How to make sure all Android Play Store app updates get installed

Google's Android Play Store app has acquired a strange, annoying behavior about finding updates to install, where it will not always find some of the latest updates unless you force an additional search. Here is how that works.

- 1. Run the Play Store app (a multicolored triangle pointed to the right).
- 2. If at any point it displays an advertisement screen for anything, most likely Google Play Points, choose "No" or "Skip" or "Not now" or whatever bypasses the advertisement screen.
- 3. Tap the round icon in the upper right, normally a lower case "a" on FSGW check-in tablets. That "a" comes from the first letter of the current account, which is "android#@fsgw.org", where "#" is the FSGW tablet number.
- 4. Tap "Manage apps & device", which display a "Manage apps & device" page.
- 5. If the page says "All apps are up to date", do not believe it. Instead, tap "See recent updates" just below that.
- 6. Tap the "Updates available" button in the row of buttons below the "Manage" tab.
- 7. A "You're all set" icon and text will probably get displayed. Tap the "Check for updates" button below that.
- 8. If it re-displays the same "You're all set" icon and text, now you can believe it, all available updates are installed, and you should exit the "Play Store" app.
- 9. If it displays a list of apps with updates available, tap "Overview" near the upper left, then tap "Update all" below "Updates available", then tap "See details" in the same place.
- 10. You will see the updates gradually getting downloaded and installed. Once all the updates have installed, again tap the "Check for updates" button, and go back 2 steps here.

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