



# John's Big Dream

Okoth





Young John sits on a rickety wooden stool outside his small, colorful home, gazing wistfully at the distant, grand schoolhouse. His eyes are wide with wonder, imagining the adventures within its walls, as a bright sun shines down on him.



While other children skip past with their school bags, John watches from behind a playful pile of oversized, mismatched barrels. A touch of sadness crosses his expressive face, but a spark of determination still flickers in his hopeful eyes.





One evening, under the soft glow of a single, exaggerated lantern, John discovers an old, tattered storybook among discarded items. His face lights up with pure joy, as if he's found a hidden treasure, clutching the book tightly.





John, with an enormous, cheerful grin, proudly shows his new-found book to his kind, slightly stooped grandmother, who is mending clothes. She smiles warmly, her eyes twinkling, encouraging his enthusiasm for learning.





Days turn into nights as John diligently studies, perched on a stack of colorful, oversized pillows, surrounded by a few well-loved books. He's so engrossed, a tiny, curious firefly glows near his ear, adding a magical touch to the scene.





A mischievous squirrel with an oversized acorn watches as John helps a friendly, elderly neighbor sort through a pile of quirky, colorful legal documents. John's focused expression shows his natural talent for problem-solving, making the neighbor beam with relief.





A kind, wise teacher from the schoolhouse, with a friendly, round face and spectacles, kneels down to chat with John, holding an open book. She sees his bright potential and offers him a special opportunity to attend evening classes.





On his very first day, John stands at the grand entrance of the vibrant, bustling schoolhouse, his small figure dwarfed by the tall, arching doorway. He takes a deep breath, his heart full of excitement and a touch of nervous anticipation.





Inside the lively classroom, John is fully engaged, raising his hand high with an eager smile, surrounded by other diverse, expressive students. The blackboard behind them is filled with whimsical drawings and cheerful numbers, symbolizing his new world of learning.





Years later, a confident, slightly older John, now a lawyer in a smart, oversized suit, stands proudly in front of a bustling courthouse, holding a briefcase. He gestures kindly towards a grateful family, helping them with a big, happy smile, his dream wonderfully realized.