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# COLORING BOOK

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Youth Marijuana  
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# Brain Feeling Slow?

**Using marijuana can hurt your brain,  
your memory and your ability to think.**



# Marijuana IS addictive

**One in three teens  
who use the drug daily  
can become addicted.**

**...and one in six teens who  
use before the age of 18  
can become addicted.**



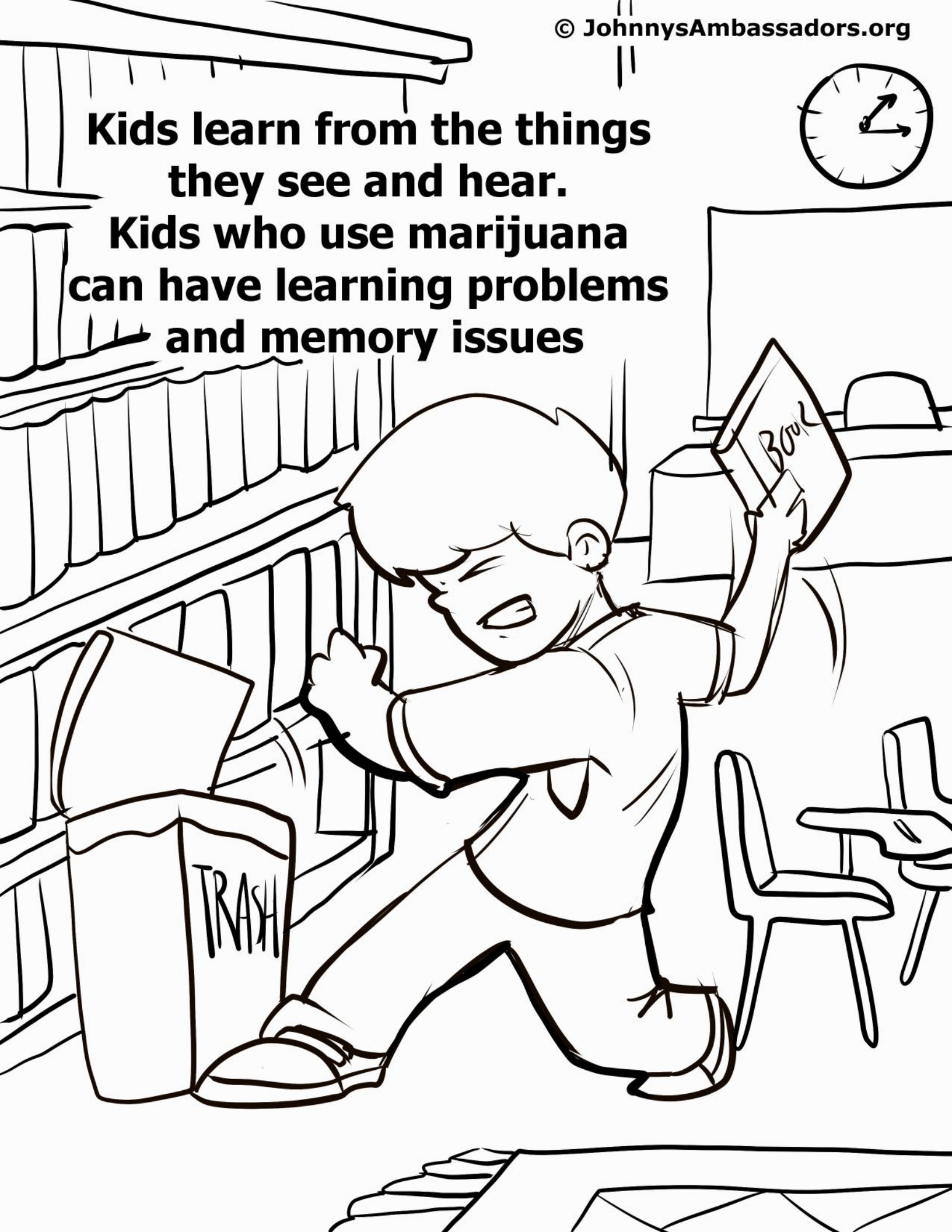
**Using marijuana  
may take you  
down a bad road  
to using other  
drugs and alcohol.**



