

Chapter 1

Late Again



“Maz! Get up now! You’ll be late for school!” Maz’s Mum yelled up the stairs.

“Five more minutes,” said Maz as he pulled the duvet over his head.

And guess what? Maz was late for school. Again.



“You are so lazy!” said Maz’s Mum.

“You really must get here on time,” said Maz’s teacher.

“It’s not my fault,” he said.

“Yes, it is!” they replied.

“You’re old enough to get yourself out of bed on time,” said his Mum.

“You’re old enough to catch the bus on time,” said his teacher.

But to Maz it seemed like there was never enough time - he couldn’t help being late.