## 第36回ちびっ子イングリッシュコンテスト英語暗唱部門 課題文

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## The Tale of Peter Rabbit

"Once upon a time there were four little rabbits, named Flopsy, Mopsy, Cotton-tail, and Peter. They lived with their Mother under the root of a big fir-tree.

'Now, my dears,' said old Mrs. Rabbit, 'you may go into the fields or down the lane, but don't go into Mr. McGregor's garden.

Your Father had an accident there.' Flopsy, Mopsy, and Cotton-tail, who were good little rabbits, went down the lane to gather blackberries.

But Peter, who was very naughty, ran straight away to Mr. McGregor's garden, and squeezed under the gate!" (96 words)

The Tale of Peter Rabbit by Beatrix Potter (1902)