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Hairy Maclary, Sit is a hilarious rhyming story by Lynley Dodd. Hairy Maclary causes trouble again when he is simply not in the mood for the Kennel Club's Obedience Class. He feels mischievous and mad and not only does he scamper away but all his friends - Bottomley Potts, Muffin McLay, Hercules Morse, Schnitzel von Krumm and the rest follow "Galloping here, galloping there, rollicking, frolicking everywhere"! Lynley Dodd is an award-winning author/illustrator who lives in New Zealand. She is enormously popular for her rhyming stories of the unforgettable HAIRY MACLARY and his friends. She worked as a teacher before beginning to write her own books in 1974. Read all the Hairy Maclary and Friends books by Lynley Dodd! Hairy Maclary's Bone; Hairy Maclary Scattercat; Hairy Maclary's Caterwaul Caper; Hairy Maclary's Rumpus at the Vet; Slinky Malinki; Hairy Maclary's Showbusiness; Slinky Malinki, Open the Door; Sniff-Snuff-Snap!; Schnitzel Von Krumm Forget-Me-Not; Slinky Malinki Catflaps; Slinky Malinki's Christmas Crackers; Hairy Maclary's Hat Tricks; Scarface Claw; Schnitzel Von Krumm, Dog's Never Climb Tress; Hairy Maclary, Sit; Hairy Maclary and Zachary Quack; Magnet Fun with Hairy Maclary; Hairy Maclary, Shoo; Hairy Maclary and Friends Little Library; Slinky Malinki, Open the Door; Slinky Malinki Early Bird; Where is Hairy Maclary?; Sticker Fun with Hairy Maclary; My Cat Likes to Hide in Boxes

## **Hairy Maclary Sit Details**

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## **From Reader Review Hairy Maclary Sit for online ebook**

### **Serge Smagarinsky says**

The mistress of mayhem and mischief has manufactured another masterpiece to marvel at. The rhyme makes zero attempt to stand in the way of the story and the rhythm helps it bounce along at break-neck speed, matching the energy of these colourful canines. The "chorus" in Dodd's symphony allows young readers to join in as their memories quickly devour the repeated verse.

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### **Alyce Hunt says**

You can't go wrong with a good old Hairy Maclary story, and I'm glad that my little one seems to like him just as much as I did. The illustrations are hilarious, while the rhymes will make you laugh no matter how old you are. It helped that there was a dog called Noodle, which is our daughter's nickname - she seemed delighted (if a little confused) by that twist of events.

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### **Hannah says**

My two-year-old niece begged to have "the doggy book" read to her time and again, and so my sister bought her a set of Hairy Maclary books. Her older siblings have most of this book memorized, which is not a difficult feat. The rhythmic pattern and the repetition make this a wonderful children's book!

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### **Belinda Missen says**

This could have been a lot different with one extra letter in the title.

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### **Dolly says**

Cute story about dog obedience school going awry. The illustrations are humorous and the rhyming narrative is fun to read aloud. We've really enjoyed the two Hairy Maclary books we've read and hope to find more at our local library.

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### **Jess says**

June 2016 - the kind of rhyming story that's actually lots of fun to read aloud, not awkward. I chose it the first time, and Ben picked it for a reread - I'll have to check out the others in the series.

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## **Katherine says**

Hairy Maclary and the gang are "lined up on the grass/for the Kennel Club's/Special/Obedience/Class" But not for long! Soon it's mayhem and madness as they each break for the hills.

If you have enjoyed Hairy Maclary from Donaldson's Dairy, you won't be disappointed with this story of the scruffy little dog and his friends. We were delighted to meet three new dogs, Custard, Noodle and Barnacle B and I was thrilled to learn that the collective noun for a group of canines is "a fidget of dogs." How brilliant! Bravo Lynley Dodd.

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## **Robyn says**

(Read with little sister as part of the "1,001 Children's Books To Read")

I liked all the dogs different rhyming names, very cute dogs.

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## **Jack Kirby and the X-man says**

A fun romp with some disobedient dogs... The usual great illustrations, rhyme and rhythm.

While you don't completely need to, you'll get more out of this book if you've read the original in the series - Hairy Maclary from Donaldson's Dairy. You'll just understand more about each of the characters = which are barely introduced in this book.

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## **Kathleen Dixon says**

The three grandchildren all love this rollicking, frolicking tale of what happens at the Kennel Club's Special Obedience Class (and **all** Hairy Maclary books, truth be told). Lynley Dodd once again gets it exactly right - great vocabulary, fabulous rhyming, terrific pace, hilarious illustrations.

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## **Jenna Mills says**

2yo, having refused to read it at all, now loves this and keeps reading it to herself now. It's great.

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## **Rachel says**

Lynley Dodd's merry little rhyme schemes, spot on cadence and amusing illustrations make her books an entertaining parent/child experience.

Though this particular one has a wee excess of repetition (6 of 15 pages) and the ending isn't quite as satisfying as some, (it ends with the climax instead of a resolution) it uses the most fantastically fun dog names, making it a verbal treat.

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### **Sandie says**

Love, Love, Love this book! My daughter and I love Lynley Dodd! This book has got to be my favorite Hairy Maclary book...it is just to funny about a group of dogs at obedience school being very disobedient!!

The rhyming makes her books so fun but the names she comes up with for her characters are fantastic and coupled with the pictures....phenomal childrens book!

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### **Kerri Selby says**

My 4 year old and I really enjoyed this.  
With the funny dog's names, and the repetitive 'chorus', it's a delightful story.

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### **Lauren Kramer says**

Hairy Maclary is back in an all new adventure. His owner has decided to take him to the park for the Kennel Club's Special Obedience Class. Surrounded by other dogs, Hairy felt energized.

The mischievous pup decided that it would be more fun to explore the park on his own. Hairy's lack of obedience soon turns the park upside down. Will Hairy ever learn to sit and stay?

I found this book to be quite a fun read. Children will fall in love with Hairy Maclary and cheer him on throughout his adventures. I also found the rhyming text to be innovative and found that it relates to the illustrations with ease.

Children ages 3-9 will love this book (along with animal lovers of all ages).

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