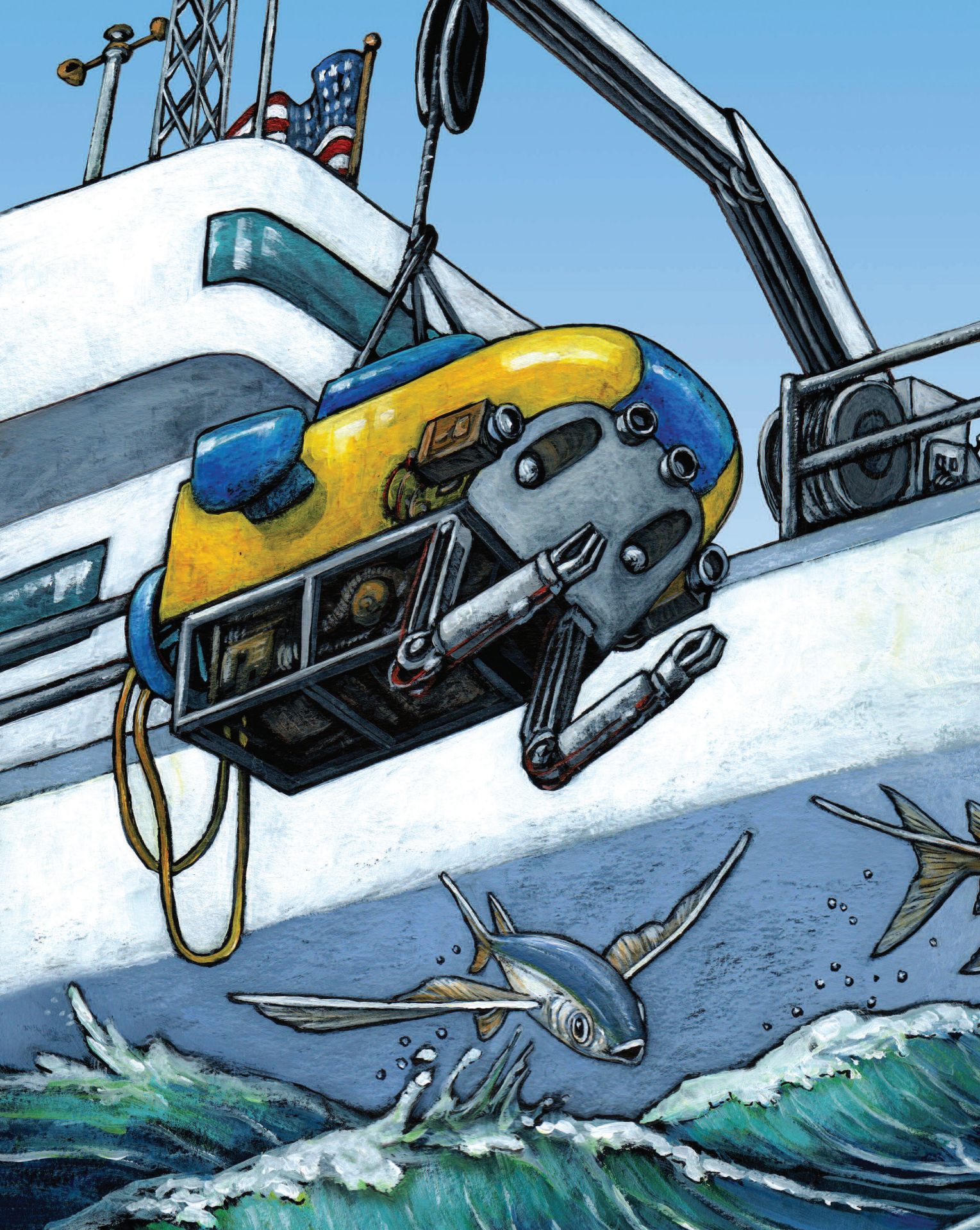


**WAY
DOWN**



**BELOW
DEEP**



An illustration of a man with a beard and glasses, wearing a green short-sleeved shirt and shorts, and a young girl with red hair in a ponytail, wearing a pink shirt and shorts. They are standing on the deck of a ship, leaning over the railing and looking down at the water. The ship's hull is white and blue. The water is dark blue with white waves. Two large fish are visible in the water, one on the left and one on the right. The sky is a clear blue.

WAY DOWN BELOW DEEP

Nancy Raines Day

Art by David Sheldon



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Way down below deep, where the sun never goes,
Imagine the creatures that nobody knows.
Though deep sea fills up most of Earth's total space,
We're just finding out about life in this place.



