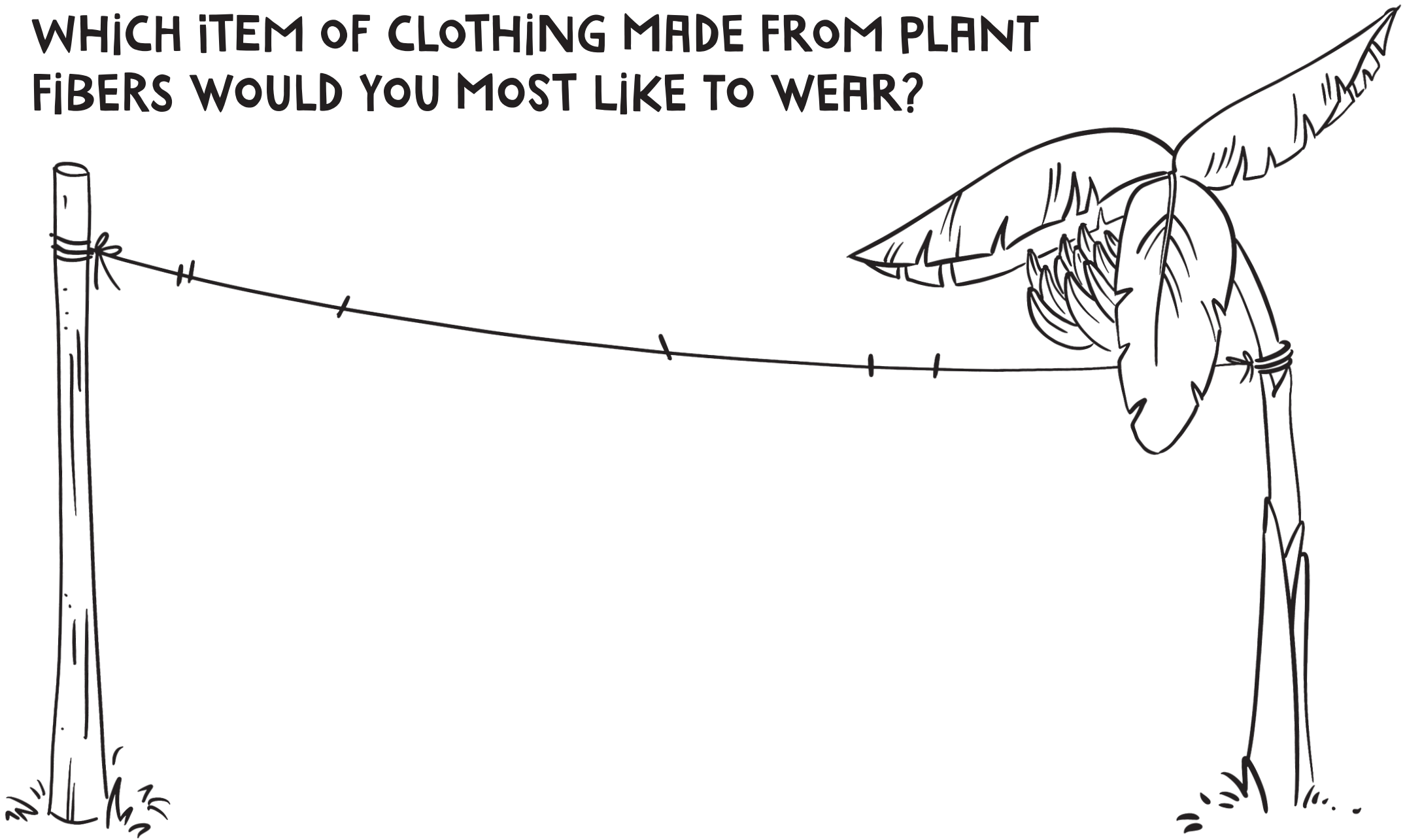


WHICH ITEM OF CLOTHING MADE FROM PLANT FIBERS WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO WEAR?





Fruity clothing

A lot of cotton is used in the making of clothing. The cotton is grown especially for this purpose and requires large amounts of water, which is not good for the environment. But there are alternatives: Pineapple tastes good, but the leaves usually end up in the trash because we can't eat them. But there is a special technique to obtain yarn from the long fibers in the leaves, which can then be used to sew t-shirts, pillowcases or shoes. There are even some algae that regrow very quickly in water and can be made into fabric for t-shirts — and they are guaranteed not to smell like seawater.