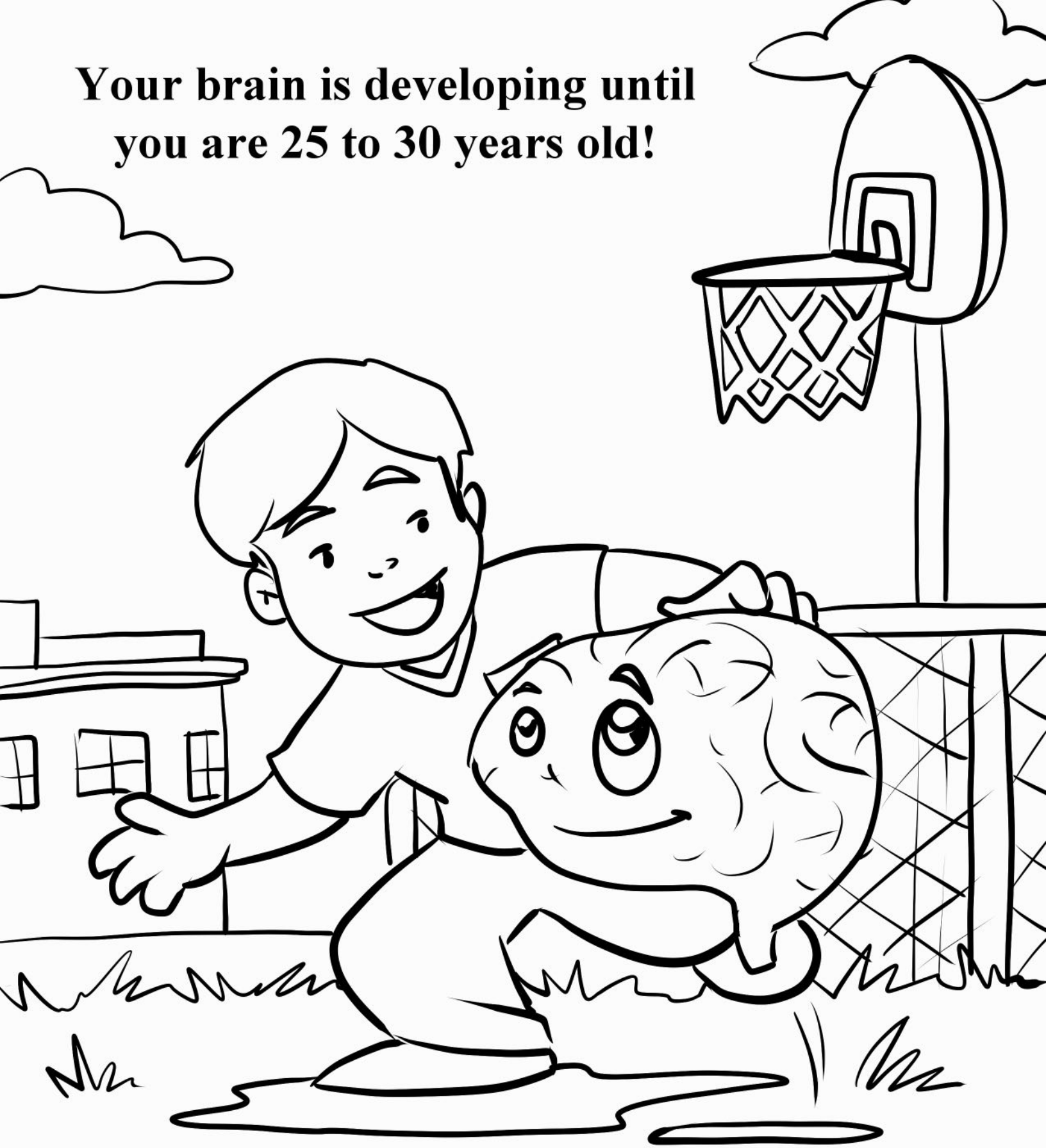


**Kids learn from the things  
they see and hear.**

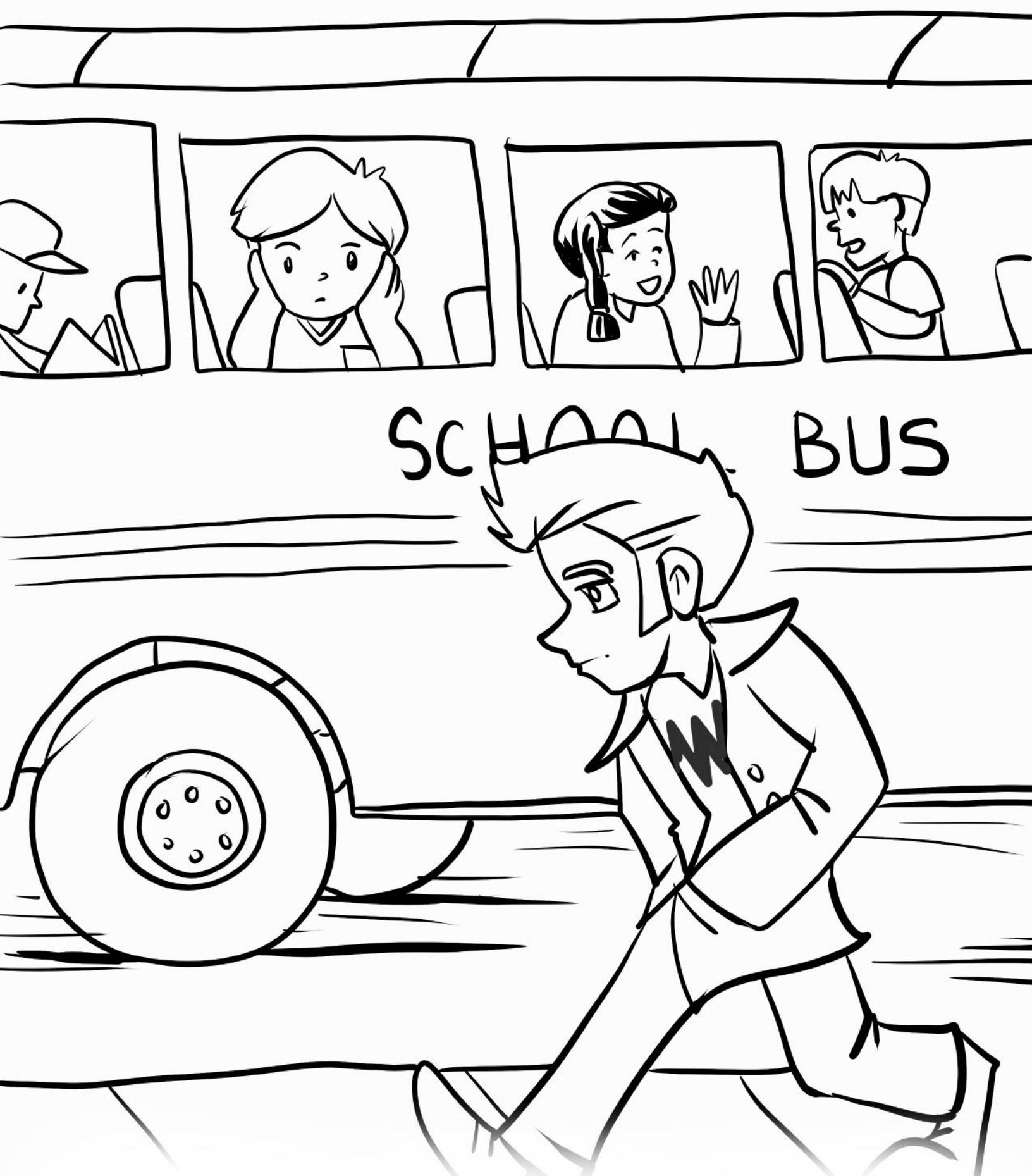
**Kids who use marijuana  
can have learning problems  
and memory issues**



