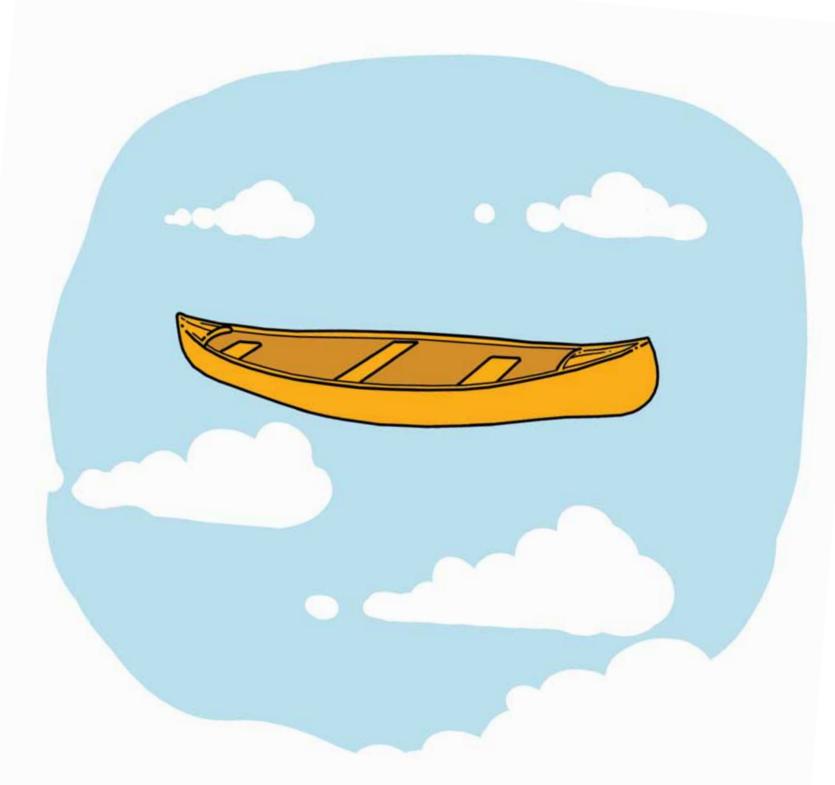
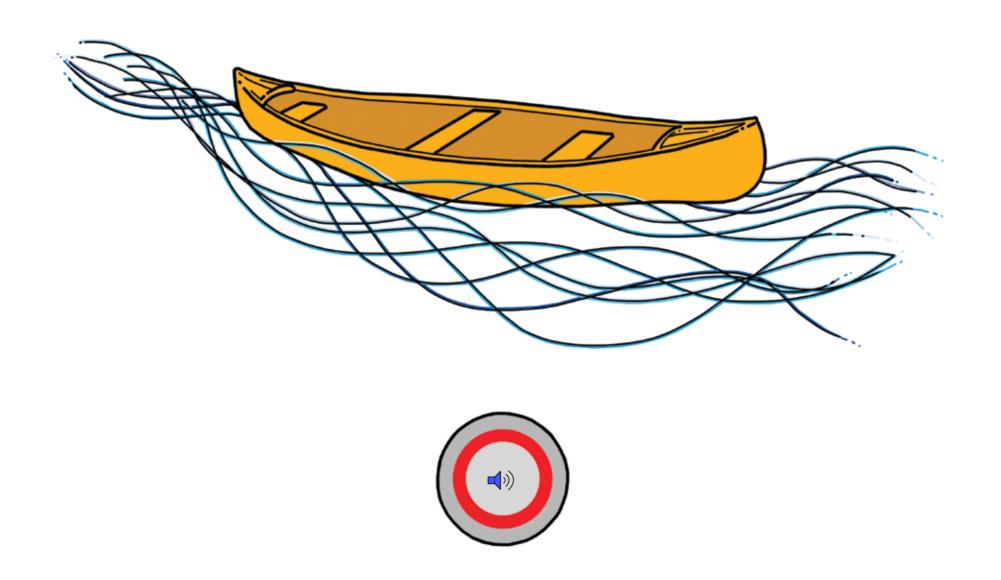
A LITTLE FLYING BOAT

