

# Final Jury Degree project

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# Interpreting the meaning of Jihad

“ Strive Or struggling effort expended  
by the individual Muslim to walk  
in the path of the God”

# Importance Of this topic

## US mobilizes allies for assault on ISIS

### Readies Coalition Before Air Offensive In Syria And Iraq

Helene Cooper & Mark Landler

Washington: The US has begun to mobilize a broad coalition of allies behind potential American military action in Syria and is moving toward expanded air strikes in northern Iraq, administration officials said on Tuesday.

President Obama, the officials said, was broadening his campaign against the Sunni militants of ISIS and nearing a decision to authorize air strikes and airdrops of food and water around the north-

### US woman held hostage in Syria

The ISIS is holding hostage a young American woman who was doing humanitarian aid work in Syria, a family representative said. The 26-year-old woman is the third American known to have been kidnapped by the radical group. The 26-year-old woman was captured last year while working with humanitarian groups in Syria.

ern Iraqi town of Amerli, home to members of Iraq's Turkmen minority. The town of 12,000 has been under siege for more than two months by the militants.

"Rooting out a cancer like ISIS won't be easy, and it won't be quick," Obama said in a speech on Tuesday to the American Legion in Charlotte. He said that the US was building a coalition to "take the fight to these barbaric terrorists," and that the militants would be "no match" for a united international community. Administration officials characterized the dan-



Rebels walk past damaged buildings in Karami al-Jabal neighbourhood of Aleppo

## First American jihadi dies fighting for Islamists in Syria

Washington: California-born Douglas McArthur McCain has become the first American jihadi to have died in Syria while fighting for ISIS, a terrorist outfit that has gained control of large parts of Syria and Iraq.



Douglas McArthur McCain, 33, of New Hope, Minnesota died in a battle between rival extremist groups in the suburbs of Aleppo

The death of the 33-year-old American has left many top US officials seriously concerned. "We were aware of US citizen Douglas McArthur McCain's presence in Syria and can confirm his death. We continue to use every tool we possess to disrupt and dissuade individuals from travelling abroad for violent jihad and to track and

engage those who return," Caitlin Hayden, spokesperson of the National Security

Council, the White House said. According to the Britain-based Syrian Observatory for Human Rights, McCain died in a battle between rival extremist groups in the suburbs of Aleppo.

His uncle, Ken McCain told the CNN that Douglas McCain converted from Christianity to Islam several years ago. The fact that he became a jihadi left his family "devastated" and "just as surprised as the country," the uncle said. The US estimates say that there are about 100 American passport holders who are fighting for ISIS in Syria and Iraq.

## UN: Public executions very common in rebel areas

Nick Cummingbruce

Geneva: Public executions, often beheadings, are becoming a "common spectacle" in parts of Syria controlled by Islamic militants, and government forces there continue to massacre and torture civilians, a United Nations panel said in a report released on Wednesday.

The three-year civil war in Syria, which began between government and opposition groups, has evolved into multiple, shifting conflicts in which government forces and Islamic militants commit war crimes and crimes against humanity, the four-member panel said in a report based on testimony collected in the six months that ended July 21.

"Government forces continued to perpetrate massacres and conduct widespread attacks on civilians," the panel said, "systematically committing murder, torture, rape and enforced disappearance."

"Executions in public spaces have become a common spectacle on Fridays" in the regions of Raqqa and Aleppo, which are controlled by the ISIS, the panel said. It cited dozens of documented beheadings and described how ISIS encouraged residents to watch them. Some victims' bodies were displayed on crucifixes for days afterward as a warning to residents, the report added.

## IMF chief warns for case in France

David Jolly

Paris: Christine Lagarde, the head of the International Monetary Fund, said on Wednesday that French prosecutors had placed her under formal investigation over a murky business affair that dates to her time as finance minister under former President Nicolas Sarkozy.

Lagarde said in a statement through her lawyer that she was being investigated for "simple negligence," by the Court of Justice of the Republic, the judicial body that is charged with investigating the conduct of high government officials.

Lagarde, who has denied wrongdoing from the start, said in a statement that the decision by a judicial committee to place her under formal investigation was "totally unfounded" and that she would be returning to work in Washington on Wednesday.

She made the announcement a day after she was questioned for a fourth time in the investigation of her role in 2008 during an arbitration proceeding between the government and Bernard Tapie, a cabinet minister and the former owner of the Adidas sportswear empire.

Prosecutors had assigned Lagarde the status of "assisted witness" in the case. Placing her under formal investigation signals that prosecutors believe they have evidence of wrongdoing, but the charge of negligence hardly suggests high crimes. Negligence by a government official that makes possible the misappropriation of



IMF chief Lagarde for the first time

embezzled funds, maximum

up to 10 years

"Affairs of this nature have a long history in France," she said.

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## LAT MATTERS

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# Love jihad is insidious; the fear seeps into the home, the bedroom

Historian Charu Gupta has extensively explored the links between sexuality, politics, culture and religious identity in colonial Uttar Pradesh. She believes that the current love jihad campaign taps into the anxieties of a patriarchal society where women are asserting themselves in matters of love and marriage. Constant repetition of the idea will give the construct a stamp



Malini Nair

Where did the idea of love jihad take root?

Though the term love jihad was not used, the idea was used as early as the riot-prone 1920s in UP, particularly western UP. In fact, the very same places where it is being talked of now. There were some factors: the Moplah Rebellion in Kerala had pitted Muslim agitators against high-caste Hindu landlords. And the non-cooperation movement had just ended so there was little to bind communities together. In this context, the Arya Samaj and Hindu Mahasabha used the idea of the humiliation of a woman's body as a glue to bring cohesion in the fractured Hindu identity. In Bengal, the Nari Raksha Samiti was talking of forced abduction and conversion

### FOR THE RECORD

of Hindu women as well. Everything was used to spread the fear — courts, law papers, gossip, rumours. Pamphlets and handbills with titles like 'Hindu auraton ki loo' were distributed. It was an orchestrated campaign that worked up the cliché of Muslim goondas preying on the honour of innocent Hindu women. In most cases, as documented in the UP police abstracts of those years, these were cases of romance and elopement.

How much damage can the campaign inflict today on social ties between Hindus and Muslims? It will create bigger, deeper communal problems than ever before. The idea of love jihad has now acquired an international and more menacing tone because of Islamist terrorism. Then there is social media — you just have to do a basic search on Facebook to find senseless, virulent stuff on love jihad posted by right-wing elements today. The insidious thing about the idea of love jihad is that it does not need a cataclysmic event to create anxiety and distrust in the minds of a community. The fears don't seep into the public space but into your intimate spaces — your home, your bedroom, the common psyche. The impact is often much sharper and more dangerous than even a riot because it works very vividly in public imagination. Also the problem is that in an atmosphere like this, Muslim fundamentalism too is fanned. This has been proved historically.

But love jihad is off the BJP agenda, officially at least. Yes, but it is talking in its resolution

of women of one community being targeted by the men of another. And it is obvious who they are referring to. Ironically, sexual aggression is ingrained in the patriarchal familial structure. So you camouflage that by attributing all malevolence to another community. You know, in the 1920s, a big percentage of these 'sinister' romances were between Muslim men and women who were marginalized in the Hindu community — widows (widow remarriage was rarely practiced), Dalit women or even sex workers. And Arya Samaj noticed this fact soon enough. In this age is it easy to persuade people that smart young women are being gulled into relationships by fanatical young Muslim men?

The problem is that constant repetition of an idea gives it a stamp of validity. I am not saying that there are no cases of forced marriages or conversions. But here, totally different cases and trajectories are made to appear similar till they become a trend, which they are not. And they pander to every community cliché — that Muslim men are sexually charged and violent, that Hindu women are innocent but foolish and weak, and that Hindus are strong and protective of them. Look how the Dharma Raksha Samiti kicked off its campaign on Raksha Bandhan in UP. As if Hindu men never exploit women, emotionally or sexually. You are saying there is hypocrisy in the idea of love jihad?

A woman deciding on her own love life or marriage is always seen as a threat in patriarchal societies. It is easier to attribute a woman's choice to sinister communal designs than her own free will. There is a lot of anxiety about women exerting their intimate religious rights. It makes it seem as though male authority is slipping.

For instance, in the 1920s there were diktats that Hindu women should not deal with Muslim tailors, grocers, teachers, even Muslim lac bangle sellers. They were asked instead to opt for glass bangles made by Hindu craftsmen. There were fears about the spaces where such romance could bloom, unobserved.

In western UP today, there is some prosperity, women's aspirations are changing; the gender demarcation is changing. Inter-religious romance is common. They had to crack down.



dates. The panel received 14 applications, sources said.

Besides Sebastian, who had worked as a Malayalam lecturer at Pala, St. Thomas College, V Prasanna Kumar, a professor of geology attached to the Kerala University, and polymer chemistry professor Sabu Thomas of MG University, too, were in the list submitted.

tian got more support. Sebastian was earlier nominated to the M G University syndicate as a Kerala Congress nominee. He later got appointed as the director of SIET during the previous UDF government. He later became close to CPM leader and former education minister M A Baby, and continued as the SIET director.

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"We can't make through the day. The n sibility of organizing point where high scho could be assembled," s eral secretary of the as

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Sacred Heart CMI comed the decision, bi nthia Mendez felt the lected was wrong. "t Onam, everybody wan

## Special t

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## Day after Gaza truce, Israel PM in line of fire at home



HOME-BOUND: A Palestinian family leaves a UN-run shelter at a school on Wednesday after a ceasefire was declared in the east of Khan Younis in the southern Gaza Strip

Gaza: An on-ended or in schools returned nected much more than a

## More Russian troops crossed border: Ukraine

Kiev: The Ukrainian military said on Wednesday that more Russian soldiers had crossed the border into eastern Ukraine, entering the small town of Amvrosiyivka in five armoured infantry carriers and a truck.

The report of a further cross-border incursion by Russian troops followed the capture by Ukrainian government forces of a group of Russian paratroopers in roughly the same area.

Moscow said the captured troops had strayed into Ukraine by mistake but Kiev said they had been on a "special mission" linked to the pro-Russian separatist rebellions in the east. "Five armoured infantry



A group of Russian servicemen, who are detained by Ukrainian authorities, in Kiev on Wednesday

of Donetsk despite peace talks on Tuesday in Minsk between Ukrainian President Petro Poroshenko and Russia's Vladimir Putin at which the Ukrainian leader pledged

## China's Islamist outfit admits to terror ties w

Beijing: In a rare public admission of Pakistani links to militancy in China's Muslim-majority Xinjiang province, the official media here on Wednesday said that the co-founder of al-Qaida linked East Turkestan Islamic Movement (ETIM) was indoctrinated in a madarasa in that country.