**Your brain is developing until  
you are 25 to 30 years old!**

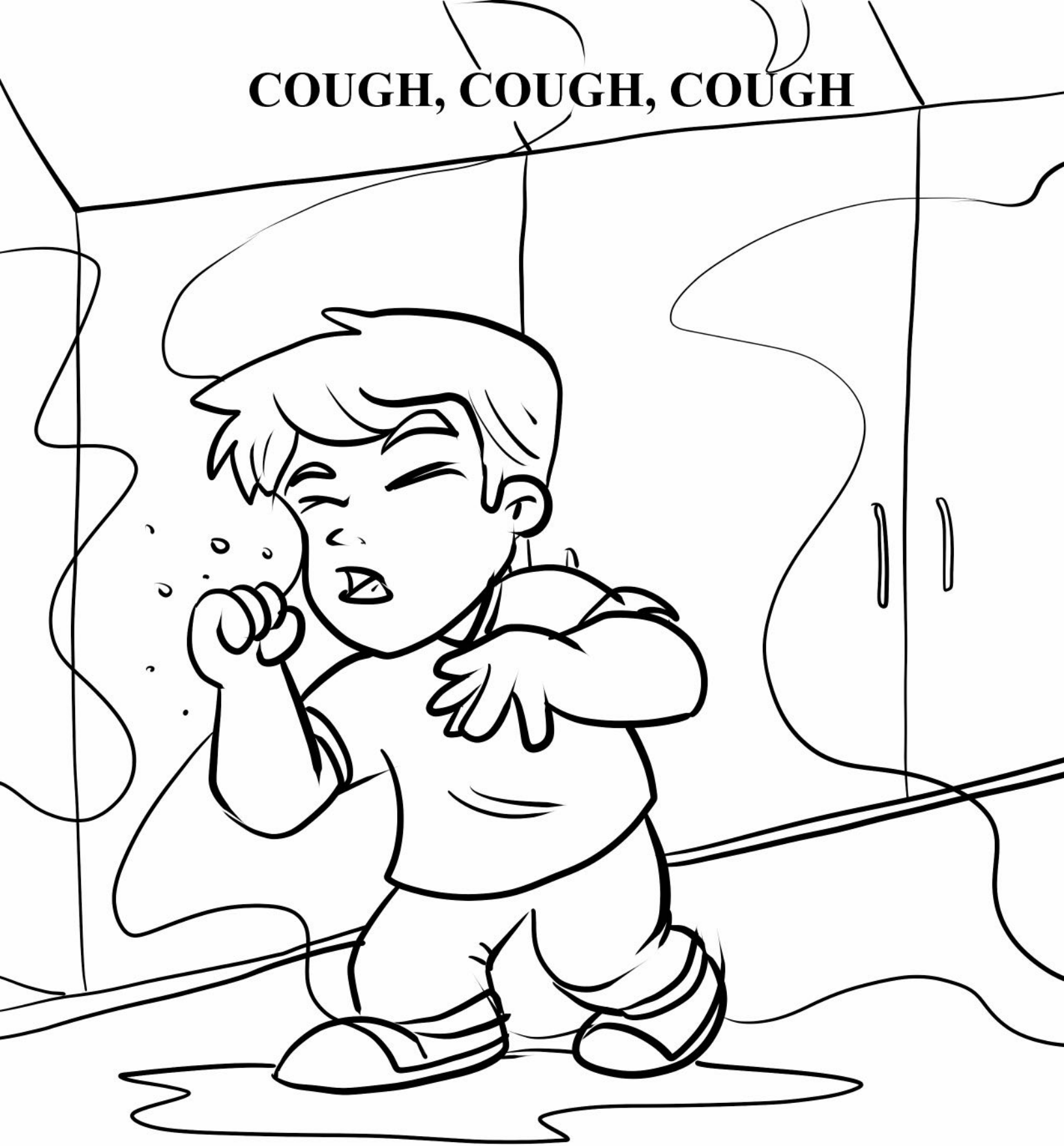


**You only have one brain,  
so don't hurt it with marijuana.**



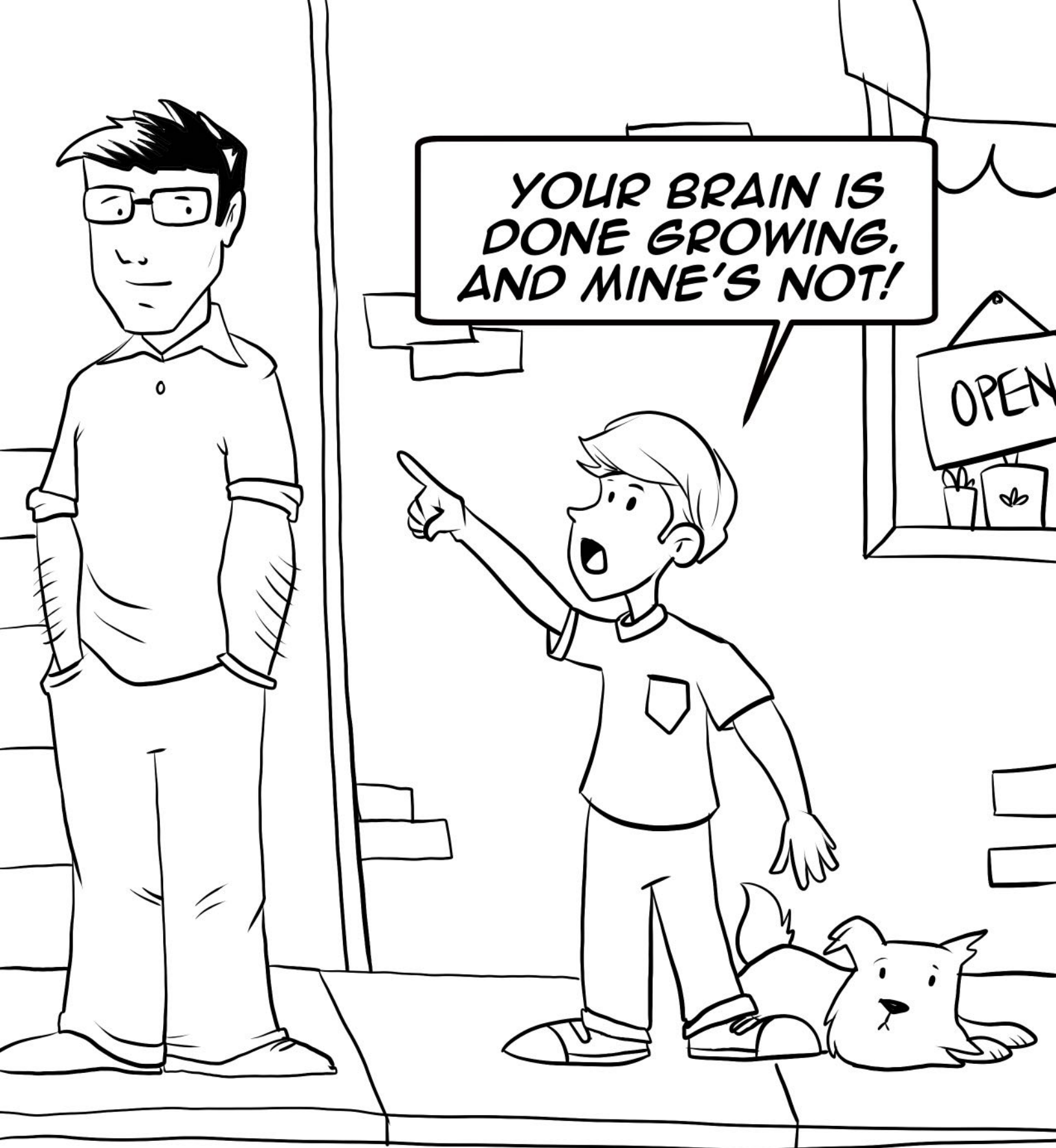
**Teens who use marijuana are more likely to quit high school or not get a college degree**

**COUGH, COUGH, COUGH**



**Using marijuana can hurt your lungs.**





**Because their brains are growing, adolescents who use THC are more likely to get addicted than adults who use THC.