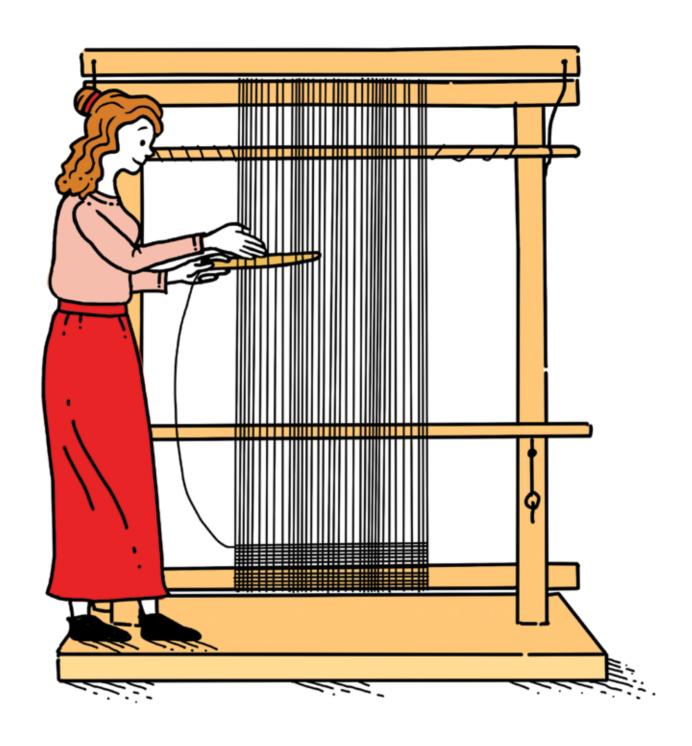




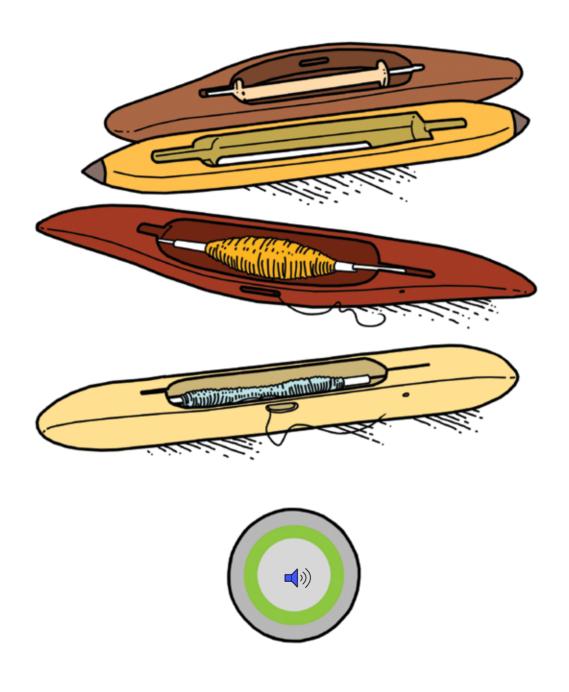
WHERE IS THIS LITTLE FLYING BOAT GOING? PRESS THE BUTTON AND LISTEN CAREFULLY.



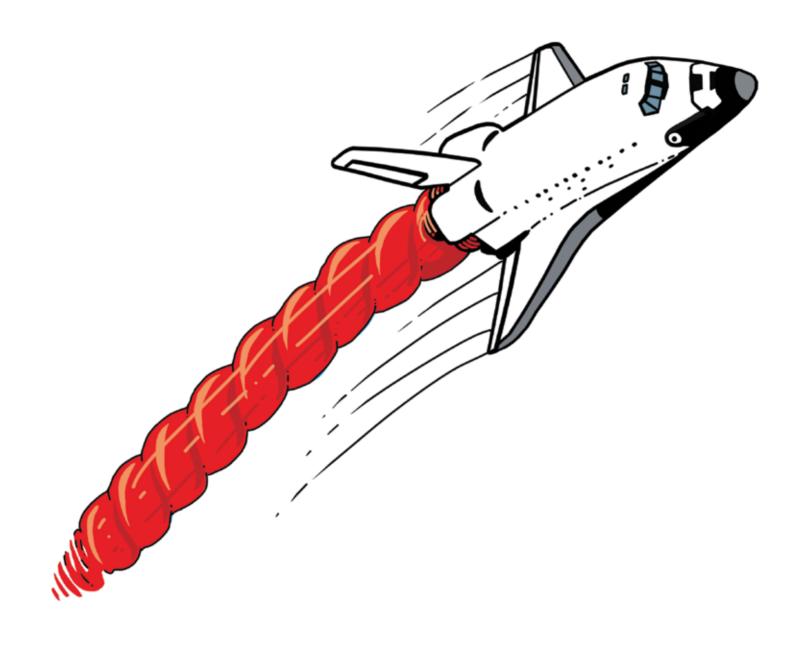
ACTUALLY, THIS ISN'T A FLYING BOAT,
BUT A 'SHUTTLE' RUNNING BACK
AND FORTH ON A LOOM. IT CARRIES
A THREAD CALLED THE WEFT
AND ITS FINAL GOAL IS WOVEN FABRIC.