State-run China Daily today published confessions of Memetuhut Memetrozi, 41, co-founder of ETIM which is fighting for secession of Xinjiang from China. He is serving a life sentence for his in-

volvement in terrorist attacks. According to confession statement released by Xinjiang No. 1 Prison, Memetuhut was repatriated by Pakistan's intelligence service to China.

### RARE CONFESSION

Memetuhut said he travelled around Central Asia pursuing his interest in Islam. In 1992, he enrolled in an Arab-run school in Pakistan where he came into contact with young extremists. They showed him books and vid-

### AROUND THE WORLD



# Jihad in Quran

2:190

Rectangular Strip

وَقَاتِلُوا فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ الَّذِينَ يُقَاتِلُونَكُمْ وَلَا تَعْتَدُوا إِنَّ اللَّهَ لَا يُحِبُّ الْمُعْتَدِينَ ﴿١٩٠﴾

*Sahih International*

Fight in the way of Allah those who fight you but do not transgress. Indeed, Allah does not like transgressors.

22:39

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أُذِنَ لِلَّذِينَ يُقَاتَلُونَ بِأَنَّهُمْ ظَلِمُوا وَإِنَّ اللَّهَ عَلَىٰ نَصْرِهِمْ لَقَدِيرٌ ﴿٣٩﴾

*Sahih International*

Permission [to fight] has been given to those who are being fought, because they were wronged. And indeed, Allah is competent to give them victory.

9:29

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قَاتِلُوا الَّذِينَ لَا يُؤْمِنُونَ بِاللَّهِ وَلَا بِالْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ وَلَا يُحَرِّمُونَ مَا حَرَّمَ اللَّهُ وَرَسُولُهُ، وَلَا يَدِينُونَ دِينَ الْحَقِّ مِنَ الَّذِينَ أُوتُوا الْكِتَابَ حَتَّىٰ يُعْطُوا الْجِزْيَةَ عَن يَدٍ وَهُمْ صَاغِرُونَ ﴿٢٩﴾

*Sahih International*

Fight those who do not believe in Allah or in the Last Day and who do not consider unlawful what Allah and His Messenger have made unlawful and who do not adopt the religion of truth from those who were given the Scripture - [fight] until they give the jizyah willingly while they are humbled.

8:15

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يَأْتِيهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا إِذَا لَقِيتُمْ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا زَحَفًا فَلَا تُولُوهُمْ الْأَدْبَارَ ﴿١٥﴾

*Sahih International*

O you who have believed, when you meet those who disbelieve advancing [for battle], do not turn to them your backs [in flight].

8:16

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وَمَنْ يُولِهِمْ يُومِئِدْ دُبْرَهُ، إِلَّا مُتَحَرِّفًا لِّقِنَالٍ أَوْ مُتَحَيِّزًا إِلَىٰ فِئَةٍ فَقَدْ بَاءَ بِغَضَبٍ مِّنَ اللَّهِ وَمَأْوَاهُ جَهَنَّمُ وَبِئْسَ الْمَصِيرُ ﴿١٦﴾

*Sahih International*

And whoever turns his back to them on such a day, unless swerving [as a strategy] for war or joining [another] company, has certainly returned with anger [upon him] from Allah, and his refuge is Hell - and wretched is the destination.

8:61

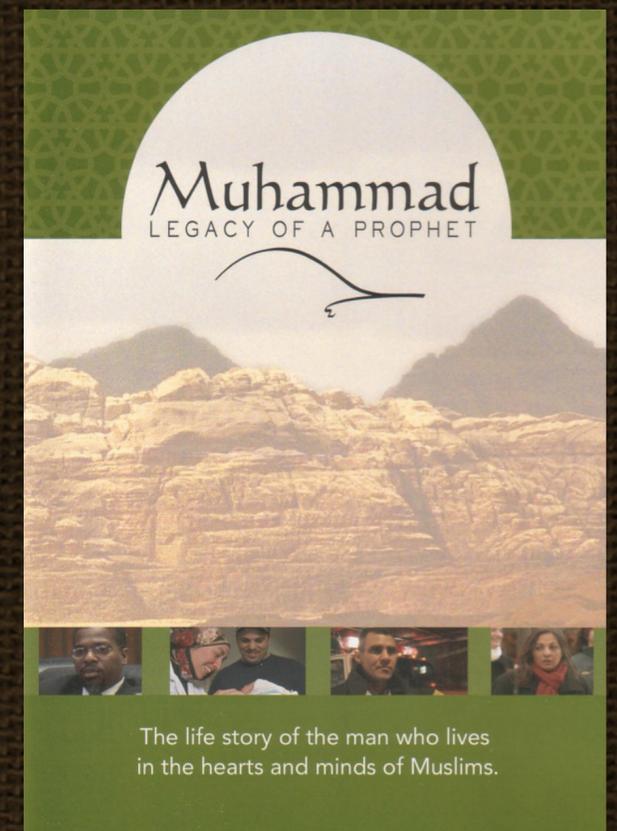
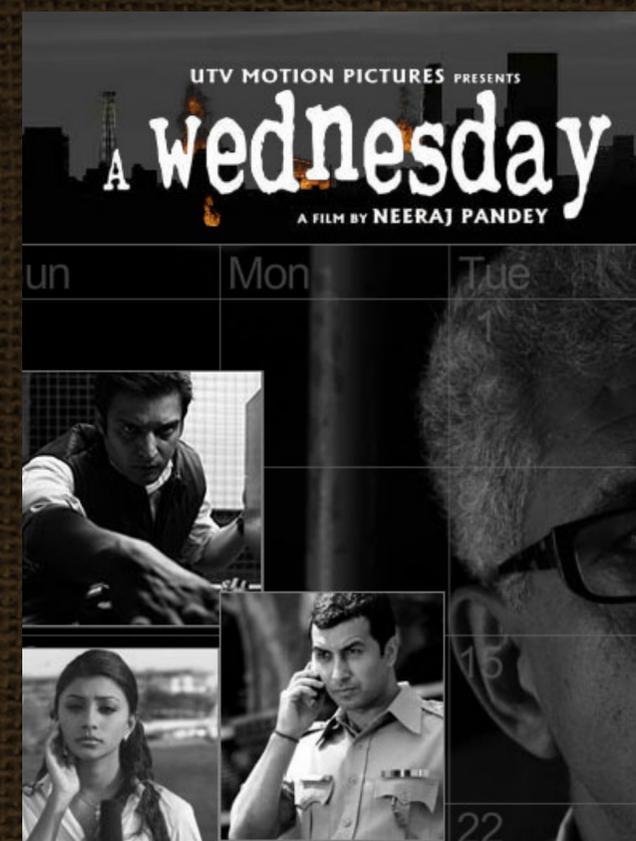
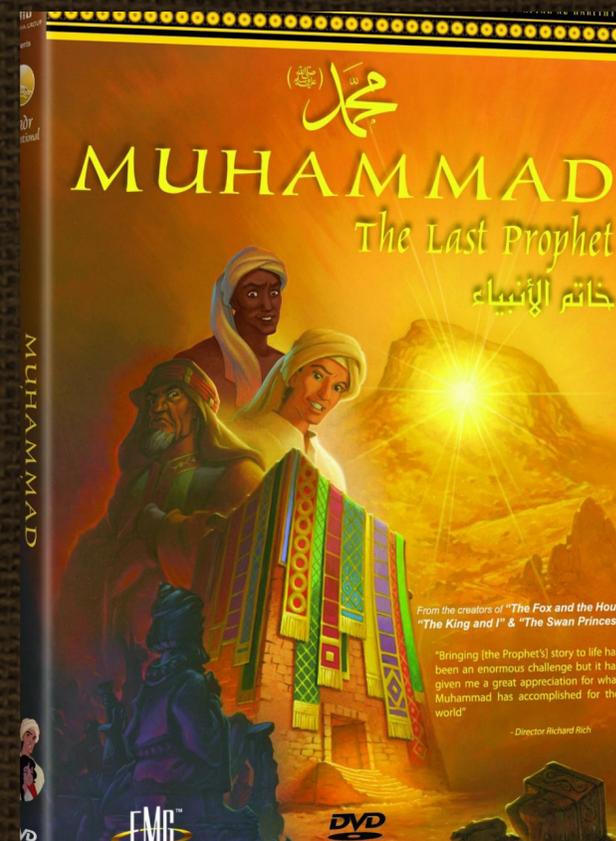
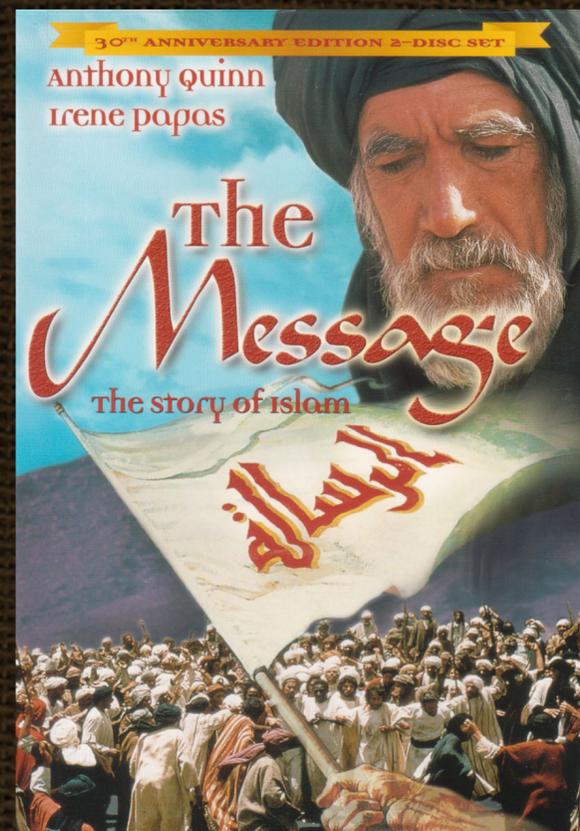
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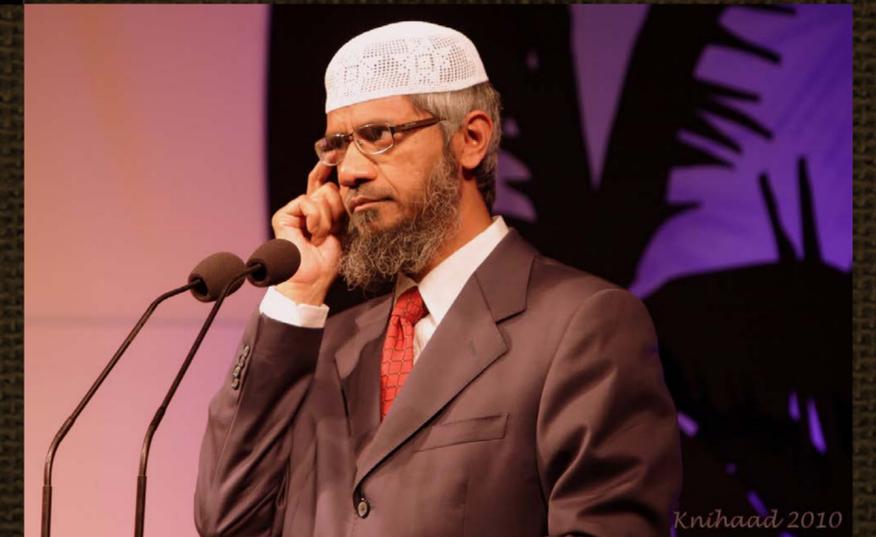
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*Sahih International*

And if they incline to peace, then incline to it [also] and rely upon Allah. Indeed, it is He who is the Hearing, the Knowing.

