



Now it's *your* turn!

This book ends with the boy about to write a story called
The Chickadee. Can you tell or write that story?

Here are some ideas to get you started, but it's up to you. After all,
it's your story. Remember, if you get stuck, maybe a cookie will help.

THE BEGINNING

Ideas for showing what the chickadee wants to do.

One cold day, a hungry chickadee flew to the feeder, but . . .

The chickadee loved sunflower seeds. But whenever . . .

“May I have turn?” asked the chickadee. The bigger birds . . .

THE MIDDLE

Ideas for showing how the chickadee struggles.

The feeder was so crowded, the chickadee . . .

The chickadee tried and tried, but . . .

“Move out of my way,” the blue jay said.

THE END

Ideas for showing how the chickadee finds a way.

Suddenly, the chickadee had an idea . . .

Just when he was about to give up, the chickadee . . .

Suddenly, a friendly robin swooped down and said . . .

Read more about black-capped chickadees at the National Audubon Society

www.audubon.org/field-guide/bird/black-capped-chickadee

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