

Milly and Molly's Monday



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Teaching Guide have been
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It is Monday. Milly's first day at school.
"Will you miss me, Marmalade?" she asks
her cat. Marmalade looks the other way.



Milly puts on her purple dress, her green hat
and her red shoes.

Marmalade looks at her sadly.



“Breakfast, Milly,” calls her mother. “You’ll be late for the school bus if you don’t hurry. And don’t worry about Marmalade. It’s surprising how a cat can fill its day.”



Molly is Milly's best friend and Tom Cat is her cat.

"Tom Cat! It's Monday, my first day at school. Will you miss me?"

Tom Cat looks the other way and half opens one eye.



Molly puts on her green dress, her purple hat
and her red shoes.

Tom Cat watches her glumly.



“If you don’t come to breakfast, Molly,
you’ll miss the school bus,” calls her mother.
“And don’t worry about Tom Cat.
It’s surprising how a cat can fill its day.”

The Milly, Molly series of books have been written to promote the acceptance of diversity and sound principles for character education.



It is Milly and Molly's first day at school.
How will Marmalade and Tom Cat fill their day?
Theme: Acceptance of difference

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Robert Munsch: *Noted author of bestselling children's books.*

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