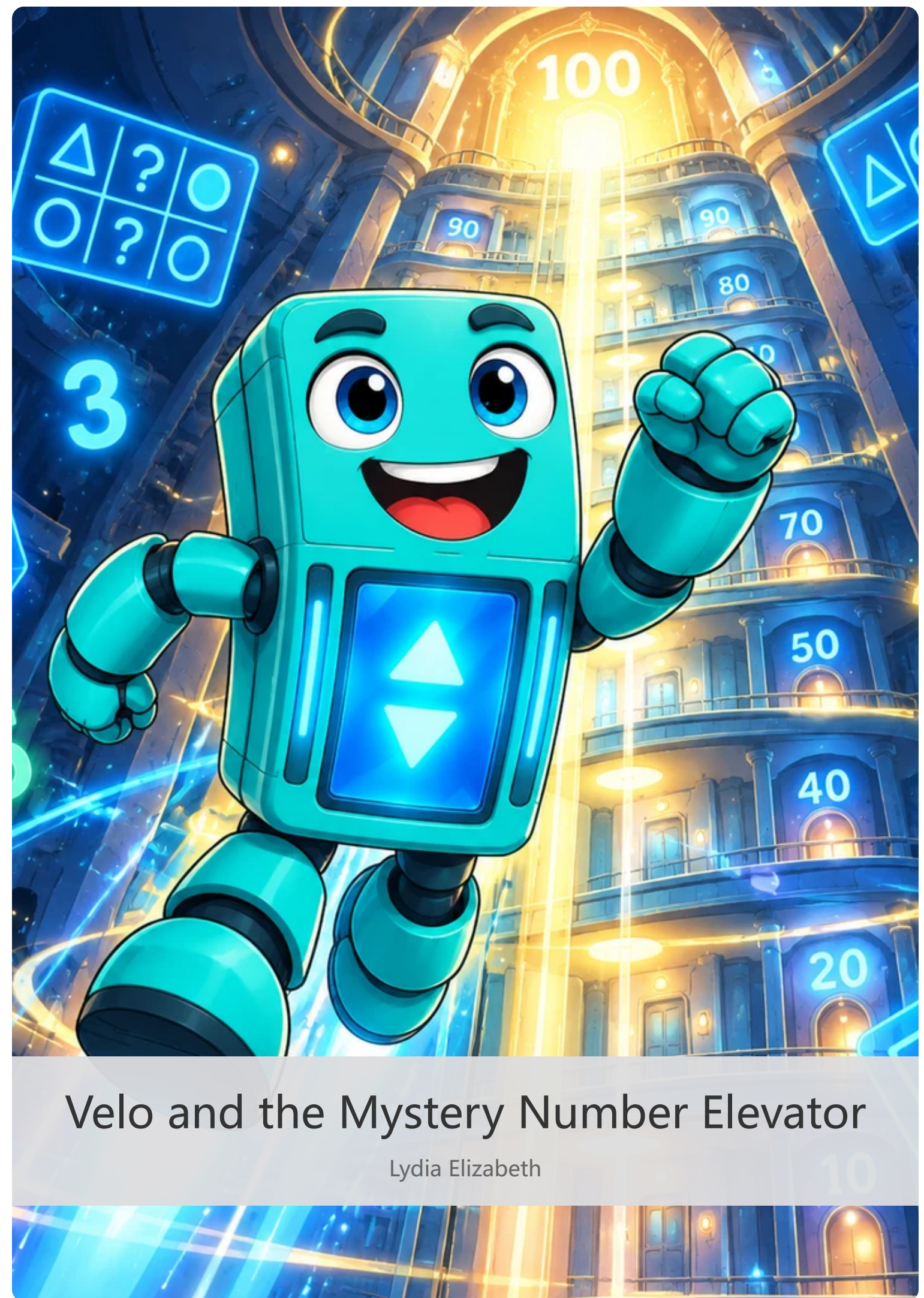
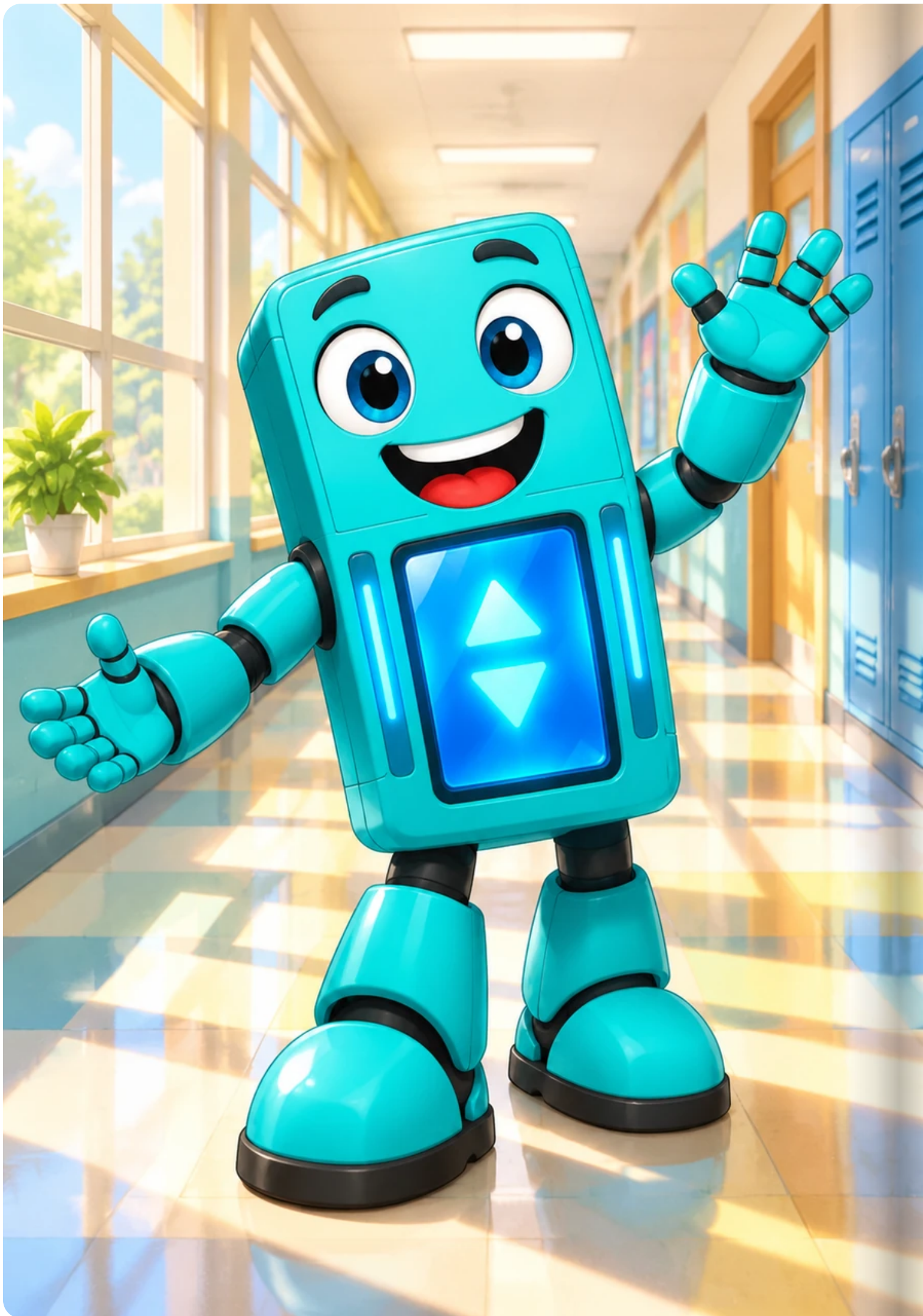




