

Dirty

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I won't say George is dirty,
but there's yogurt on his chin.
There's crayon on his collar,
and ink marks on his skin.

I won't say George is sloppy,
but there's black stuff in his hair.
I think it's paint from art class.
We'll pretend it isn't there!

I won't say George is grubby,
but there's topsoil in his ear.
Grease spots mark the front of him,
and grass stains streak the rear.

I won't say George is filthy,
but his pants are caked with crud.
He got that in the playground.
We can only hope its mud!

I won't say George is dirty,
so please, don't think I'm mean.
But we would never recognize
that boy if he were clean!

