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*Munsch at Play Act 2: Eight More Stage Adaptations*  
Original stories by Robert Munsch.  

This second book of Robert Munsch stage adaptations follows in the successful footsteps of the first book, which was a starred selection of the Canadian Children’s Book Centre, who named it one of the Best Books for Kids and Teens in 2011. Award-winning playwright and children’s novelist Irene N. Watts has adapted a further eight of Munsch’s stories. Complemented by illustrations from long-time Munsch collaborator Michael Martchenko, each play includes a list of cast, staging, set design, props and costumes, and the script. Watts also includes a helpful preface for teachers who may be considering a stage production.

The lively adaptations include suggestions to encourage audience participation and to handle varying numbers of cast members. Innovative ideas for props and costumes that are simple and inexpensive are also included.

The stories included in this book are: *The Fire Station, I Have to Go!, Something Good, David’s Father, Jonathan Cleaned Up - Then He Heard a Sound, Show and Tell, From Far Away, and Pigs.*

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