



One Tuesday morning, Emily and Tom went to fill their jug with fresh water from the tap in the classroom.

But it wasn't fresh water that came out of the tap.

"That water is muddy," said Tom.

"We can't put muddy water in the fish tank," said Emily. "It might hurt the discus fish."

Just as Emily and Tom were about to try a different tap, everyone else rushed back into the classroom.

“I couldn’t give the guinea pigs fresh water,” complained Bree.

“And we couldn’t fill up the drink bottles!” said Georgie.

“I couldn’t clean the paint brushes,” complained Harry. “You can’t clean with dirty, muddy water!”

“I couldn’t even make my tea,” said Mrs Wheeler. To everyone’s surprise, there was muddy water coming out of all the school taps.

