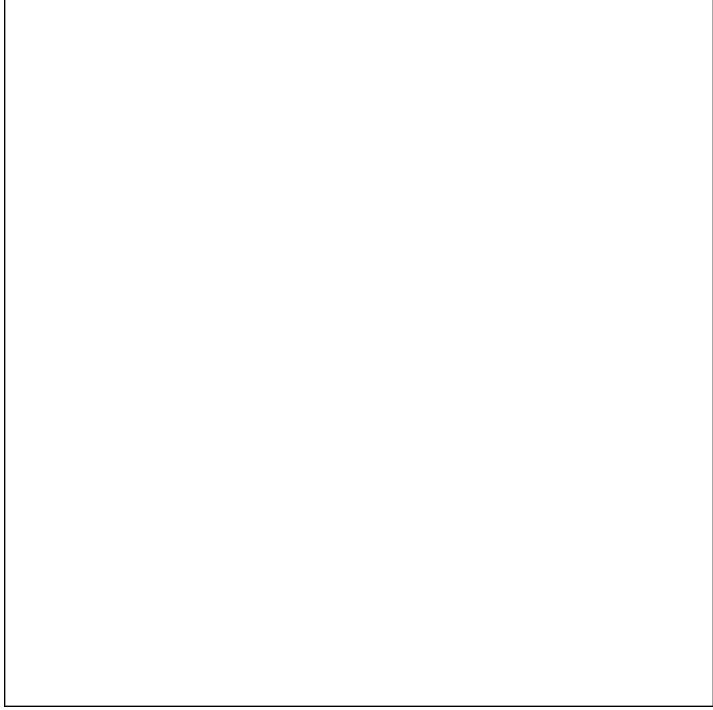




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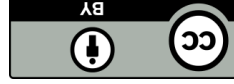
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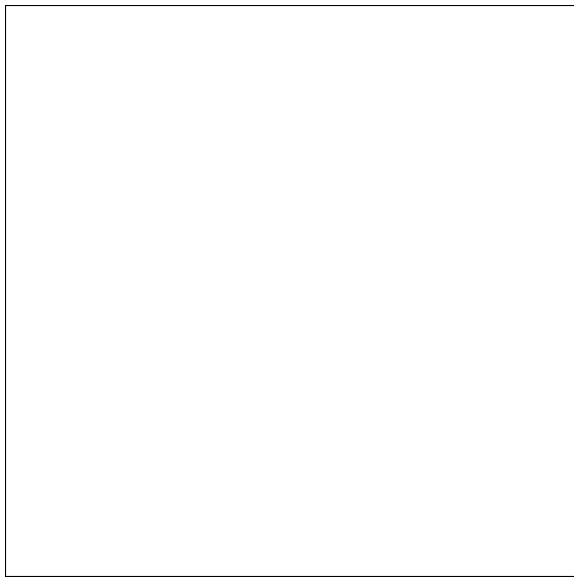
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Il mio fratellino si addormenta molto tardi. Io
mi alzo presto perché sono un grande!

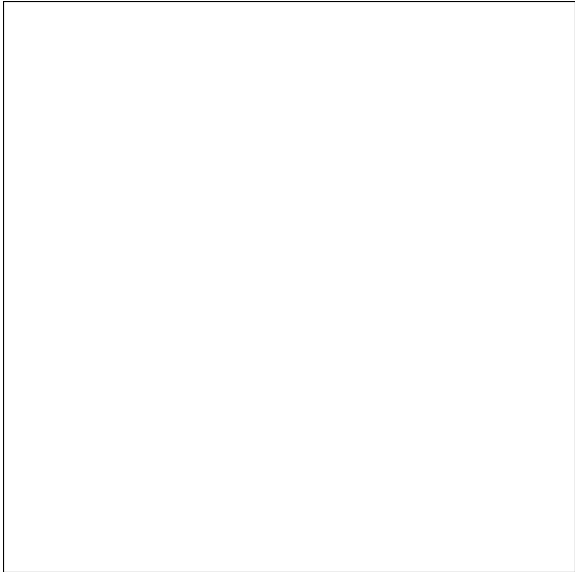
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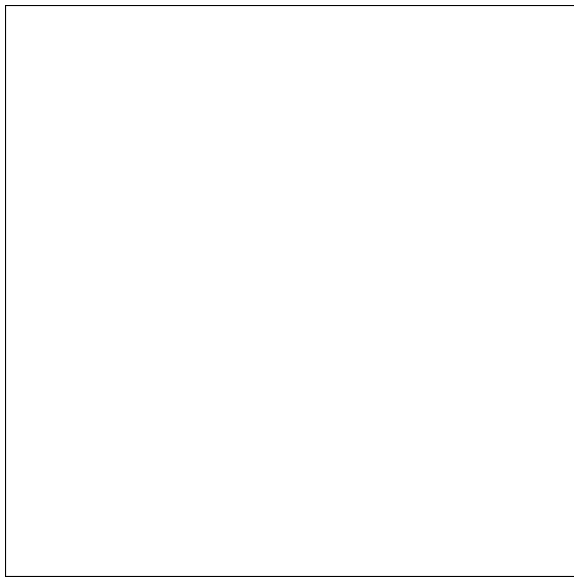
My little brother sleeps very late. I wake early,
because I am great!

