



Dad's Boots
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"Hooray! Dad is coming home. I can hear his boots—*thump thump thump!*"
Malik loves to hear that sound.



Thump! Thump! Thump!

"It sounds like a ball bouncing, but I know it is Dad's boots"



Malik's dad lets him borrow his boots. Malik wants to make the *thump thump thump* sound.



Dad's boots are so big. They are almost as big as Malik!



Dad's boots are so high.

Plop! Now Malik can stand up tall.



Now Malik wants to clean up like Dad. But these boots are very heavy
Screech ... screech ... screech.
But why is there no *thump thump thump* sound?



Hmm, maybe Malik should lift his foot higher?
Oh, ouch! They are too heavy.



He slips, and the trash goes everywhere.
How can Malik clean it again?



What if he just takes off the boots?
Ouch! An ant bites his foot.



Oooh, these ants are marching while carrying food. They look like a food train.



Choo choo!

Malik's toy trucks can also carry things just like a train.

Choo choo!



Hmm, Malik puts the bottles in the yellow car.
Then he puts the glue in the red car.



Next, he puts the leaves in the green car.
But the car is too small.



So he puts the leaves in the boots. The boots can carry things too.



Choo choo ... thump thump.
Yay! Malik has a long train.
Choo choo ... thump thump.



Dad is proud of Malik for cleaning up just like him.

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