# Film and documentaries





# Readings

## Articles from

- » Islamic Supreme Council
- » Santa Clara University
- » Peace with Realism
- » BBC
- » Wikipedia



# Findings

- » **Forceful Conversion**
- » **Conquering or colonizing**
- » **For economic gain**
- » **Personal gain**
- » **Love or Sex**
- » **Mass Destruction**
- » **Revenge**
- » **Not begin by Muslims**
- » **Internal Struggle**
- » **To build a good society**
- » **Struggle to defend Islam as last resort**
- » **Only a supreme head can give order**
- » **Attack only combatants**
- » **Gave first place to peace**

# Story Ideas

~~Islamic~~ Islamic Supreme Council

Islamic Supreme Council [Web site]

\* after entering Medina - He drafted a constitution or a set of laws says

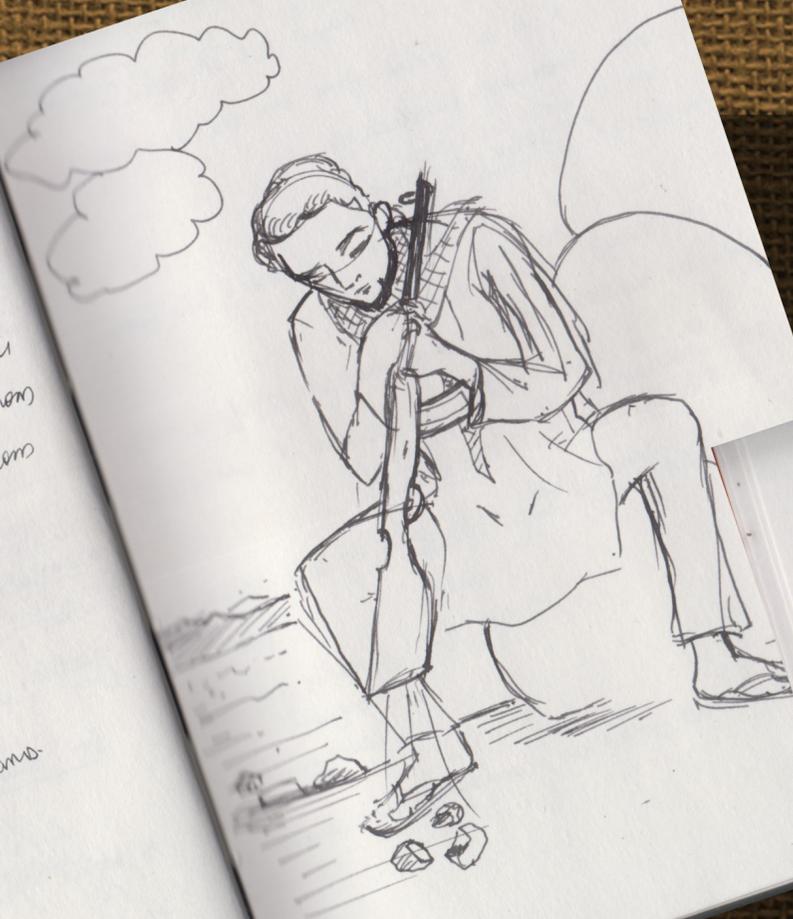
"If upon all a Madanan citizen (whether Jew, muslim, non muslim) it's the common responsibility to defend the madana from attack outside"

\* Yes knowledge on facts of Islam.

\* After - 12 years.

\* Jihad - doing some thing

\* main jihad to kill the infidels.



Story 2

Two kids in different religions (M & H) were good friends in school & they happily lived in their village. One day

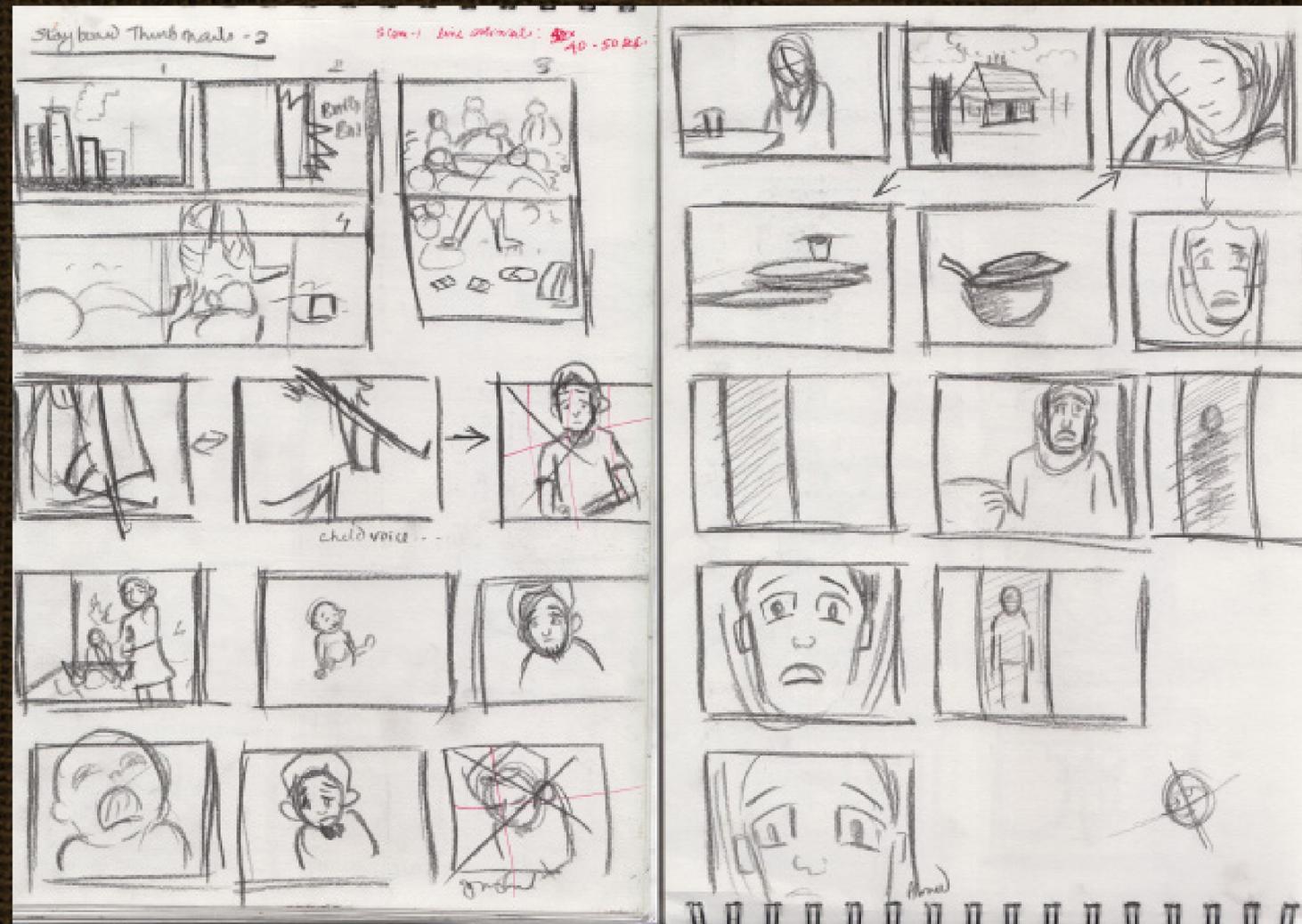
one day they heard a news that the Hindu boy's father is murdered in a town at north India by jihad. The kid's didn't understand what a jihad is. Later they both understood the Islamic religion. So this made these kids apart.

Both had problem about it. Because of that they didn't talk each other. One of them reached later they heard some Hindu girl put a bomb on some place and they killed lots of people. This makes a story thought on both of them as is the jihad and terrorism.

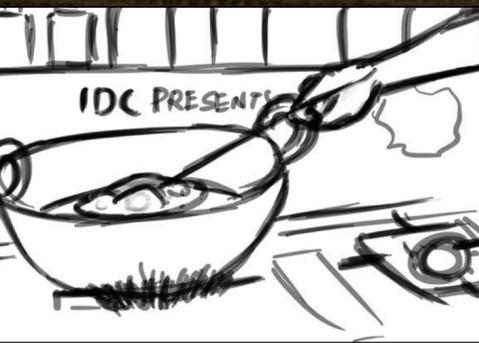
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# Thumbnails



