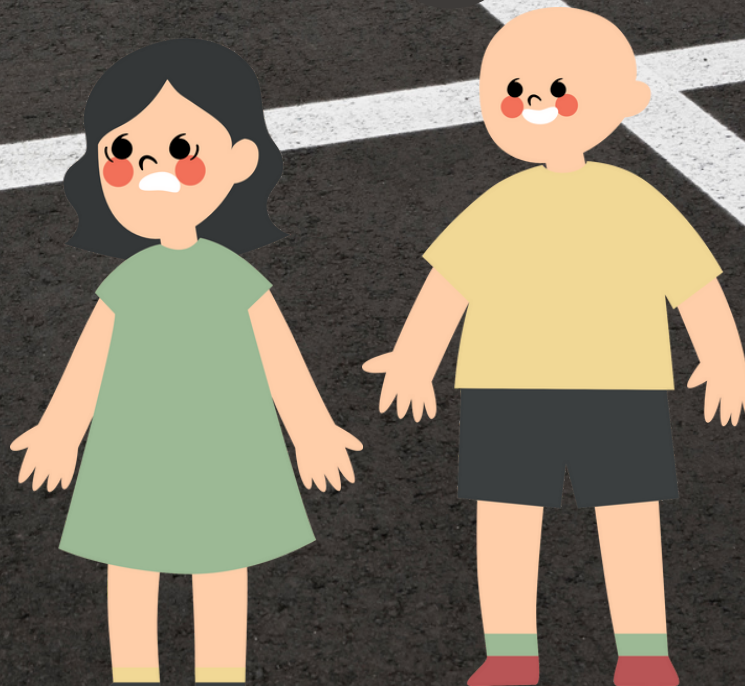
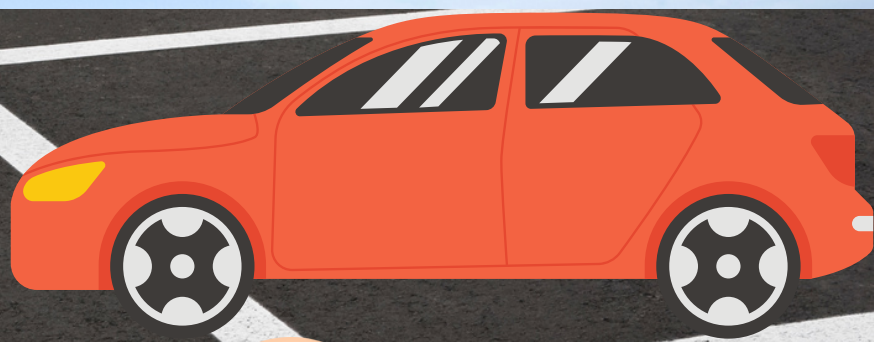


"Goodbye!"



**Me and Tony scrambled from airport
to airport with no time to spare. I was
only planning to stay for a month
but I was still so nervous. It was all so
fast I can't even remember it.**

Besides The Plane!



**Remembering coming to Australia
always sent a chill down my spine. As
the plane soared through the
endless night sky I felt like I hadn't
eaten in months. I was as weak as a
crushed ant.**



**But finally the nightmare was over
as we landed all the way down under.
I bolted out of the plane and threw
up all my nerves. I didn't know it then
but I had just barfed in my new
home.**



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I stayed for a month and it was the best time of my life! I loved it, I just couldn't get enough so I stayed for longer and longer.