**



**Driving after  
using marijuana  
is very  
dangerous!**

# Marijuana kills creativity!

HIGH  
SCHOOL



**Using marijuana can cause students to drop out of high school.**



**Using marijuana is as dangerous as jumping out of an airplane without a parachute**



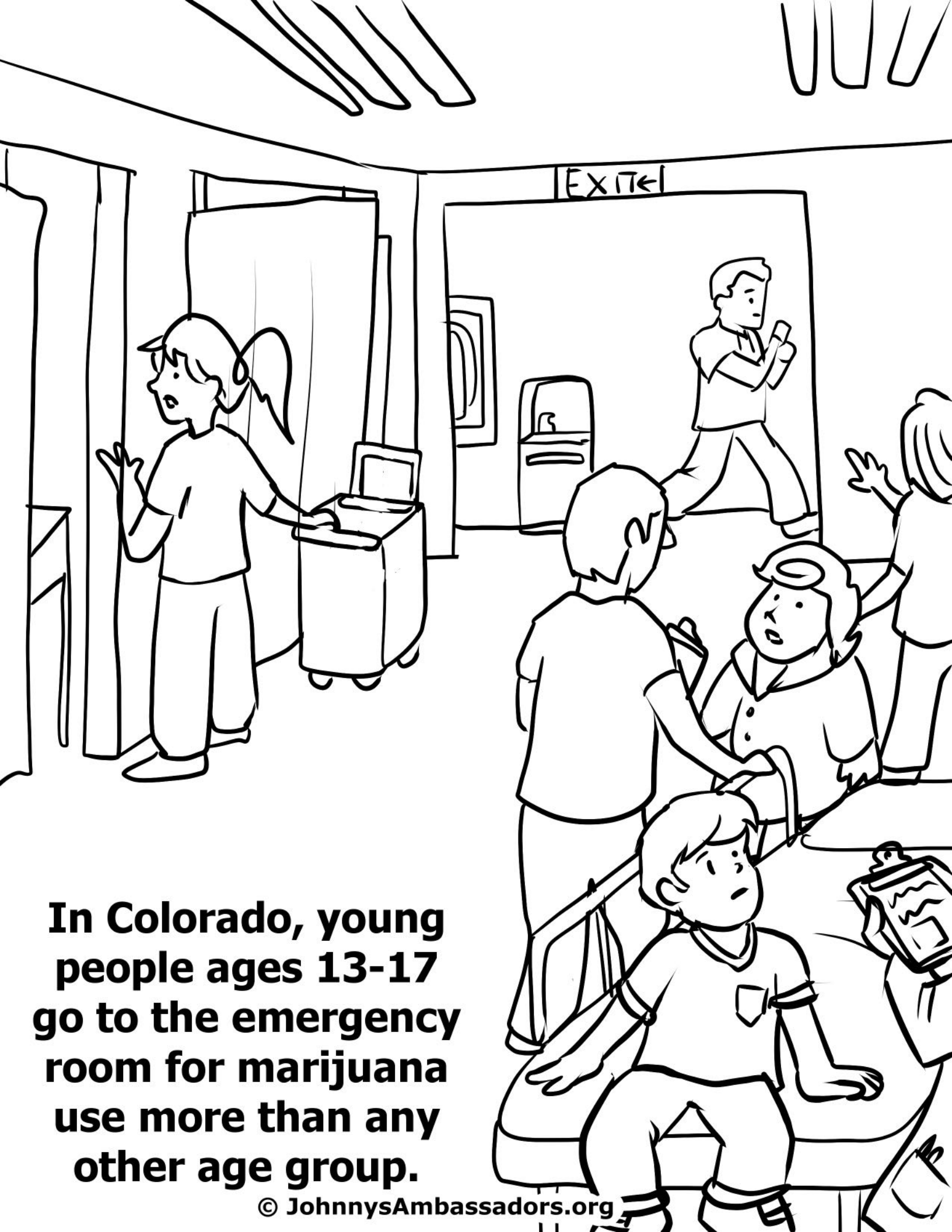
**Teen use of marijuana  
increases the chance  
of depression  
and suicide.**



