

Sam and the Wet Day

Chapter 5

Just at that moment, the classroom door burst open and in walked Mrs Vickers. She had come to tell Sam that his auntie Sue would be collecting him from school and to give him his bag of wet clothes.

That's strange thought Sam mum must still be very busy, but he didn't mind, he liked his auntie Sue and her big fast silver car and he just wanted to go home and get dry.

'Well it was a very wet day,' said Sam as he jumped into the back of aunties Sue's big fast silver car and he started to tell her all about it.





Auntie Sue just giggled, 'Oh dear Sam,' she smiled, you won't want to get wet any more today then?

Auntie Sue turned the corner and drove along the road, they were going home a different way than mum usually went.

A few minutes later auntie Sue stopped the car on a big car park.

'We just need to call at the shop first,' she told Sam.

They both set off down the street. It was a very busy road with lots of children and cars coming and going.

Just then, Sam noticed mum's car and Ned's dad and as he walked round the corner to his surprise, mum, Tom Ned and Anna were all stood waiting and cheering.

This wasn't the shops at all, it was 'Splash' the new swimming pool with big slides and a wave machine and floating dinosaurs!

'Happy Birthday Sam!' they all shouted.

'It's your birthday surprise,' laughed mum.

It's your birthday in the school holidays Sam and you won't see your friends,' explained mum, 'so we thought you might like an early birthday surprise.'

'YES PLEASE,' shouted Sam.

Everyone sang 'happy birthday' as they walked into 'Splash' all the other children in the queue joined in too.

Hmmmm thought Sam, that explained all the strange things that had been happening that day.

Yes, it had been a very wet day and it was going to get even wetter but just for once Sam really didn't mind.

'The best birthday surprise ever,' he shouted to everyone.