Learning To Teach In The Lifelong Learning Sector
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Tom goes out of the house in the street. He is sought out by a crowd of curious and attentive listeners. They ask him about his adventures. While wandering the streets of St. Petersburg, Tom and the new arrival, a gruff and gruff-looking man, eventually lose the new comer all the way home.

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Tom comes home at suppertime with soiled hands and clothes. Aunt Polly asks about his adventures. During supper, Aunt Polly tells Tom that he will be skipped school that afternoon and must write a letter to an old aunt. Tom quickly writes a story to Aunt Polly and shows her that his writing is a work of art. Aunt Polly is satisfied.

Tom and his new arrival excite Tom's half-brother, Sid. The two boys scheme to rob the town agent and eventually chase the newcomer all the way home.

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