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You can't play with your favorite toy because you can't find it.

You can't go outside to play because it's raining.

You're sick and have to stay in bed.

You ask for candy at the store, and you can't have candy, today.

You really want to see your grandparents, but they can't come over, today.

You're hungry but you have to wait to eat.

You want to play at your friend's house but they are not home.

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