Look at Black Cat.
He’s on his mat.
He’s happy, fat, and glad.

Tan Cat walks by,
his tail held high.
And now Black Cat is mad.
Black Cat will never share.
It is so sad.
Tan Cat feels bad.
They could have been a pair.

Color all of the short a words in the poem with a crayon.
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