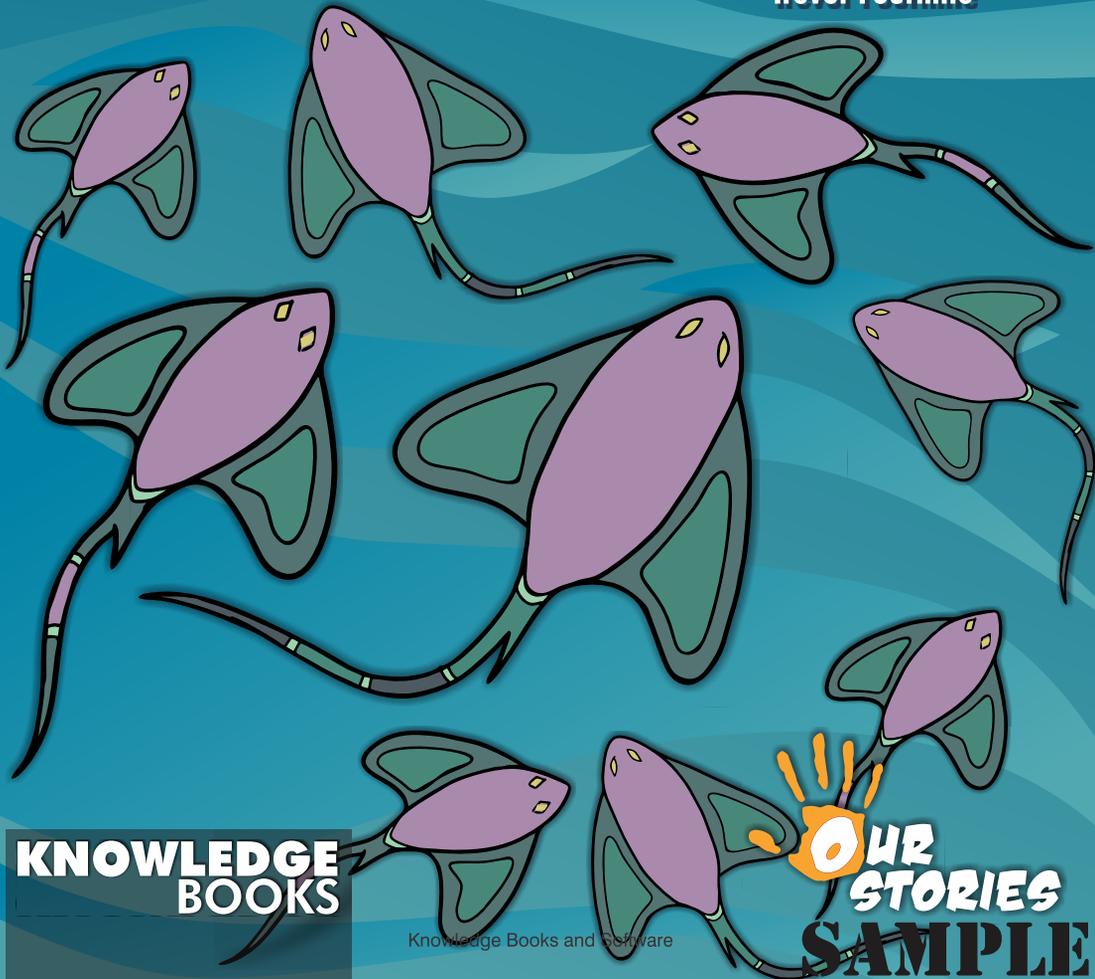


Burinyi

The Great Barrier Reef

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SAMPLE

In the beginning of our storytime, our First Nations people told an important creation story. This story was about a hunting and fishing clan. This clan was special because everyone looked after each other.



Everyone had important roles in this clan. Some would fish and some would hunt. Some would teach the ways of their lore to others. Nobody ever went hungry. However, the clan was worried. Their land was starting to dry out. Food was getting harder to find.





Gunya was a great warrior from this clan. He saw the problems and decided to do something. He needed to find food for his clan. The next day, Gunya got up at sunrise with his wife. He grabbed his special curved woomera (Balur).



Gunya whispered to his special woomera. Suddenly, the water became very calm. Gunya and his wife then paddled out in their canoe. They hoped to catch lots of fish for their clan.