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Opening extract from  
**Diary of a Wimpy Kid:  
DIY Book**

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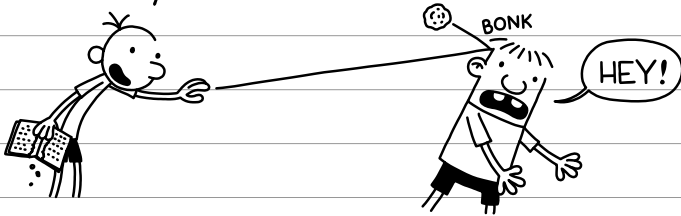
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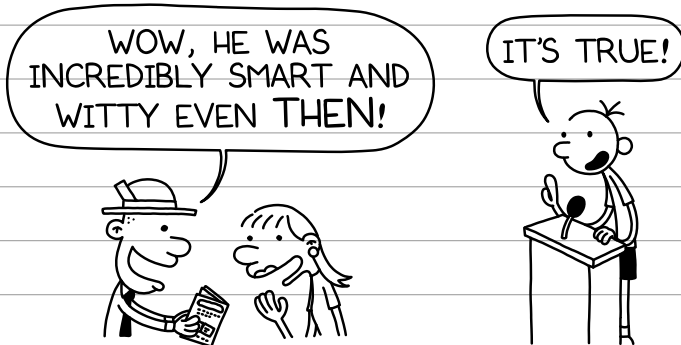


# What're you gonna do with this thing?

OK, this is your book now, so technically you can do whatever you want with it.



But if you write anything in this journal, make sure you hold on to it. Because one day you're gonna want to show people what you were like back when you were a kid.



Whatever you do, just make sure you don't write down your "feelings" in here. Because one thing's for sure: this is NOT a diary.

# Your DESERT

If you were gonna be marooned for the rest of your life, what would you want to have with you?

## Video games

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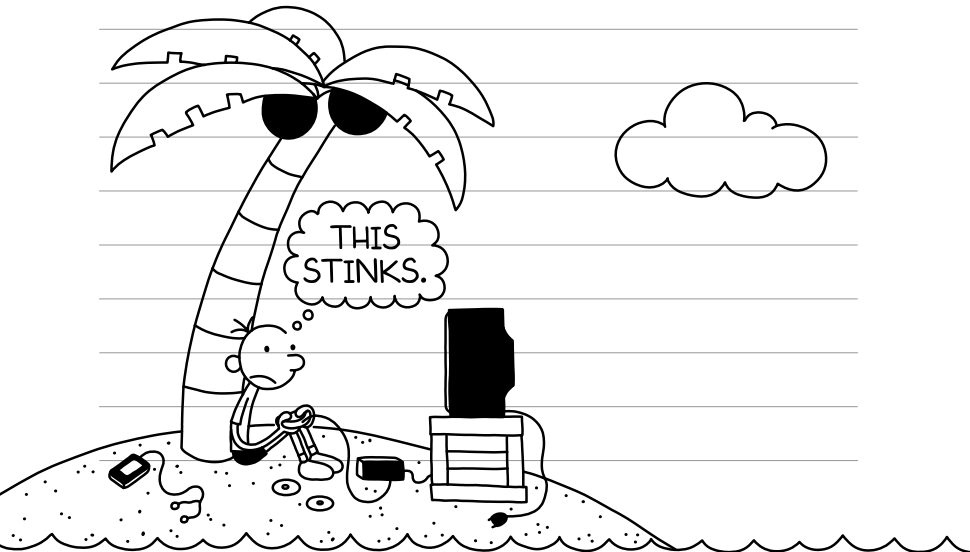
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## Songs

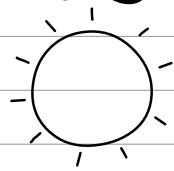
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# ISLAND picks



## Books

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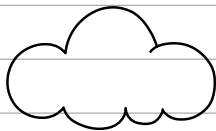
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## Movies

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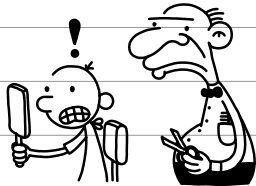
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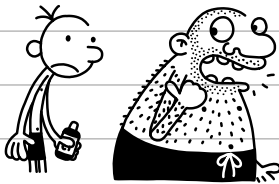
# Have you

Have you ever got a haircut that was so bad you needed to stay home from school?

