A Drooping Flower

- **Picture 1:** Matt is drinking a cup of water. Molly is **sad**. Her **flower** is **drooping**.
- **Picture 2:** Molly asks Matt for a drink of water. He thinks that she is **thirsty**. Matt hands the cup of water to Molly.
- **Picture 3:** Look! Molly is not drinking the water. She is pouring the water on her drooping flower. Matt is **surprised**!
- Picture 4: Yay! The flower is standing up straight. It looks beautiful! Matt and Molly are happy.

Yes/No Questions

- 1. Is Molly in this story?
- 2. Is Matt in this story?
- 3. Is Matt drinking orange juice in this story?
- 4. Is Matt drinking water in this story?
- 5. Is Molly's flower drooping?
- 6. Does Molly ask Matt for a penny?
- 7. Does Molly ask Matt for a drink of water?
- 8. Does Molly pour the water on Matt's head?
- 9. Does Molly pour the water on her flower?
- 10. Are Matt and Molly happy that the flower is standing up straight?

Wh- and How Questions

- 1. Who is in this story?
- 2. What is Matt drinking?
- 3. Why is Molly sad?
- 4. What does drooping mean?
- 5. What does Molly ask Matt?
- 6. Where does Molly pour the water?
- 7. How does Matt feel when he sees Molly pour the water on her flower?
- 8. What happens to the flower?
- 9. How does the flower look after Molly gives it water?
- 10. How do Matt and Molly feel when they see how beautiful the flower looks?

Suggested Props

cup of water — a little water in a clear plastic cup

flower — a plastic or silk flower stuck into clay in a flowerpot

(Bend the stem for a drooping flower and unbend the stem to make it stand up straight.

If you don't have an old flower, you can tape a paper flower onto a pipe cleaner.)



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Matt is drinking a cup of water.

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Matt hands the cup of water to Molly.

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Molly is pouring the water on her drooping flower.

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Yay!

The flower is standing up straight!