The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle

In the light of the moon a little egg lays on a leaf.

One Sunday morning the warm sun comes up and – pop! – out of the egg comes a tiny and very hungry caterpillar.

He starts to look for some food.

On Monday he eats one apple, but he is still hungry.

On Tuesday he eats two pears, but he is still hungry.

On Wednesday he eats three plums, but he is still hungry.

On Thursday he eats four strawberries, but he is still hungry.

On Friday he eats five oranges, but he is still hungry.

On Saturday he eats one piece of chocolate cake, one ice cream, one pickle, one slice of cheese, one slice of salami, one lollipop, one piece of cherry pie, one sausage, one cupcake, and one slice of watermelon.

That night he has stomachache!

On Sunday the caterpillar eats one nice green leaf, and he feels much better.

Now he isn’t hungry and he isn’t a little caterpillar. He is a big fat caterpillar.

He builds a small house, called a cocoon.

He stays in the cocoon more than two weeks. Then he comes out and...

..........he is a beautiful butterfly!

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