

The Bus

- A Will you sit with me on the bus?
- B Sure. Why?
- A Because I haven't made any new friends here yet. I don't know anybody else at school.
- B That's no biggie. You just meet people.
- A But it's hard.
- B Only in the beginning.
- A The beginning of what?
- B The beginning of anything.
- A But how do you start? How do you meet new people in a new school?
- B I don't know. But I don't think anybody knows. You just talk to them. Like you started talking to me.
- A But what if they don't like me? What if they're mean?
- B Well ... I guess that could happen, but then you just talk to someone else.
- A I don't know. A lot of people are just not that friendly ...
- B Not everyone's going to be nice, but not everyone's going to be mean either. I think there's gonna be plenty of nice kids riding that bus.
- A But how do you know that?
- B You're a nice kid, and you're gonna be riding that bus.

My Teacher Said a Bad Word!

- A What's wrong?
- B Nothing ... I'm okay ...
- A No, you're not. You look upset.
- B Uh ... a little ... maybe a little. Something weird happened in school today.
- A What happened?
- B My teacher said a really bad word.
- A What word?
- B I don't want to repeat it. I'm not allowed. But it's a very bad word that they say in the movies sometimes.
- A Why did your teacher say it? Was she talking about a movie?
- B No. She was yelling and screaming at two of the kids.
- A Did you tell your mom and dad?
- B No.
- A I think you should tell your mom and dad.
- B I don't want to start any trouble.
- A I'm pretty sure teachers are not supposed to yell at the kids. And they're definitely not supposed to say bad words.