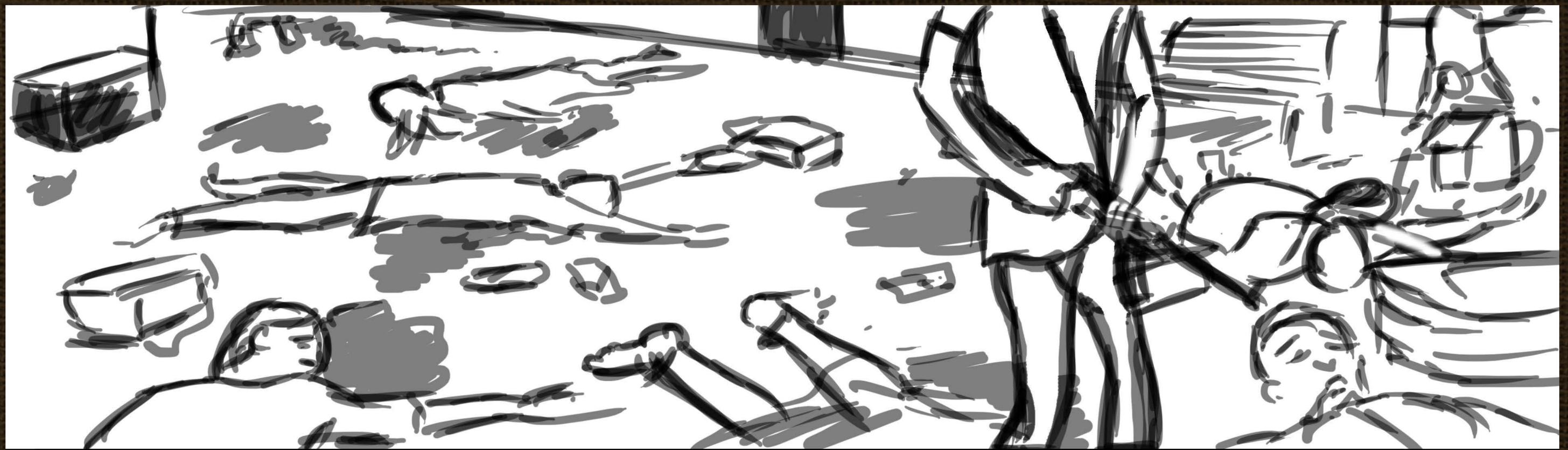
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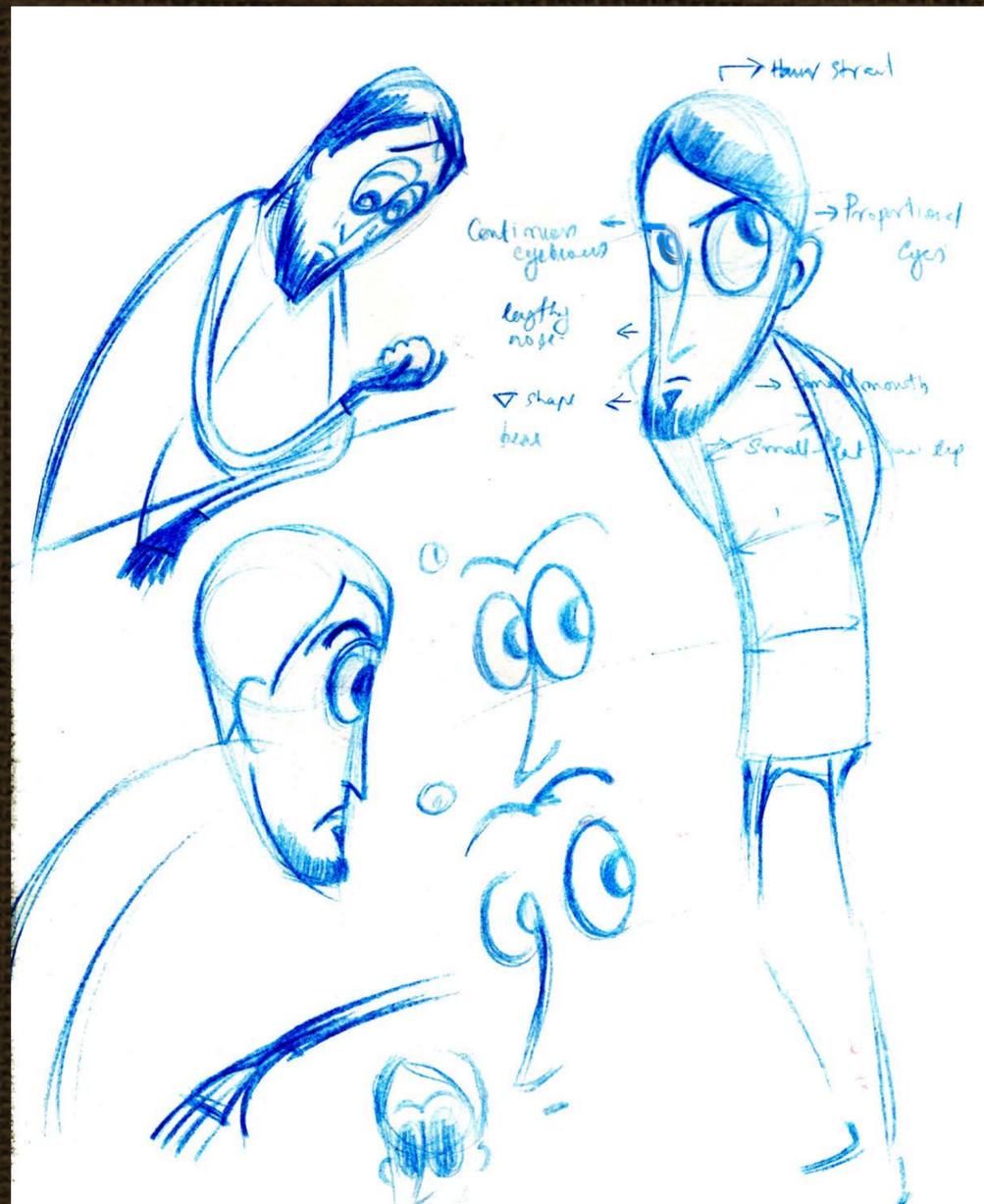
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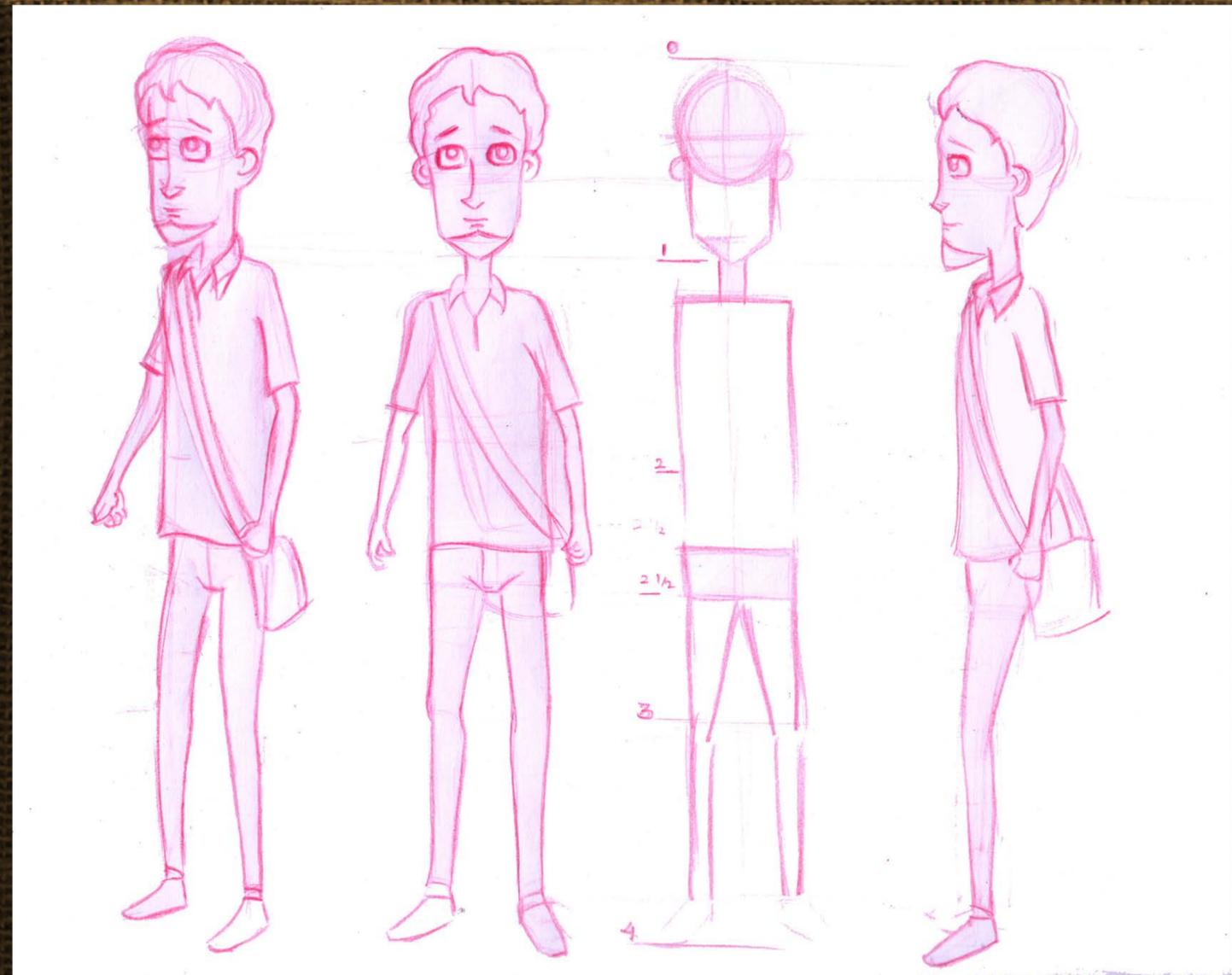


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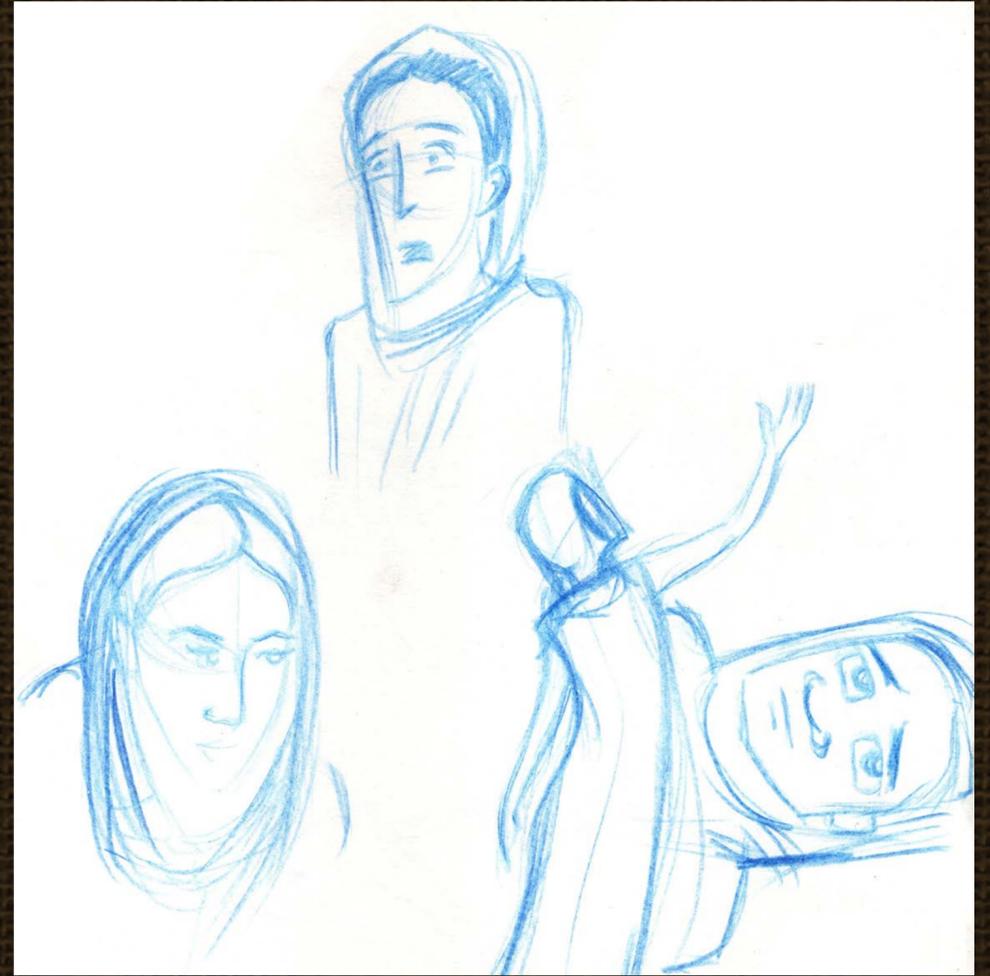
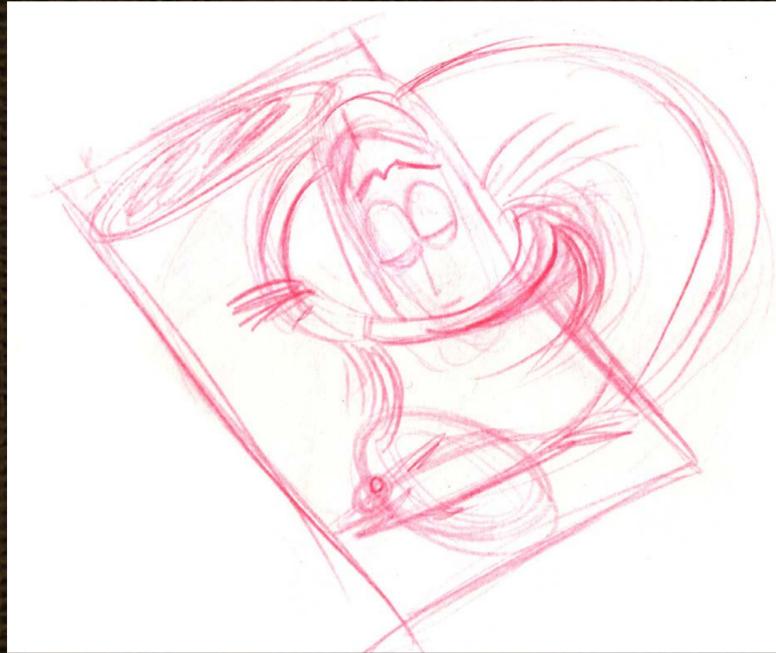