YES  NO



Have you ever had to put suntan lotion on a grown-up?



YES  NO

Have you ever been bitten by an animal?

YES

NO



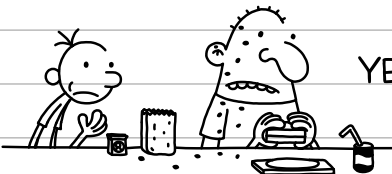
Have you ever been bitten by a person?

YES

NO



Have you ever tried to blow a bubble with a mouthful of raisins?



YES  NO

# EVER...

Have you ever peed in a swimming pool?

YES  NO



Have you ever been kissed full on the lips by a relative who's older than seventy?

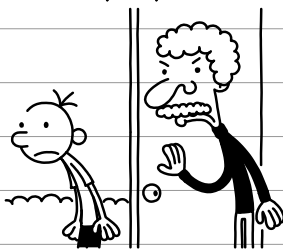


YES  NO

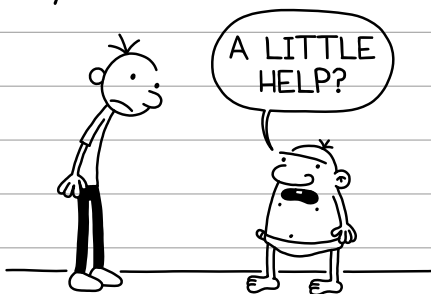


Have you ever been sent home early by one of your friends' parents?

YES  NO



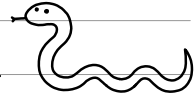
Have you ever had to change a diaper?



YES  NO

# PERSONALITY

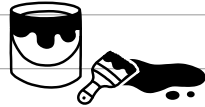
What's your favourite ANIMAL?



Write down FOUR ADJECTIVES that describe why you like that animal:

(EXAMPLE: FRIENDLY, COOL, ETC.)

What's your favourite COLOUR?



Write down FOUR ADJECTIVES that describe why you like that colour:

The adjectives you wrote down for your favourite ANIMAL describe HOW YOU THINK OF YOURSELF.

The adjectives you wrote down for your favourite COLOUR describe HOW OTHER PEOPLE THINK OF YOU.

# TEST

ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS AND THEN FLIP THE BOOK UPSIDE DOWN TO FIND OUT THINGS YOU NEVER KNEW ABOUT YOURSELF.

What's the title of the last BOOK you read?



List FOUR ADJECTIVES that describe what you thought of that book:

What's the name of your favourite MOVIE?



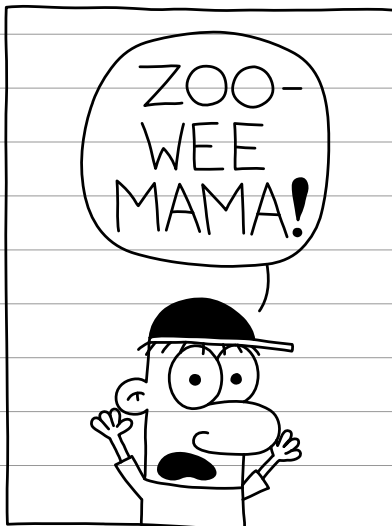
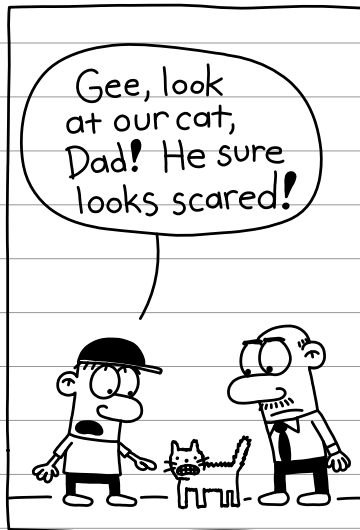
Write down FOUR ADJECTIVES that describe why you liked that movie:

The adjectives you wrote down for the last BOOK you read describe HOW YOU THINK OF SCHOOL.  
The adjectives you wrote down for your favourite MOVIE describe WHAT YOU'LL BE LIKE in thirty years.



# Unfinished

## Zoo-Wee Mama!



# COMICS

Zoo-Wee Mama!

