

The Bag in the Bin





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BEFORE READING

Talk together

- Read the title together. Ask: *What is Dad doing? What do you think will happen in this story?*
- Talk about what happens to your rubbish, where you put it and who takes it away.
- Look through the book and talk about the pictures.

About the words in this book

- Your child should be able to sound out and blend some words, which may include:

**a in is it on. Dad had
got Mum put bag ran**

- Some words may be more challenging. Encourage or model blending, then read the words below to your child if necessary.

**the to no oh
shopping step
took my eggs
scrambled**



DURING READING

Enjoy the story together.
If your child needs support to read the words:

- Ask your child to point from left to right under each word whilst reading.
- Model how to sound out and blend new words if necessary.
- If a word is still too tricky, simply say the whole word for your child.
- Use the pictures to talk about the story and learn the meaning of new words.



See the inside back cover
for more ideas.



Mum got the shopping.



Mum put it in a bag.



Mum put the bag on
the step.



Dad put the shopping
in the bin.



The bin man took the bin.



My bag is in
the bin!

Mum ran to the bin men.



The bin man got the bag.



Oh no! Scrambled eggs.

AFTER READING

- Look at the pictures again. Ask your child to describe what happens to the shopping bag on each page.
- Look at the picture on page 4. Ask: *Why do you think Dad put the shopping in the bin?*
- Re-read page 8. Ask: *What happened to the eggs?* Talk about why 'Scrambled' is funny.
- Ask: *Which was your favourite part of the story?* *What did you like about it?*

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