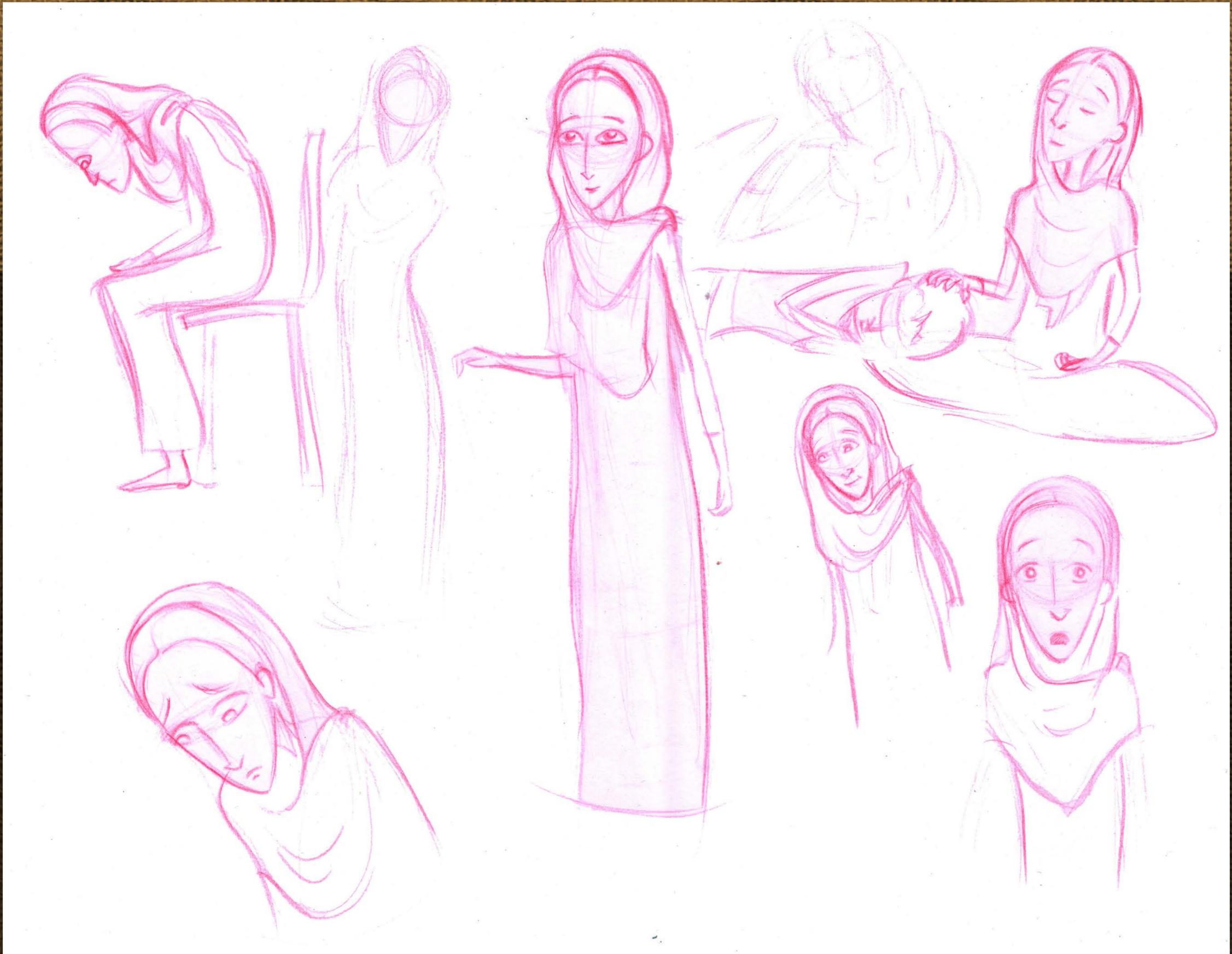
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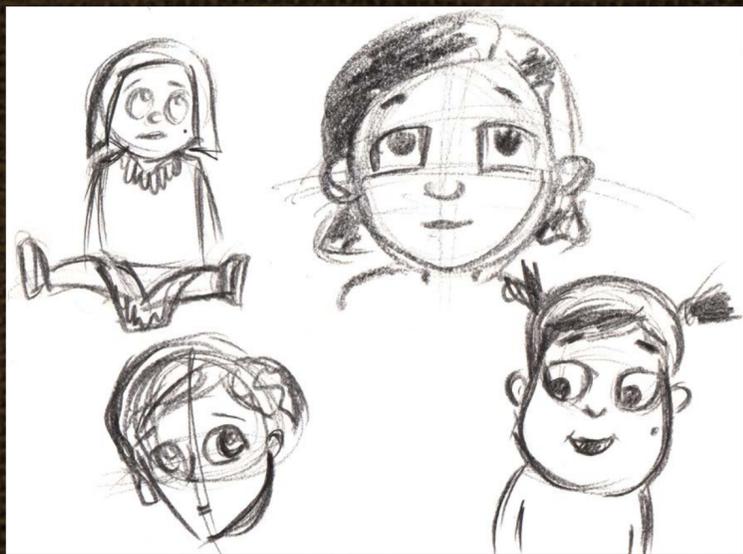
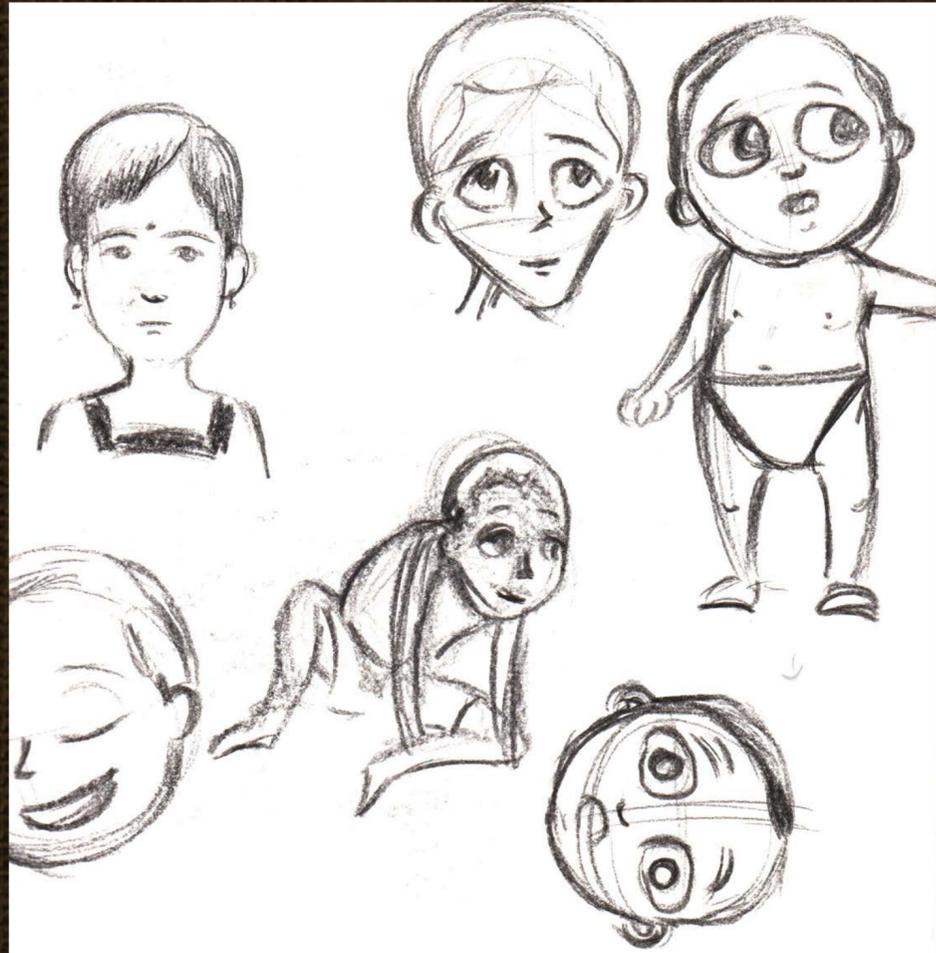