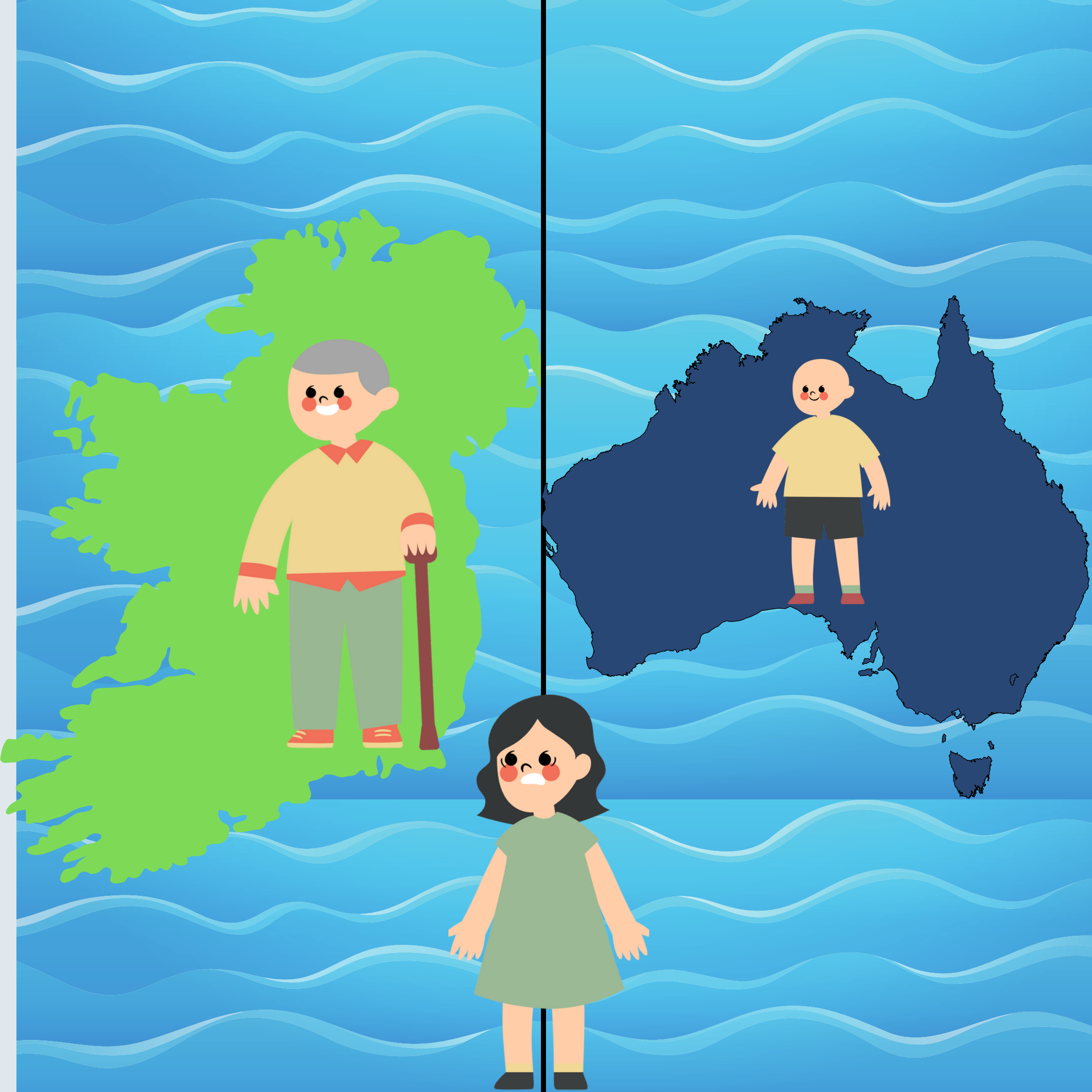


This Is
AMAZING!



HaHa

But eventually a life changing decision came my way. Do I stay in Australia and live there for the foreseeable future. Or do I go back home.



**Twenty years later and I'm still here
Crying at my own anniversary party.
In Australia, home.**



IRISH MIGRATION

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Eoin Braid is a twelve year old student who has written this book for his Mother, Orla the main charecter in AN Irish Migration. It is a true story and he looks foward to making more books.

On her twentieth anniversary of her migration, Orla remembers her journey and her home. In this heartwarming true story join Orla as she shares her Irish Migration!

