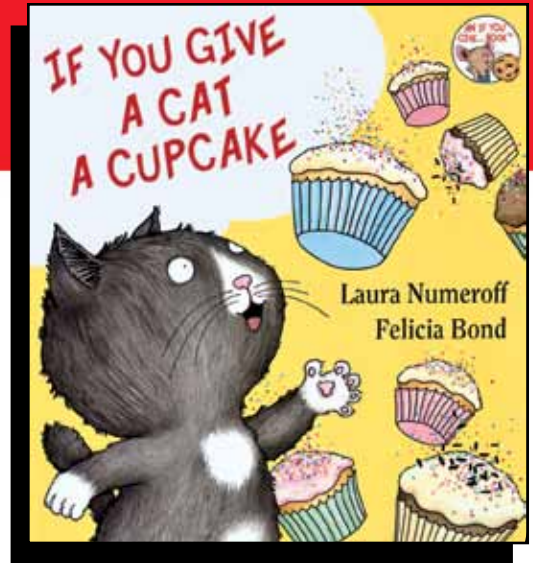


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If You Give A Cat a Cupcake Script

For this Book Talk you will need:

- A copy of *If You Give a Cat a Cupcake*
- A table for the mother and kids to sit at
- Apron
- Cupcakes, sprinkles, chocolate icing, etc. – optional
- 3 Actors (Mother, Laura, and Kristy)



Mother: It's snack time!

(Laura & Kristy come running and sit down at the table)

Mother: I say "snack" and you both come running? Okay, what does everyone want?

Laura: I want a cupcake!

Kristy: Yum! Me, too! Please, Mom!

Mother: Oh, okay, I guess it's alright for tonight. I was thinking of giving you an apple.

Laura: No way, Mom! Cupcakes are *so* much better!

Kristy: Yeah, Mom! Apples are *so* not cool!

Mother: Alright, here you go...one cupcake each.

Kristy: Uh, Mom?

Mother: Yes, Kristy?

Kristy: May I please have some sprinkles?

Mother: Oh, I guess so.

Laura: Mom?

Mother: *(Sigh loudly)* Yes, Laura?

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Laura: May I have some extra icing on my cupcake?

Mother: Well I guess if Kristy can have sprinkles, you can have some more icing.

Laura: Thanks, Mom! Can it be chocolate?

Mother: Yes, but this is it! Nothing else on those cupcakes!

Laura: Okay. *(Make a sad pout)*

Kristy: Mom?

Mother: *(Sighs louder)* Yes, Kristy?

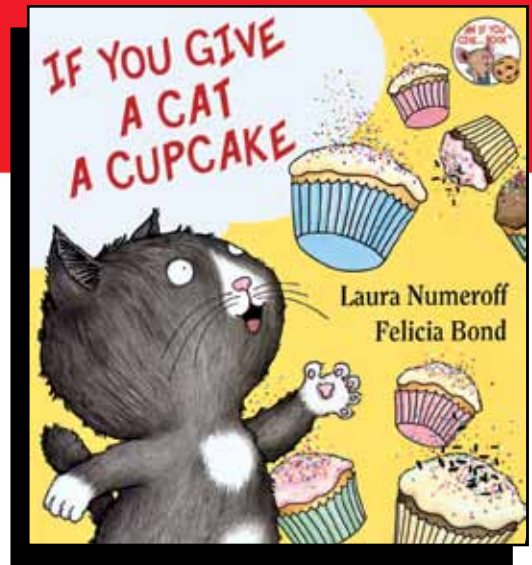
Kristy: After our snack, can we go swimming?

Laura: No, canoeing!

Kristy: No, to the museum!

Laura: No! To the arcade!

Mother: *(As the girls continue to list off things that they want to do shake your head and put your hands on your hips)* I knew cupcakes were a bad idea! Too much sugar! *(Turn your attention to the girls)* The only place you two are going is to the Scholastic Book Fair!



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