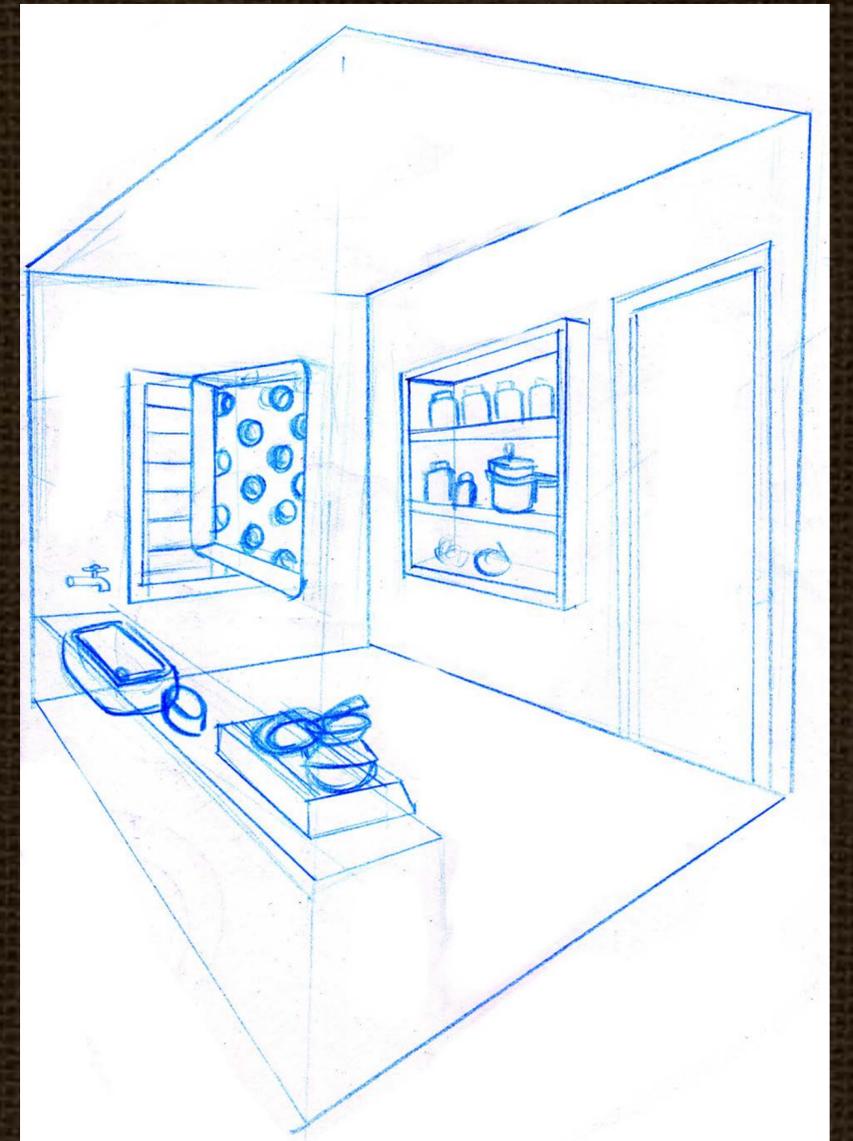
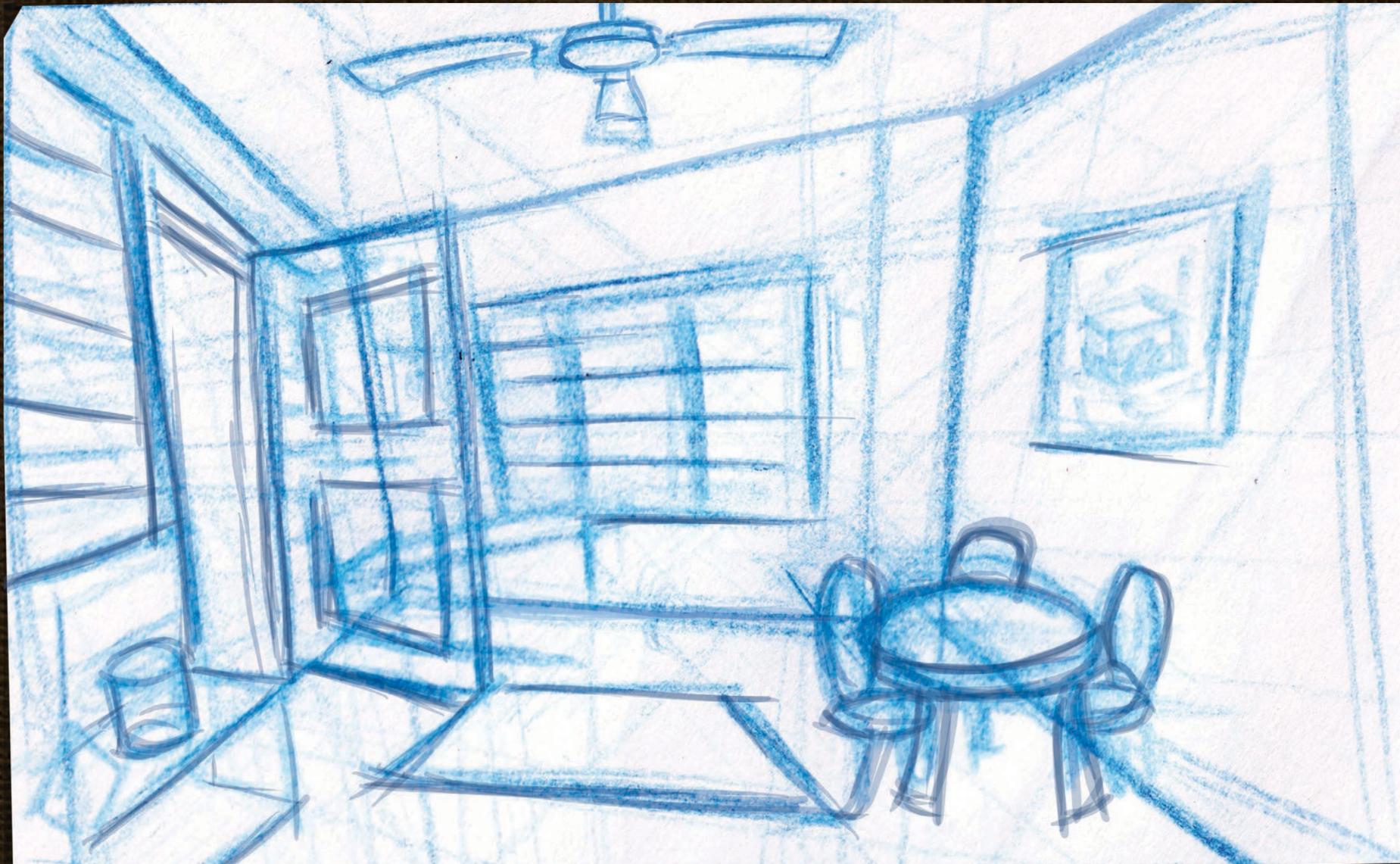