I am the one who lets in the sun.

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Io sono quello che lascia entrare il sole.

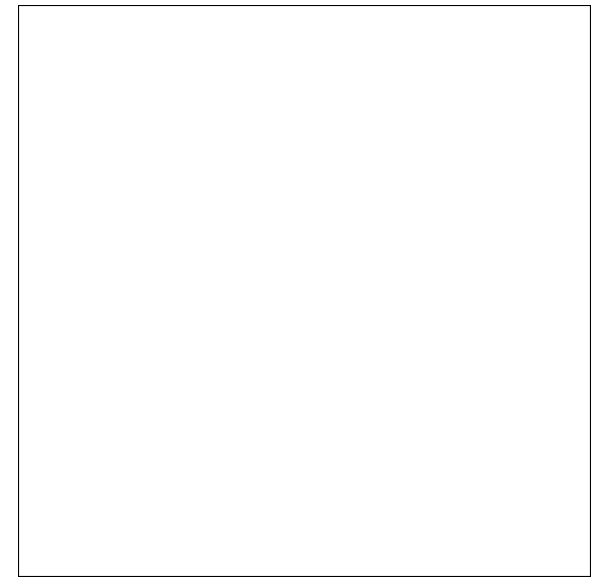




“Tu sei la mia stella del mattino,” dice mamma.

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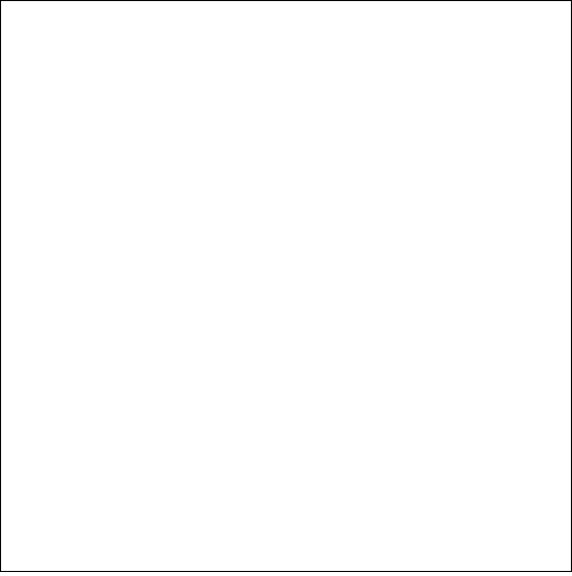
“You’re my morning star,” says Ma.



Io faccio tutte queste cose buone ogni giorno.
Ma la cosa che più mi piace è giocare e
giocare!

