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Felix After the Rain

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In this visual representation of the weight that harsh words and bad feelings carry, Felix lugs a mysterious suitcase with him everywhere he goes, unable to put it down. Flowing lines and swirling hues drip together as dark clouds form overhead. This is a lovely choice for school or home libraries, through which children will learn empathy and compassion as a kind stranger helps Felix to let go of his emotional baggage.

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