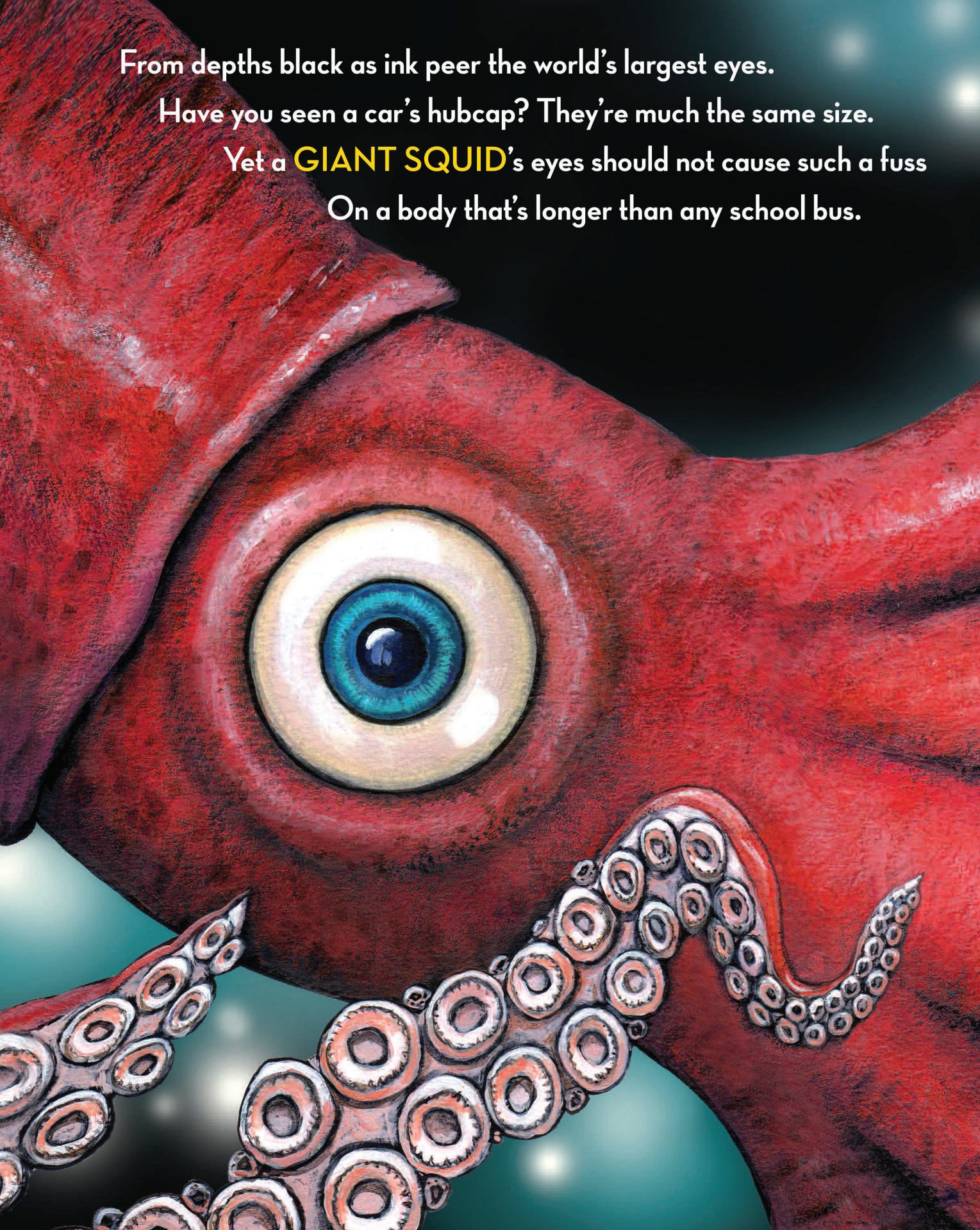


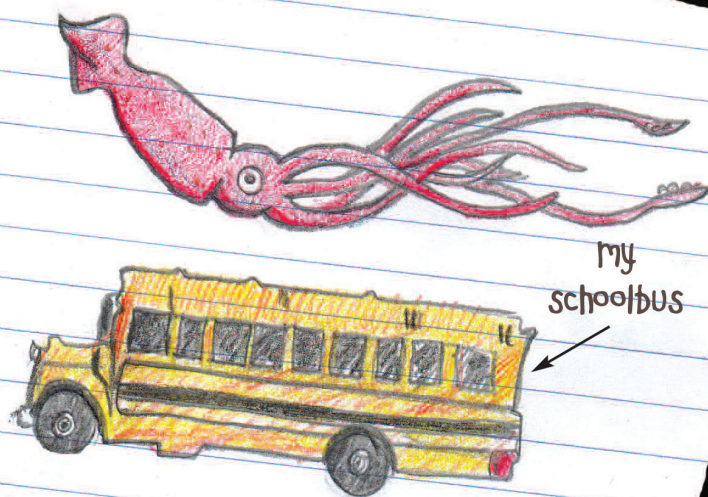
From depths black as ink peer the world's largest eyes.

Have you seen a car's hubcap? They're much the same size.

Yet a **GIANT SQUID**'s eyes should not cause such a fuss

On a body that's longer than any school bus.





the colossal squid may be even
bigger than the giant squid.

the **fangtooth** has special padding
in its mouth so its teeth don't
stick into its brain.