**Using marijuana over  
time hurts your IQ.  
Be smart and  
don't use it.**

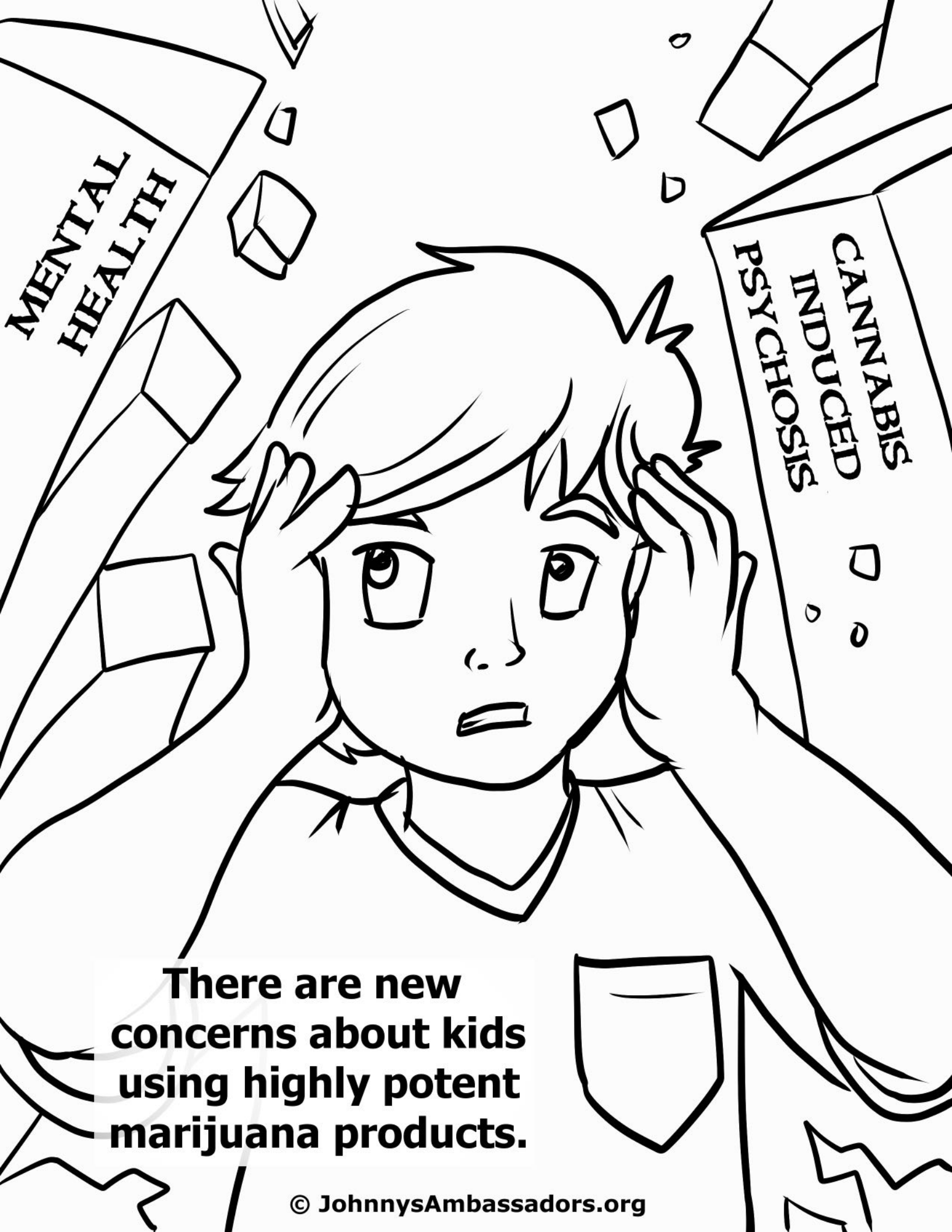


**People who use marijuana and  
drive are more likely to  
crash their cars!**



**In Colorado, young people ages 13-17 go to the emergency room for marijuana use more than any other age group.**





**There are new concerns about kids using highly potent marijuana products.**

**Teens who use marijuana are more likely to quit high school or not get a college degree.**





**Cannabis use was linked to an increased risk of depression, suicidal ideas and suicidal attempts in young adults.**

# Marijuana Can Be Unsafe



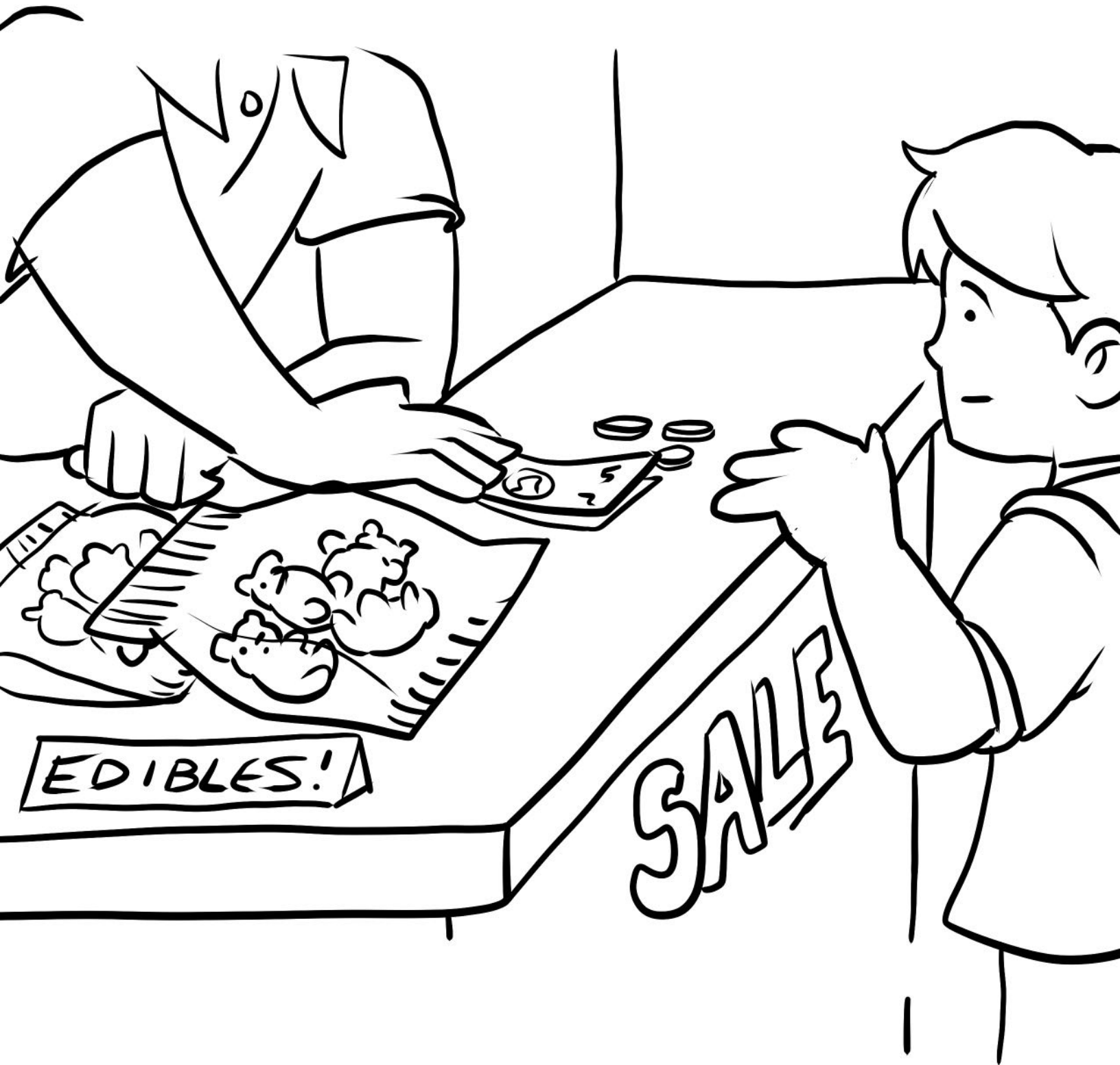
**The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has not given approval to sell marijuana, so you have no way to know if it's safe.**