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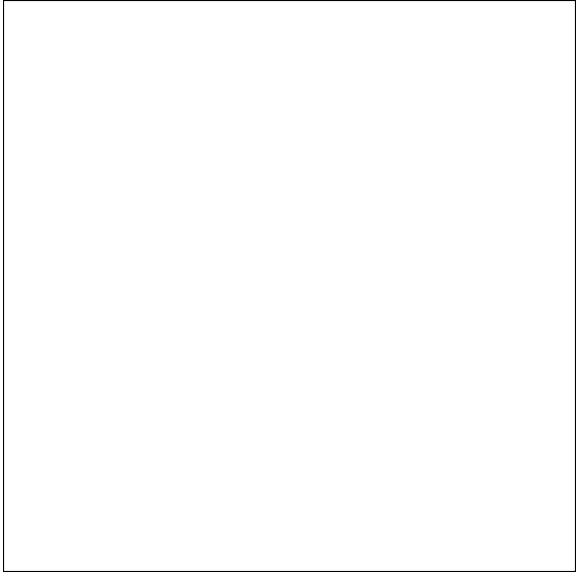
I do all these good things every day. But the
thing I like most, is to play and play!



In classe faccio del mio meglio in ogni modo.

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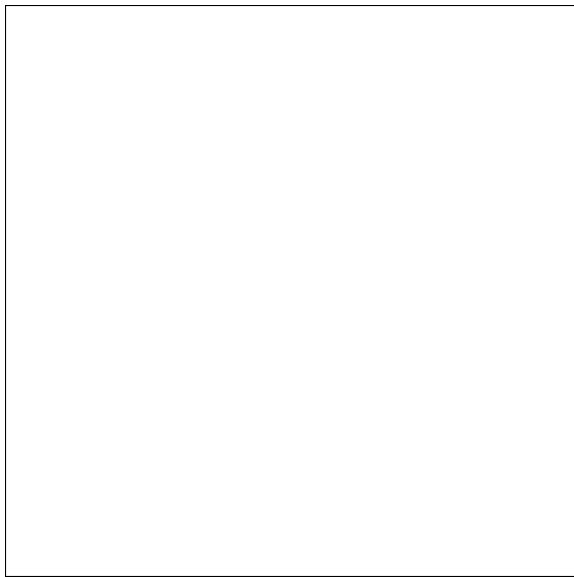
In class I do my best in every way.



Io mi lavo da solo, non ho bisogno di aiuto.

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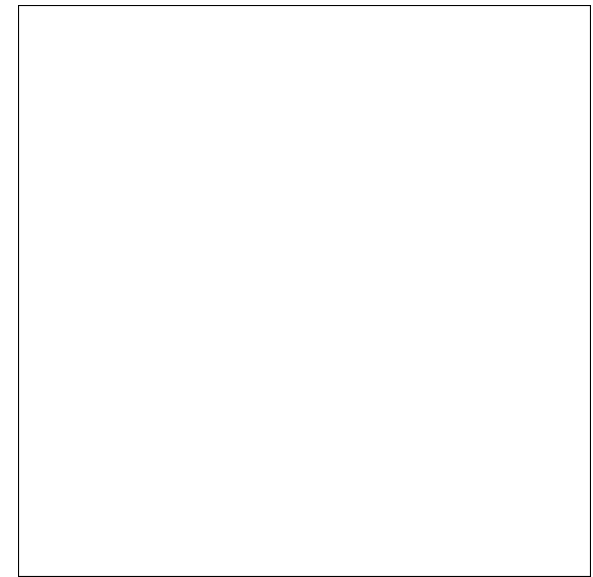
I wash myself, I don't need any help.



Io posso tener testa all'acqua fredda e al sapone blu e odoroso.

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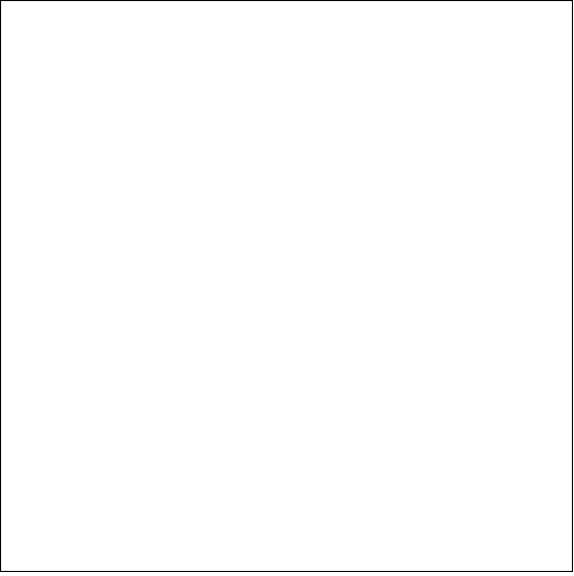
I can cope with cold water and blue smelly soap.