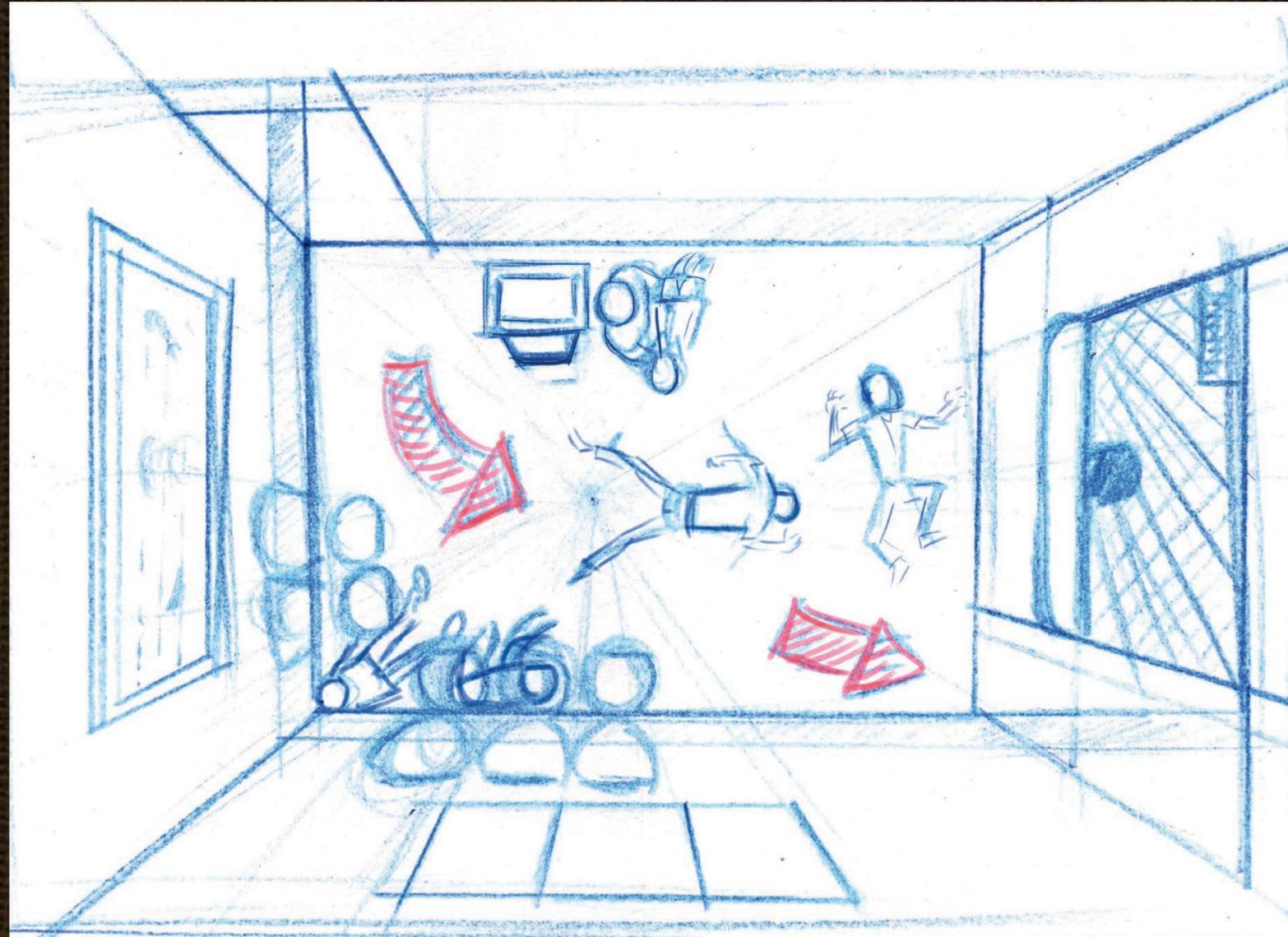


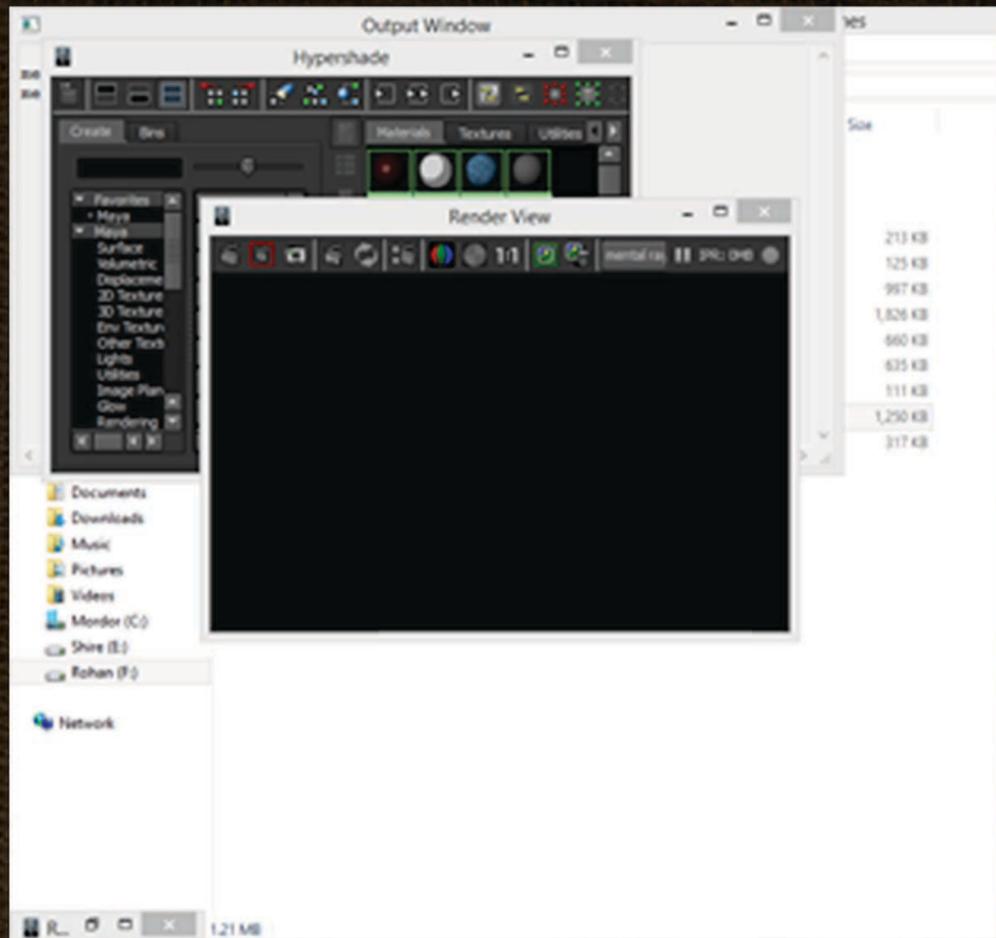
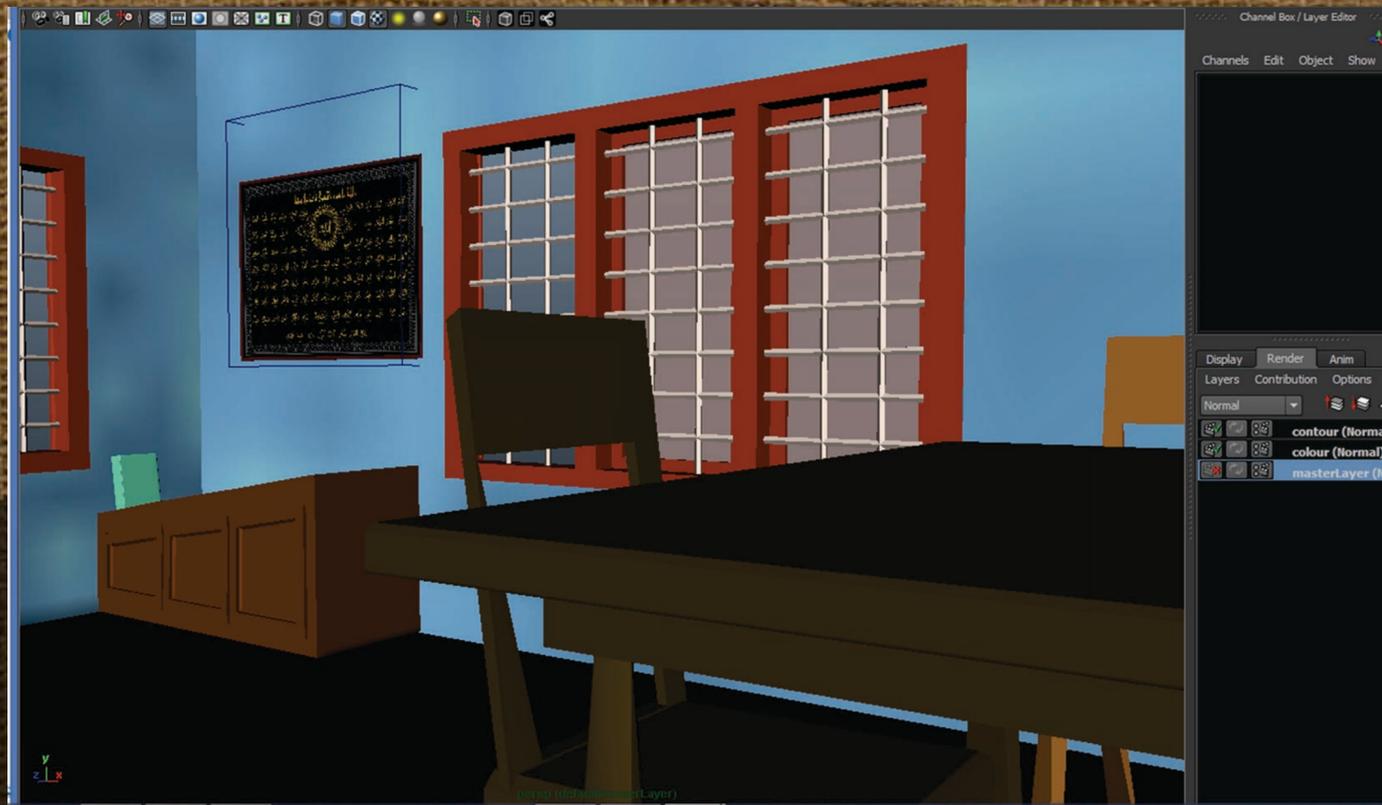




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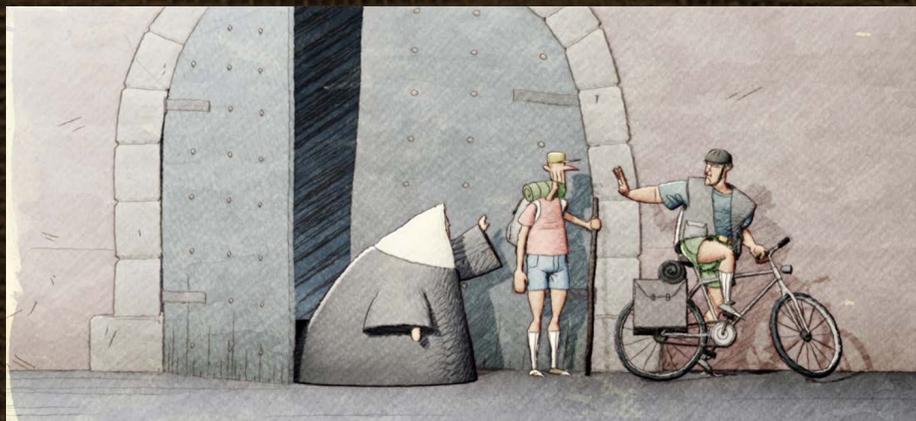
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- » Salam - Peace in Arabic
- » One of the name of God in Islam
- » Islam- The name derived from Slam