**Marijuana use can make it  
harder to learn and remember.**



**The more regularly you use it, the worse  
it can get.**

**Kids shouldn't have  
access to marijuana.**



**Not all dispensaries follow the rules.  
Marijuana is illegal until age 21.**

**Who do you wanna be when  
you grow up?**



**Teens who use marijuana were less  
likely to be in a relationship later  
in life.**

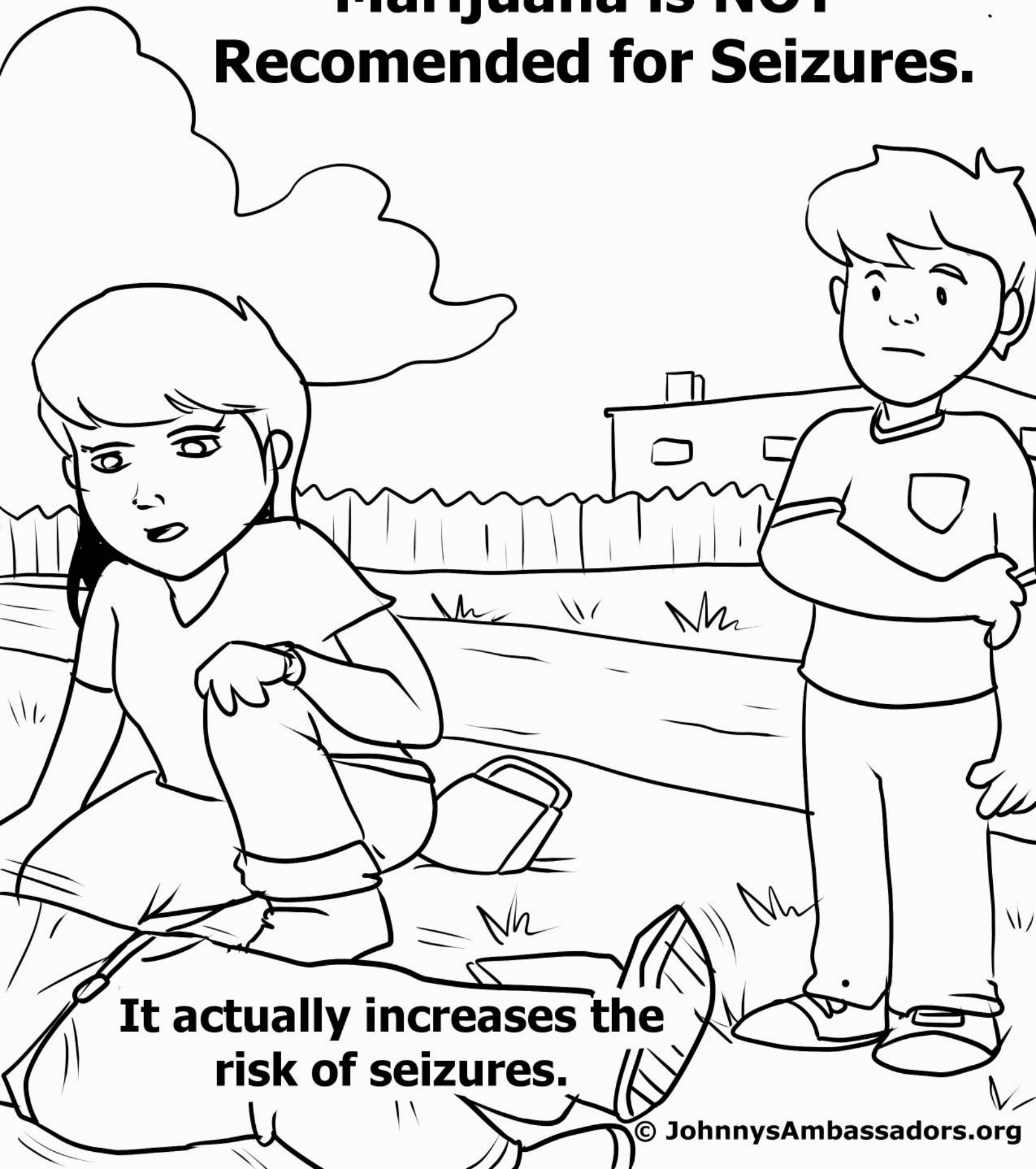
**Think you  
can stop?**



**Starting marijuana young is  
connected to future  
marijuana addiction.**



# **Marijuana is NOT Recomended for Seizures.**



**It actually increases the  
risk of seizures.**

# **Marijuana is NOT Safer Than Alcohol**



**It can take a month for THC to  
leave the body.**

# **Marijuana is NOT Safer Than Tobacco**



**A marijuana joint can cause even  
more second hand smoke than a  
cigarette.**

**Think About It...**



**Marijuana use before the age of 18  
increases the risk of using and  
developing an addiction to opioids.**

# Struggling With Mental Health?



**Kids who quit using marijuana have a lower risk of developing mental health disorders than those that keep using.**

# Teen THC Use = 5x Increase in Psychotic Disorders



# Marijuana Causes Brain Damage



**When kids use marijuana they stunt the growth in the part of the brain in charge of decision making, motivation, and judgment.**

