

**Frog On His Own**  
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<b>1</b>	One day a boy walked to the park with his dog, carrying his pet frog and turtle in a bucket.
<b>2 – 3</b>	After they got into the park, the frog jumped out of the bucket. The frog waved goodbye to his friends as they walked away. He wanted to explore the park on his own.
<b>4 – 5</b>	The frog came upon some flowers. He was watching them very closely. All of a sudden he snapped his tongue high into the flowers.
<b>6 – 7</b>	He caught a big, tasty bug for his lunch. He put the bug in his mouth and realized that was a big mistake.
<b>8 – 9</b>	The bug was a bumblebee. It stung the frog on his tongue. After a while, the frog noticed a man and woman who were having a picnic.
<b>10 – 11</b>	The woman reached into her picnic basket. At the same time, the frog crawled into the basket. As the woman was digging around for something to eat, she felt something strange.
<b>12 – 13</b>	She quickly pulled her hand out of the basket to find the frog hanging on her arm. The frog quickly jumped away from the couple. The woman threw a coffee cup at him. She screamed, “Don’t you ever come back you nasty little frog!”
<b>14 – 15</b>	The frog hopped over to a small pond where he noticed a little boy sailing his toy boat. The boy’s mother was on a bench reading.
<b>16 – 17</b>	The curious frog wondered if he could sail in the boat. He leapt though the air - and landed, splat, on top of the sailboat.
<b>18 – 19</b>	The frog was too big for the sailboat and sunk it. The little boy started crying and his mother came to pull the sunken sailboat out of the water. The frog swam across the pond and crawled out on the other side. He saw a woman on a bench rocking a baby stroller. Her cat was napping by the stroller.
<b>20 – 21</b>	The curious frog wanted to know what was inside the stroller. He took a giant leap toward it. The frog landed on the baby’s lap. The baby sat up and looked at the frog. It was time for the baby to have a bottle and the mom was getting it ready.
<b>22 – 23</b>	While the mom read her magazine she held out the bottle for her baby. The frog was going to drink the bottle while the mom wasn’t looking. The baby started to cry because he wanted his bottle. The cat climbed up the stroller to try to catch the frog. The mother realized what was happening and was shocked.
<b>24 – 25</b>	She picked up her baby while the cat chased after the frog.
<b>26 – 27</b>	The frog leapt away as fast as he could but the cat caught him by the leg. The cat wrestled the frog to the ground. The frog was very frightened.
<b>28 – 29</b>	Luckily, along came the boy with his dog and turtle. The dog barked at the cat and the boy yelled, “Hey, get away from my frog!” This scared the cat who ran away as fast as he could.
<b>30</b>	The boy picked up his frog and started to walk home. The frog lay in the boy’s arms, very tired from all of his adventures. He was happy to be back with his friends.