

# Merlin Madness

In *Pet Trouble: Runaway Retriever*, Parker is thrilled when playful Merlin, the golden retriever, comes into his life. The two are inseparable from day one. But there's just one thing: Merlin can escape from any cage, fence, or even locked door and follows Parker everywhere! Fill in the blanks and create your own Merlin adventure!



## A Day in the Life of My Dog

Merlin loves to play! Today he escaped from his \_\_\_\_\_ to follow me. He then \_\_\_\_\_ over a \_\_\_\_\_ and knocked over a \_\_\_\_\_ which spilled \_\_\_\_\_ all over the \_\_\_\_\_. He even tried to get on the \_\_\_\_\_ when I left for school. It was the \_\_\_\_\_ time he followed me to school this week!

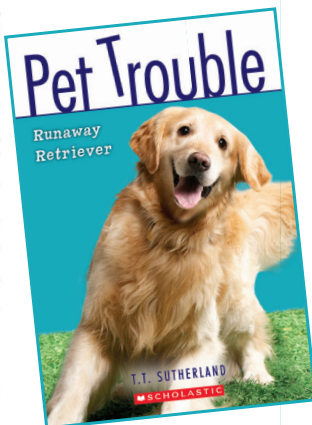
(noun) (verb past-tense)  
(noun) (piece of furniture) (type of drink)  
(room in house) (type of transportation)  
(number)

Merlin also loves to hide things! He found a \_\_\_\_\_ in my sister's room and dropped it in the washing machine. My mom was upset when her \_\_\_\_\_ was \_\_\_\_\_ from the toy. Later that day, I found \_\_\_\_\_ on my bed. It made such a mess that there were \_\_\_\_\_ crumbs all over my pillow!

(type of toy) (piece of clothing) (adjective)  
(type of food)  
(color)

Merlin's favorite game is \_\_\_\_\_. I threw the \_\_\_\_\_ for him to fetch and he didn't come back! I looked all over and finally found him at the \_\_\_\_\_. All that troublemaking can make a dog \_\_\_\_\_. When Merlin came home, he went right to sleep on a \_\_\_\_\_, and I breathed a sigh of relief!

(type of game) (noun) (place)  
(adjective) (noun)



Meet Merlin, a great golden retriever who just can't sit and stay, in *Pet Trouble: Runaway Retriever*!



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