**What kills most teens in Colorado?**

**SUICIDE**

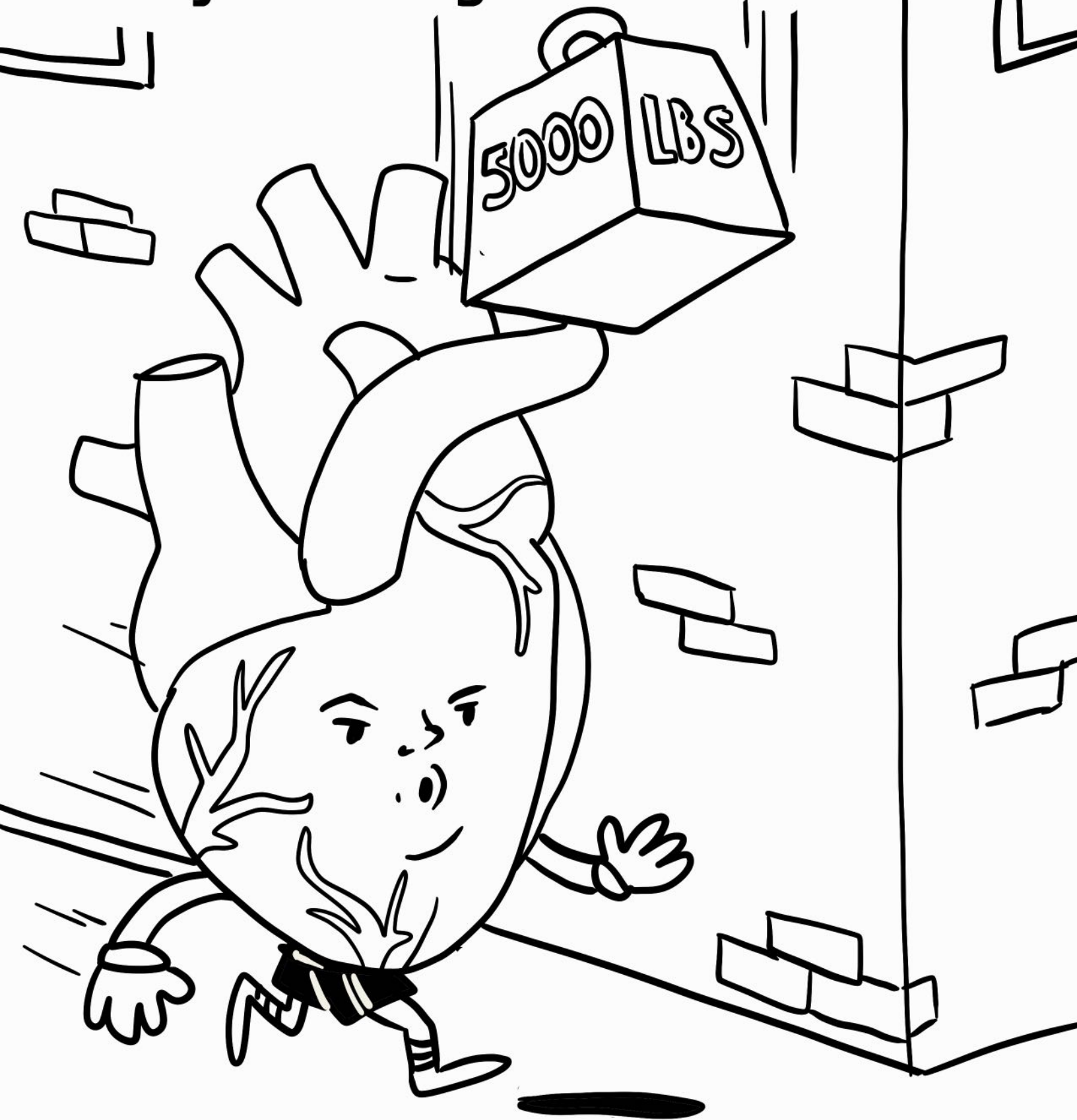


**What substance is most found  
in them when they die?**

**THC**



# Marijuana Targets the Heart!

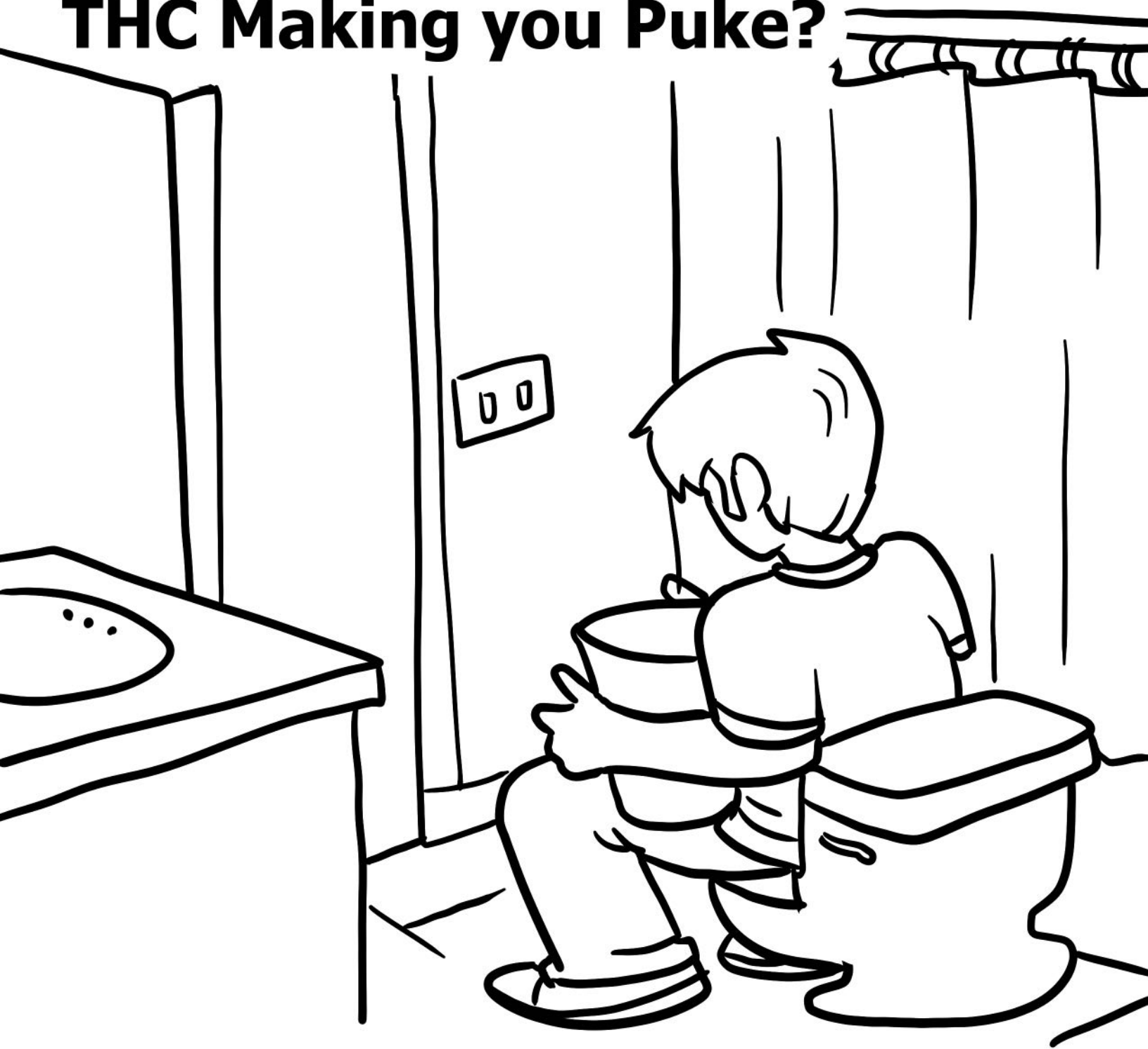


**Using THC can cause heart attacks  
and strokes.**



**Using THC early in life can lead to addiction and mental health issues later.**

# THC Making you Puke?



**(CHS) Cannabinoid Hyperemesis Syndrome is a vomiting disorder that could come from regular cannabis use.**

# Weed Whacks your DNA



**Marijuana is Genotoxic, which means it can damage your DNA. That could effect your children in the future!**

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Johnny's Ambassadors educates parents, teens, and communities about the dangers of today's high-THC marijuana on adolescent brain development, psychosis, and suicide.



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