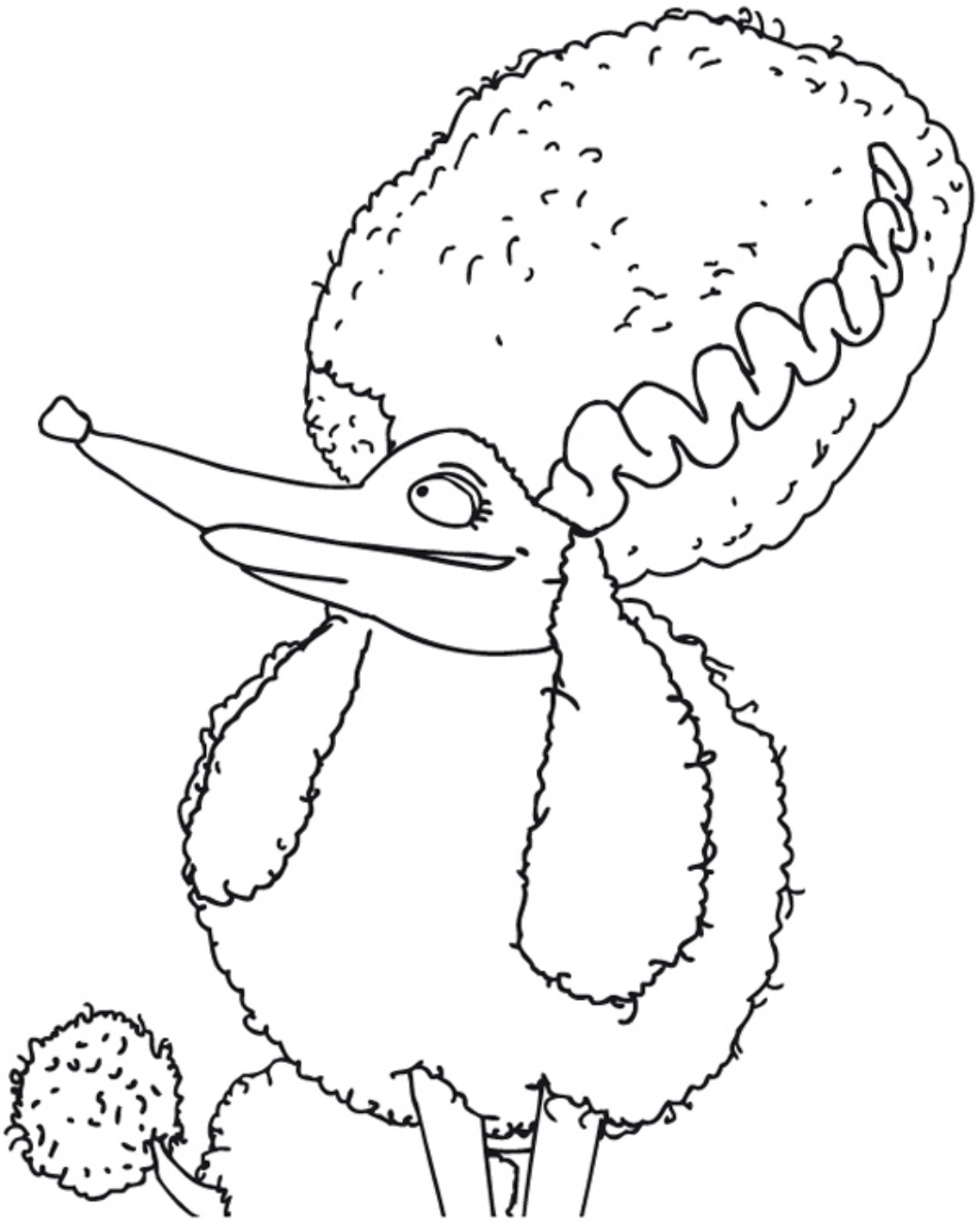PERSEPHONE