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# Style

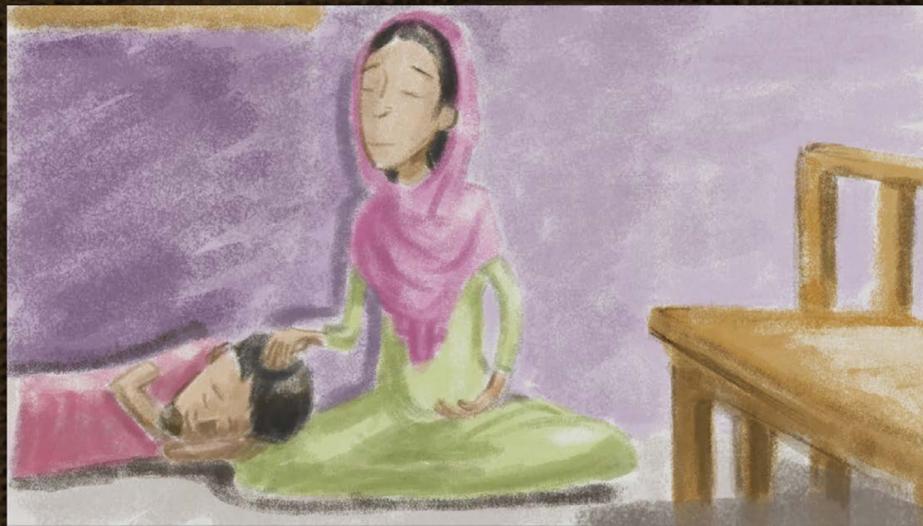


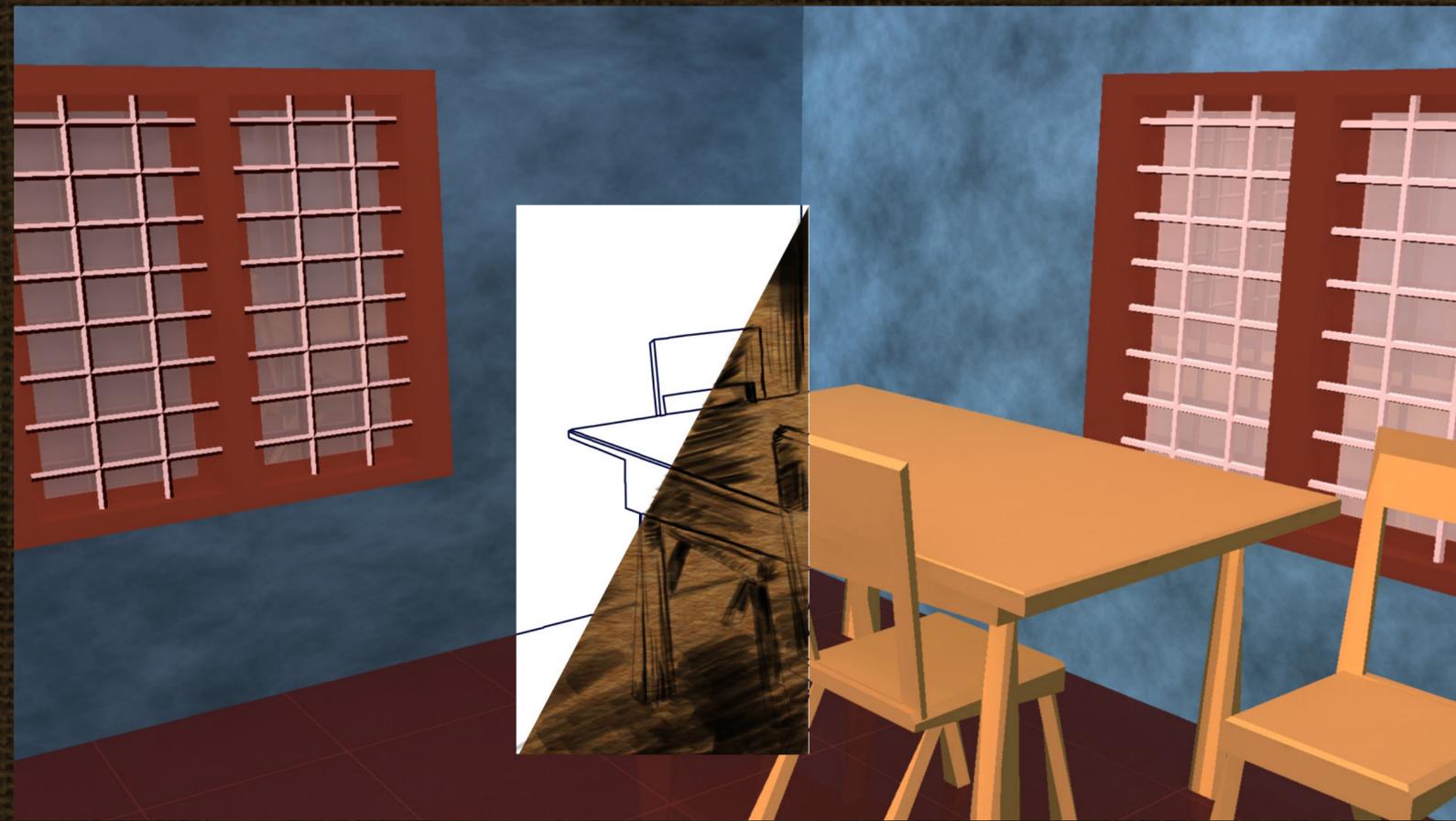
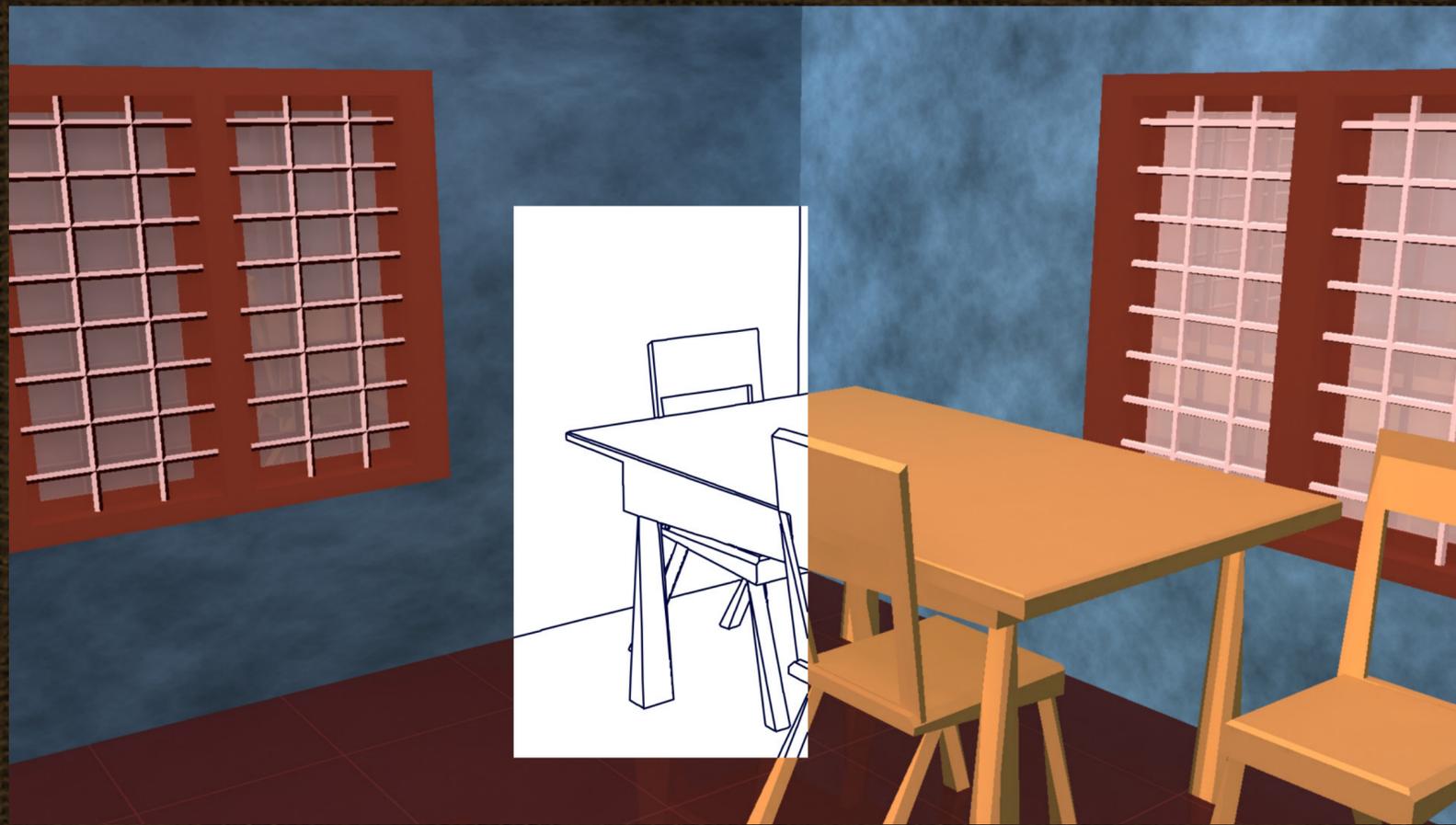


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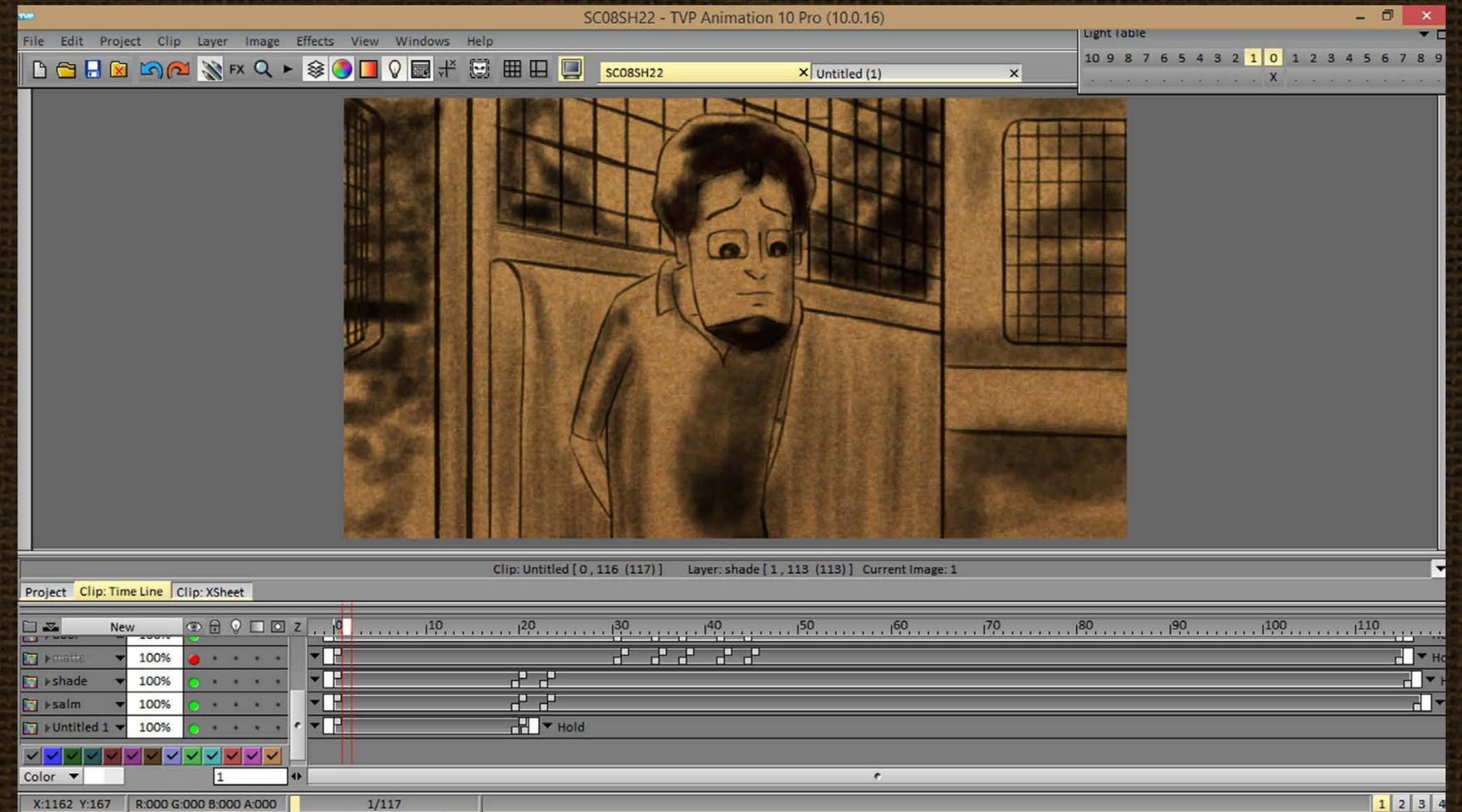
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# Animation

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sq01sc06	5.3	title salaam										
sq01sc07	1.3	pot stir .lift spoon	layout 3									
sq01sc08	4.12	sipping and tasting	layout4									
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sq01sc11	8.15	pan shot table..fish	layout6									
sq01sc12	2.5	mother face table with food ...mother	layout7									
sq01sc13	1.12	POV	layout 8									
sq01sc14	2	mother turn towards camerhead	layout 7									
sq01sc15	8.3	towards open door...turns into city and explotion	layout 8, layout 9									
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sq03sc01	3.21	pressure cooker	layout13									
sq03sc02	2	Mother placing food	layout14									
sq03sc03	5.12	Mother on chair	layout7									
sq03sc04	1.6	door zooming	layout8									
sq03sc05	1.12	Mother face zooming lokking to cameraor door	layout7									
sq03sc06	2.12	door zooming	layout8									
sq03sc07	4.3	house night external	layout15									
sq03sc08	3	clock pendulam	layout16									
sq03sc09	1.18	glass of water	layout17									
sq03sc10	2.1	mother lying sound wake her up	layout7									
sq03sc11	2.1	door open	layout8									



# Compositing & Editing



# Final Film



Sound

Thank You