

There's Something In My Closet  
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One night I was getting ready for bed when my closet door slammed shut. I got really scared! I ran upstairs to tell my parents but when we got back to my room everything was normal.

They asked me what's wrong. I said, "My closet door slammed shut but I don't know what it is." My dad said, "Well lets go and see what it is."

My dad opened the closet door and he saw a raccoon eating garbage from outside. I said, "This is a mystery of how the raccoon got in my closet."

Then I ran downstairs to see how the raccoon got in my closet. The door was open! I wonder who opened the door in the middle of the night, if my parents and I are all upstairs. I went upstairs and asked my parents who left the door open. My dad said, "I forgot to lock and close the door." So maybe the raccoon came inside my house and went upstairs to my closet.

I am so glad that this mystery is solved so now I can play and sleep in my room without being scared.

