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# A Day With Nellie



## Synopsis

Wake up, Nellie! The fun is about to begin. First, there's deciding what to wear. Then there's breakfast with all kinds of shapes and textures and tastes. From indoor play in a made-up train, to a trip to the park and a bedtime cuddle with Daddy, Nellie's day is full of discoveries. Marthe Jocelyn's bright collages incorporate a feast of concepts for small children to explore. With so much to look at and talk about, *A Day with Nellie* is sure to be a favorite with the very young and with the people who take care of them. From the Hardcover edition.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 2 - 5 years

Grade Level: Preschool - Kindergarten

## Customer Reviews

PreSchool-Spending time with Nellie is a simple affair. She gets up, dresses, eats, plays, naps, has a picnic, plays some more, takes a bath, eats supper, and goes to bed. The straightforward text subtly introduces numbers, colors, the alphabet, and other concepts, with some questions thrown in to make the story interactive. Jocelyn's charming, intricate collages magically turn cloth, buttons, and other materials into lively, colorful, multidimensional scenes. Children will enjoy the pictures and relate to this day in the life of a typical preschooler. Be Astengo, Alachua County Library, Gainesville, FL Copyright 2003 Reed Business Information, Inc. --This text refers to the Hardcover edition.

PreS-Gr. 1. Jocelyn, who treated children to an ingenious story wrapped around collections in *Hannah's Collections* (2000), now offers a new book that is both delightfully child-friendly and practical enough to get kids thinking. Kids are invited to spend a day with Nellie as she gets

dressed, has a picnic, plays with toys, becomes tired and cranky, and then revives after a nap--activities very familiar to children. In fact, the charming collage artwork will inspire kids to think about their own days as they name Nellie's friends (her stuffed animals, her quilted blankie); point out the letters of the alphabet as Nellie plays teacher; and identify the bath items at tub time (washcloth, sponge, rubber ducky, etc.). There are so many things to see and so many different objects (cloth, paper, buttons, felt, and pasta, among other things) used to make the pictures that numerous readings will be guaranteed. Ilene CooperCopyright © American Library Association. All rights reserved --This text refers to the Hardcover edition.

My infant daughters name is Nellie. When I saw this book I had to have it! I was pleasantly surprised at the great quality of the book and the story. My daughter will cherish this book forever!

A Day With Nellie is a delightful picture book written and illustrated by Marthe Jocelyn for young readers about the numerous choices young Nellie must make in her day, from what to wear to what to do. Strong, playful color illustrations resembling paper cutout models make this a particularly vibrant and happy tale for beginning readers.

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