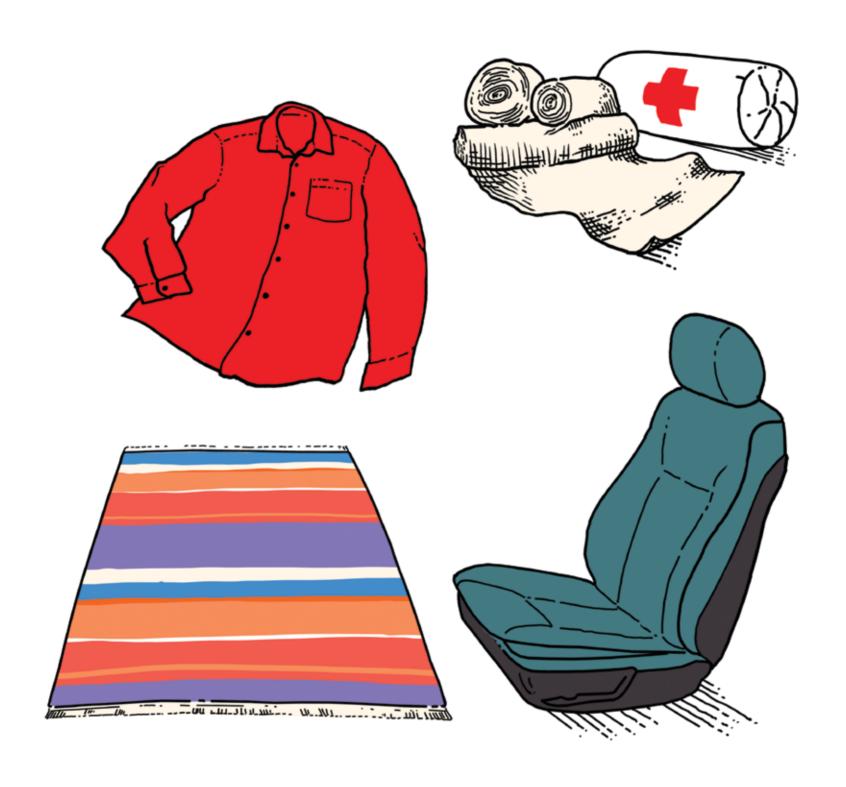
WHEN WEAVING ON HANDLOOMS
THE WEAVERS USED LARGE STICK
SHUTTLES MADE OF A FLAT,
NARROW PIECE OF WOOD.



JUST LIKE THE LOOMS, THE SHUTTLE CHANGED ITS LOOK AND "VOICE" SEVERAL TIMES.
PRESS THE BUTTON AND YOU WILL HEAR THE VERY LOUD SOUND OF SHUTTLE LOOMS IN A TEXTILE FACTORY.



MODERN TEXTILE INDUSTRY MAINLY
USES LOOMS WITHOUT SHUTTLES.
INSTEAD THEY SOMETIMES USE
A JET OF WATER OR AIR THAT
CARRIES A THREAD AS FAST
AS A SPACE SHUTTLE!



THE PRODUCTS MADE FROM WEAVING ARE CALLED FABRICS.
DO YOU RECOGNISE ANY OF THEM?



LET THE WORK BE HEARD

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