

OUR FIRST MOTHER'S DAY

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INTRODUCTION

Thank you for looking at this sample from 'OUR FIRST MOTHER'S DAY', a Mother's Day performance suitable for ages 3-7.

TIMING: If you stick exactly to the script, and sing all the songs, this performance should take about 20 minutes. If this is too long for you, you can easily shorten the production by 10 minutes or so, using the provided editable version of the script.

SYNOPSIS: Alex is a young child who is getting ready for Mother's Day. The card has been made and the flowers are ready... but then... disaster! The dog eats the card and flowers! Find out how Alex still makes Mother's Day extra special!

PARTS: Please note that there are no acting roles in this performance. The story is told entirely through narrators. There are enough narrators' parts for around forty children to have a line each. A PowerPoint presentation is also included to illustrate each song theme. You are of course welcome to use the included editable script to easily add your own extra lines and parts if required.

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SONG 1 **M-U-M-M-Y**

There is someone who cares for me,
And she is called my Mummy,
M-U-M-M-Y, M-U-M-M-Y, M-U-M-M-Y,
And she is called my Mummy... etc...



NARRATOR: We're going to tell you a Mother's Day story about a young schoolchild called Alex.

It was the Friday afternoon before Mother's Day and Alex was making a Mother's Day card and present.

Alex's teacher had shown the class how to make Mother's Day cards and now Alex was busy folding, cutting, sticking and drawing...

SONG 2 **Mother's Day Cards**

Oh, I am making,
A card for Mother's Day,
Oh, I am making,
A card to simply say,
Thank you for,
Taking such good care of me... etc...



NARRATOR: Once the card was finished, Alex had to think of some lovely words to write inside it.

After a lot of thought, Alex came up with these words...

SONG 3 **Sorry**

I have made this song to say,
Sorry in so many ways,
Sorry when I really shout,
Sorry when I mess about,
Sorry when I've broken things... etc...



NARRATOR: Alex's teacher had brought in lots of colourful flowers. The smell in the classroom was simply beautiful.

The teacher let everyone in the class pick four flowers each, so they could make a lovely bouquet for their Mothers.
Alex picked a rose, a violet, a daffodil and a tulip.
Alex tied them together with a soft, red ribbon. They looked amazing!

SONG 4 **Mummy, Mummy Lovely Mummy**

Mummy, Mummy, lovely Mummy,
I have some flowers for you,
With roses red and violets blue,
I have brought them all for you... etc...



NARRATOR: Later that day, Alex's father picked Alex up from school.
When they got home, Alex hid the flowers and card in the garage. Alex carefully stood the flowers in a bucket of water, so they would still be fresh on Mother's Day.
Then Alex's parents had a surprise that made Alex so happy! They had bought a new puppy.
Alex played with the puppy for the rest of the day.
However, over the Friday night the new puppy was so noisy that no one in the house could sleep! The puppy barked and barked all night long!
So, on the Saturday night, Alex's dad put the puppy in the garage. The puppy seemed very happy about this new place to play, and he wagged his tail excitedly. It was a lot quieter in the house that night and everyone slept soundly.
The next morning it was Mother's Day and Alex went straight to the garage to get the flowers and cards that had been hidden there.
However, when Alex opened the garage, Alex was upset to find that the puppy had made a terrible mess. Boxes, tools and old tins of paint had been dragged and thrown all over, but the worst thing was that the puppy had ripped and chewed Alex's Mother's Day card and flowers!
Oh no!
Alex cried and cried. What was Alex going to do now?