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THE PARTY INVITE

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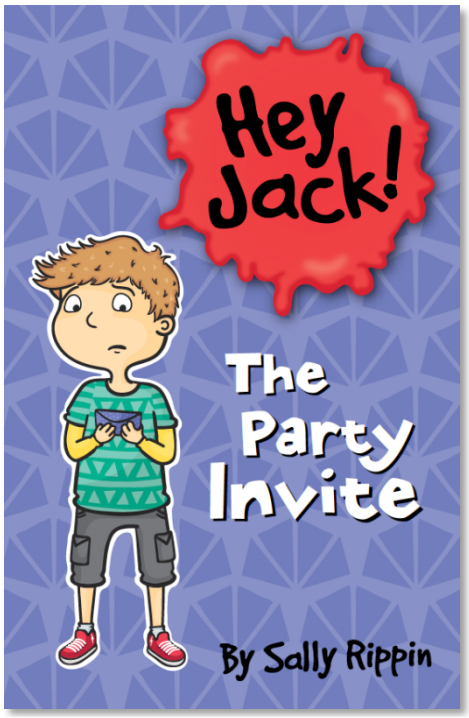
Jack is hurt that Rebecca hasn't invited him to her birthday party. Does that mean that no one likes him?



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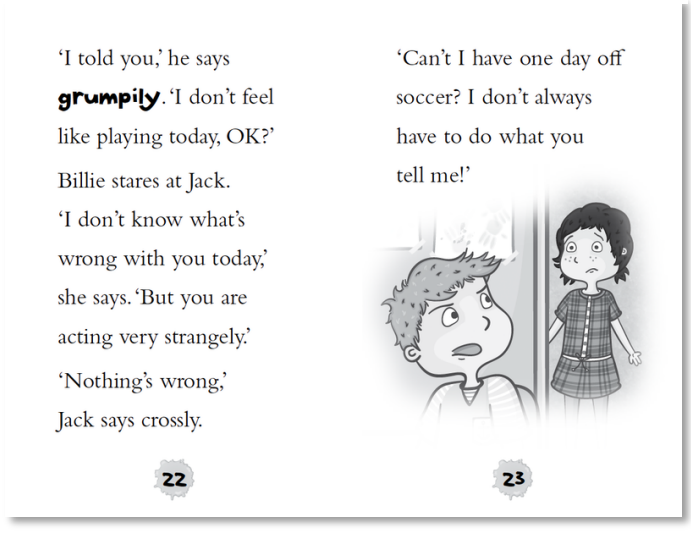
'I told you,' he says **grumpily**. 'I don't feel like playing today, OK?'

Billie stares at Jack. 'I don't know what's wrong with you today,' she says. 'But you are acting very strangely.'

'Nothing's wrong,' Jack says crossly.

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'Can't I have one day off soccer? I don't always have to do what you tell me!'

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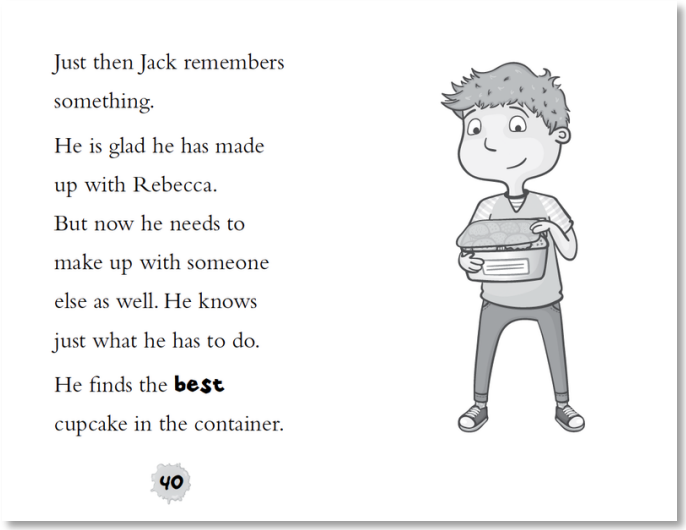
Just then Jack remembers something.

He is glad he has made up with Rebecca. But now he needs to make up with someone else as well. He knows just what he has to do.

He finds the **best** cupcake in the container.

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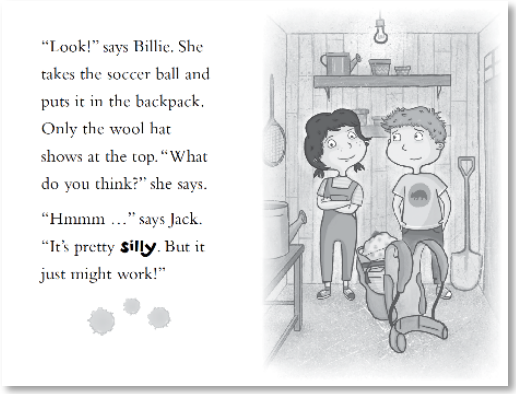
"Look!" says Billie. She takes the soccer ball and puts it in the backpack. Only the wool hat shows at the top. "What do you think?" she says.

"Hmmm …" says Jack. "It's pretty **silly**. But it just might work!"

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