Velo and the Mystery Number Elevator

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High up in the sunshine-filled hallway of the school stands Velo, a cheerful 3D teal elevator with a giant warm smile. Velo loves numbers more than anything else in the world, and today he has a special secret to share. He waves his robotic arms happily, inviting all young mathematicians to join him on an exciting floor-by-floor adventure.



With a gentle chime, Velo's shiny digital screen flashes to life, sparkling with bright blue energy. The hallway fills with eager excitement as everyone gathers around to see where the magic journey will lead. Velo hums a happy tune, getting ready to lift off into the world of mystery numbers.



Smoothly rising upward, Velo travels from floor to floor as bright numbers light up on his screen one by one. Ten, twenty, thirty, and forty glow in radiant colors as he glides higher into the air. Velo encourages everyone to watch closely and notice the rhythmic pattern of his journey.



Suddenly, Velo comes to a gentle stop, and a giant shimmering question mark bounces on his display screen. What number could possibly come after forty? After a brief and quiet pause, the question mark transforms into a gleaming golden fifty, bursting with tiny sparks of light.



The adventure moves even higher, and Velo decides it is time for an extra fun challenge. His screen shows thirty, forty, and fifty, followed by two blinking question marks waiting to be solved. Velo tilts his head playfully, eager to see who can guess the next two steps in the sequence.



With a cheerful chime, sixty and seventy pop up side by side in brilliant golden light. Velo does a tiny spin of joy as the correct numbers light up the screen. Learning to count by tens feels like solving a grand puzzle together.



Next, Velo activates his super boost, zooming upward along a towering ladder of glowing numbers. The numbers stack up high toward the ceiling—twenty, thirty, forty, fifty, sixty, seventy, eighty, ninety, and finally one hundred! Velo shines like a rocket reaching the top of the tower.



High above the hallway, Velo reveals a fascinating secret hidden inside the numbers. The numbers ten, twenty, thirty, forty, and fifty pulse gently, with their tens digits glowing sky blue and their trailing zeros shining ruby red. The pattern becomes crystal clear, making math feel like pure magic.



Before ending the day's journey, Velo pauses at a special mystery floor with one last puzzle for everyone. The screen reads forty, fifty, two blank spaces, and eighty. Velo winks expectantly, leaving the final challenge open for curious students to solve for tomorrow's class.



Bright colorful confetti rains down from above as Velo waves a fond goodbye to all his brilliant math friends. His display glows with a warm farewell message celebrating their great work. Velo cannot wait to see what number secrets they will crack together next time!