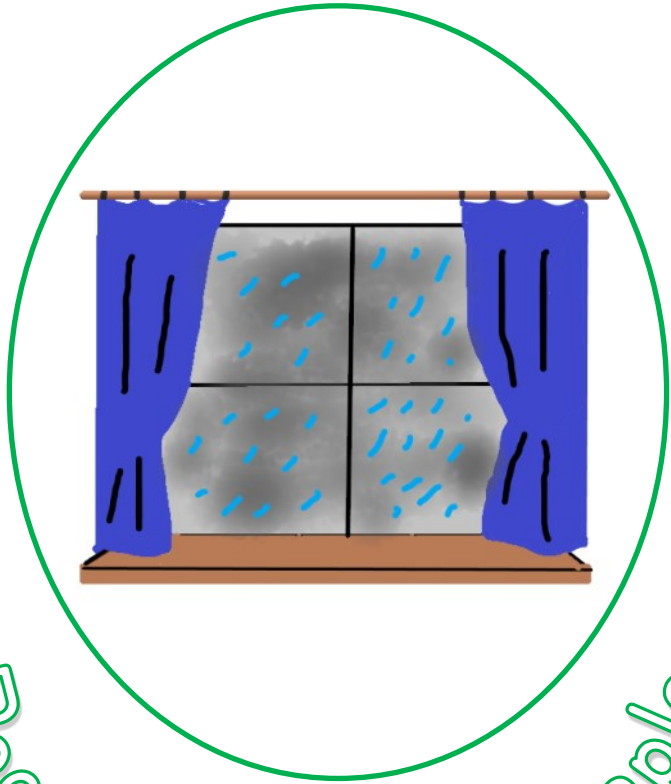


It's Raining!



Reading Made Simple



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Look at these words with your pupil before reading this book. These are all two words joined together.

outside      out    side

weekend      week    end

something      some    thing

bedroom      bed    room

beneath      be    neath

anything      any    thing

This book is to be read after the sound

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has been learnt.

**Introduction:**

Have you ever had to stay indoors on a rainy day? What did you do?

Sam and Pam do not like rainy days. Find out what they do.

Pam and Sam woke up one morning.

“It is raining!” said Sam.

“We cannot go outside,” cried Pam.

It is too wet for Pam and Sam to play outside. They must stay inside the house.

They do not like staying inside.

“Draw something,” said Mum.

So Sam and Pam get pens and crayons and draw. Pam draws a cat on the lawn.

Sam draws a plane.

But soon they tire of drawing.

Sam looks outside. “Is it still raining?”

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“Yes,” said Mum.

So Sam said “Let’s play hide and seek. You hide and I will come and look for you.”

Pam runs to hide. Sam counts, “1, 2, 3, ...”

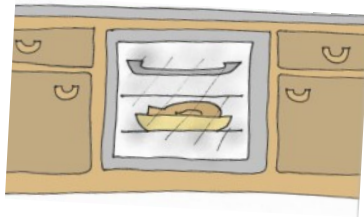
“I’m coming!” shouts Sam.

He looks in the bedrooms. No Pam.

He looks in the kitchen, but mum shoos him out.

Pam cannot be found.

Has she gone outside? he thinks.



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Then he goes into the living room.

“I can see a foot,” says Sam. “I have found you!”

Then Sam goes to hide and Pam counts.

Pam goes to look for Sam.

She looks in the bedrooms and the living room, but no Sam.

“Mum have you seen Sam? I can’t see him.”

“Well, I saw him this morning!” says Mum with a grin.

“I shall have to give up looking, then,” says Pam. “Sam just cannot be found!”

“I’m here!” shouts Sam as he crawls out from be-neath the dining room table.

The children look glum. It is still raining and they cannot think of anything more to do.

“Come and help me to make some cakes for tea,” said Mum.

Pam and Sam are glad to make cakes.

They are pleased to eat them too!

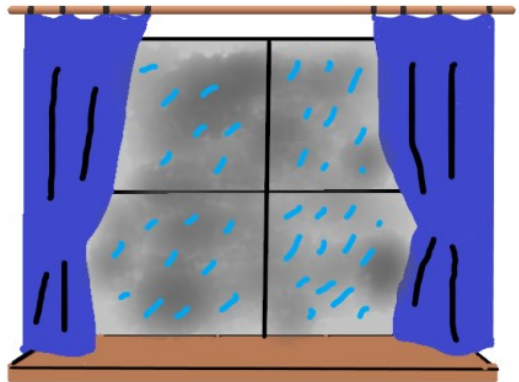
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Then Sam yawns. Mum sees him yawn and says,

“It is seven o’clock. Bedtime! You have had a long day inside. Let’s hope the rain stops soon.”

“We do hope so,” say Pam and Sam.

“We have had fun, but we do like being outside best.”



seven o'clock