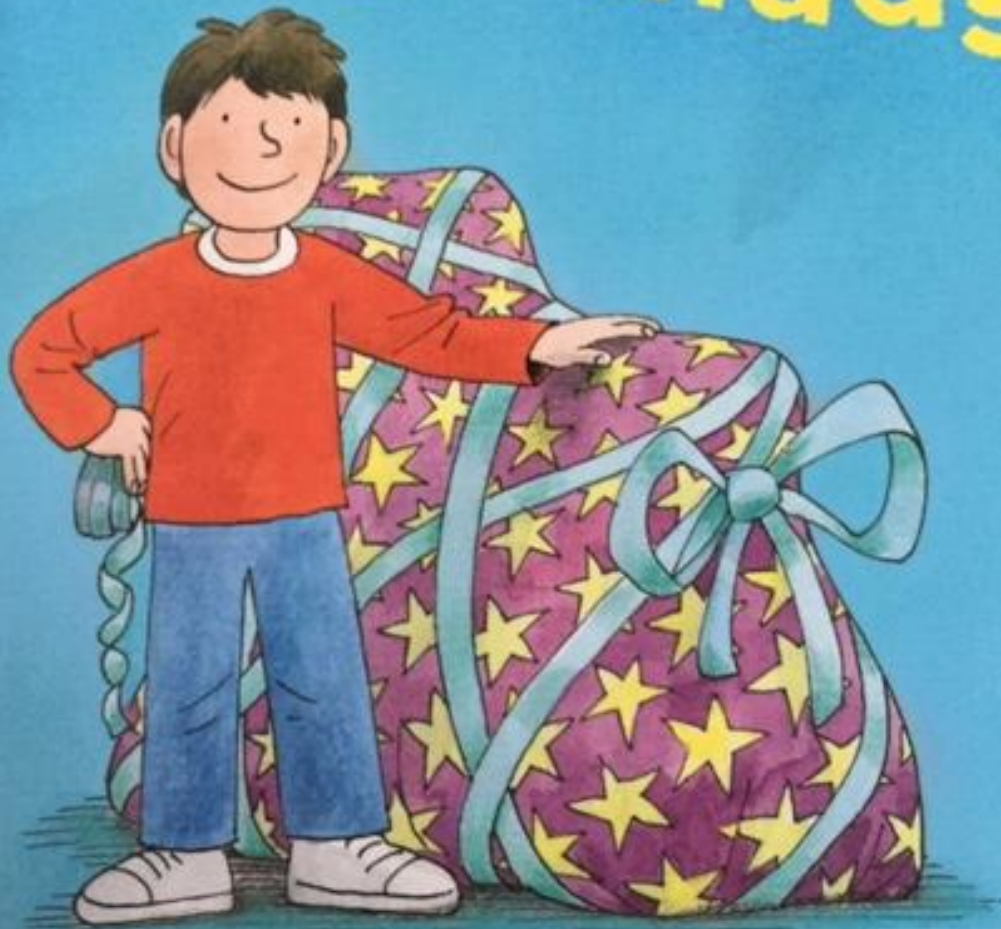


First Stories: Level 2



Dad's Birthday



Series created by
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Tips for Reading Together

Children learn best when reading is fun.

- Talk about the title and the picture on the front cover.
- Look through the pictures together so your child can see what the story is about.
- Read the story to your child, placing your finger under each word as you read.
- Read the story again and encourage your child to join in.
- Give lots of praise as your child reads with you.

Children enjoy re-reading stories and this helps to build their confidence.

Have fun!



After you have read the story, find the caterpillar hidden in every picture.



This book includes these useful common words:
go had on Dad said

For more hints and tips on helping your child become a successful and enthusiastic reader look at our website www.oxfordowl.co.uk.

Dad's Birthday

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It was Dad's birthday.



Dad had a cake.



He had a bike.



Dad got on the bike.



"Go on, Dad," said Biff.



"Go on, Dad," said Chip.



"Go on, Dad," said Kipper.



Dad fell off!

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Oh no!

Talk about the story



How did Dad make the children laugh when he was on the bike?

Why did Dad fall off the bike? Why isn't it a good idea to stand on a bike like that?

How do you think everyone felt when Floppy ran away with the cake?



Do you like going to parties? What is the best party you have been to?