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The Snowy Day
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Peter woke up and looked out the window. He saw that snow had fallen during the night.
After breakfast he put on his snowsuit and ran outside.
The snow on the street made a path for walking.
His feet sank into the snow. He walked with his toes pointing out.
He walked with his toes pointing in.
Then he dragged his feet slowly to make tracks.
And he found something sticking out of the snow that made a new track.
It was a stick that was just right for smacking snow off trees.
Down fell the snow on top of Peters head.
He thought it would be fun to have a snowball fight, but he knew he wasn't old enough yet.
Peter made a smiling snowman and an angel.
He pretended he was a mountain climber and climbed up a big pile of snow and slid down.
He picked up a handful of snow and made a snowball.
He put it in his pocket for tomorrow.
He went in the house and told his mother all about his adventures.
He thought and thought and thought about them.
He looked in his pocket but the snowball was gone.
Peter was sad.
While he was sleeping, He dreamed that the sun had melted the snow away.
But when he woke up, the snow was still everywhere.
New snow was falling!
After breakfast he called his friend to play in the snow.