

On the Way to School

I find a dark brown penny.
I pat a friendly cat.
I slosh through murky puddles.
I stomp a berry flat.

I tap tap tap with a pointy stick
on a fence along the block.
I move a roly poly bug
and kick a bright white rock.

And when I hear the first bell ring
I know I might be late.
I sprint like a racer, full-speed ahead
and whizz through the school gate!

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List Poem

☞ My Silly Kitty

- ✧ She runs in circles chasing her tail.
- ✧ She drinks from the faucet.
- ✧ She plays fetch with a jack.
- ✧ She gets her own treats from a bag.
- ✧ She rubs her face on my face.
- ✧ She sleeps with her head upside down.
- ✧ She goes bonkers for wet cat food.



Examples of a List Poem

My Noisy Brother

He slurps when he eats cereal in
the morning.
He gargles milk.
He burps after eating.
He cracks his knuckles.
He whistles.
He snaps his fingers.
He squawks when he's mad.
He snores at night.