E mi assicuro che il mio fratellino sappia tutte le novità della scuola.

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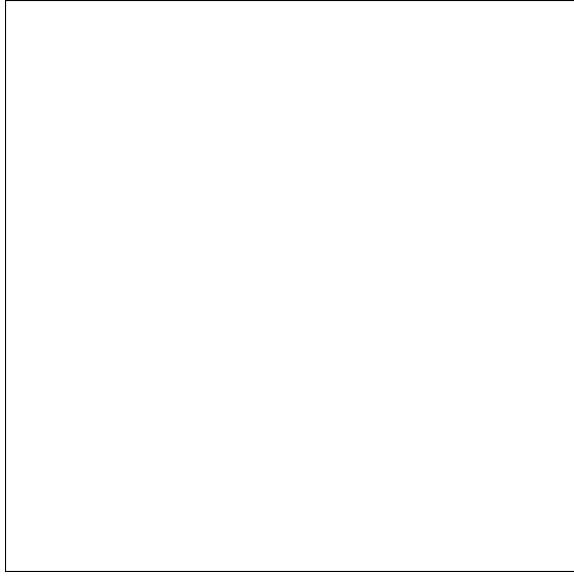
And I make sure little brother knows all the school news.



Mamma mi ricorda: "Non dimenticarti i denti."
Io rispondo: "Mai, non io!"

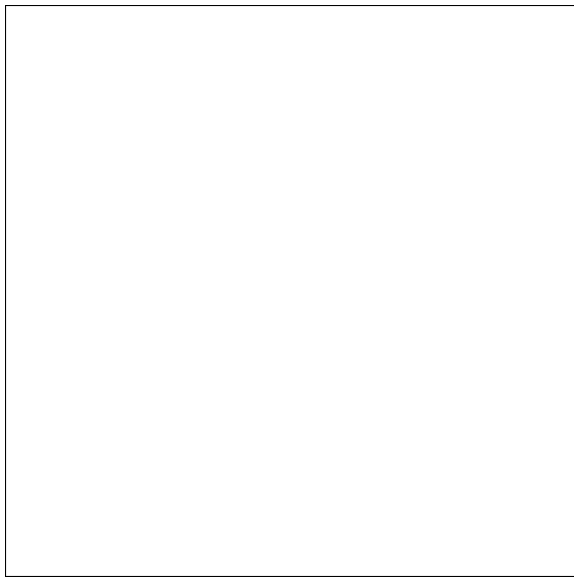
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Ma reminds, "Don't forget teeth." I reply,
"Never, not me!"



Io posso abbottonarmi e allacciarmi le scarpe.
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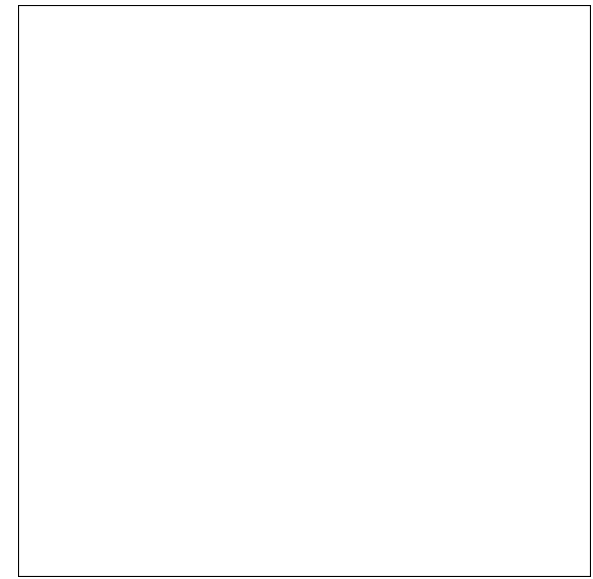
I can close my buttons and buckle my shoes.



Dopo essermi lavato, saluto Nonno e Zia e auguro loro una buona giornata.

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After washing, I greet Grandpa and Auntie, and wish them a good day.



Poi mi vesto. "Ora sono grande, mamma," dico.

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Then I dress myself, "I'm big now Ma," I say.