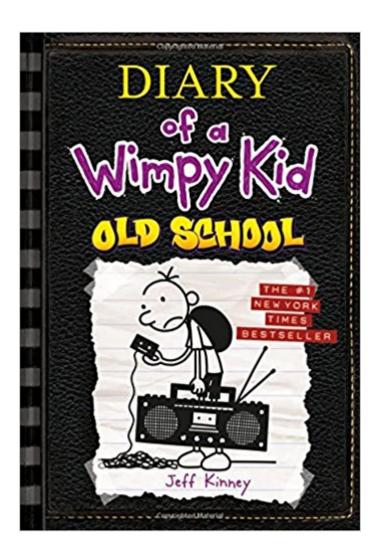


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# Diary Of A Wimpy Kid # 10: Old School





## **Synopsis**

Life was better in the old days. Or was it? Thatâ ™s the question Greg Heffley is asking as his town voluntarily unplugs and goes electronics-free. But modern life has its conveniences, and Greg isnâ ™t cut out for an old-fashioned world. With tension building inside and outside the Heffley home, will Greg find a way to survive? Or is going â œold schoolâ • just too hard for a kid like Greg?

#### **Book Information**

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Age Range: 8 - 12 years

Grade Level: 3 - 7

### **Customer Reviews**

"The Wimpy Kid series marches on...These diaries continue to be solid steppingstones into the literary world for any reluctant reader. Harmless fun that neither rocks the boat nor swings for the fences." (Kirkus)

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owns a bookstore, An Unlikely Story.

I picked up Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Old School this morning. My oldest daughter is in the third grade, and she loves this series. She is going to claim this book as soon as she gets home from school, so I took some time to read it before then. There is a lot going on in this book. The pet pig (from the last book) seems to have more privileges than Greg, Grandpa moves in with the Heffleys, Rodrick gets a job at the ice cream parlor, and a good chunk of the book is devoted to Gregâ Â<sup>TM</sup>s weeklong school trip to an old fashioned farm. As with the other books in the series, the book appears to have been written on notebook paper. The font looks like a childâ Â<sup>TM</sup>s handwriting, and the book is filled with funny stick figure illustrations. This is definitely part of what makes the Wimpy Kid books such a fun series. My oldest daughter loves to read and her fluency is advanced, but she is reluctant to read â Âœnovelsâ Â• because she doesnâ Â™t like that they donâ Â™t have pictures. Books like these are wonderful for children like my daughter, as well as reluctant readers. Of course, the biggest draw to this book- and the series as a whole- is the humor. Sometimes the series gets a bad rap because the humor tends to be a little immature, but that doesn $\tilde{A}\phi\hat{A}$   $\hat{A}^{TM}$ t mean that it $\tilde{A}\phi\hat{A}$   $\hat{A}^{TM}$ s not funny. I found myself smiling as I read through this book, and Greg $\tilde{A}$ ¢ $\hat{A}$   $\hat{A}^{TM}$ s vision of the future- telling a drone that he didn $\tilde{A}$ ¢ $\hat{A}$   $\hat{A}^{TM}$ t want mayonnaise on his burger- had me laughing out loud. And Greg is downright insightful when he says that older peopleâ Â<sup>TM</sup>s recollections of the â Âœgood old daysâ Â• are not always as accurate as they think. I would recommend Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Old School. This is an immensely popular series. Greg Heffley is ultimately a good kid. He doesnâ Â<sup>TM</sup>t always make the right decisions, but there is usually a consequence as a result. Gregâ Â<sup>TM</sup>s flaws are what make him easy to relate to, and to empathize with. After all, making mistakes is part of growing up. Greg might be stuck in middle school forever, but that just means that we can continue to appreciate his experiences during those awkward years between childhood and adolescence.

My son is an 11 yr old, 6 grader who has dyslexia and struggles with reading..needless to say reading is not his favorite subject. However, he LOVES LOVES LOVES the Diary of a wimpy kid books. This latest one Old school he read in 1 day..YES 1 whole day.. When done reading all he had to say while beaming ear to ear was "I love this author".. I thought it was so cute. I TOTALLY RECOMMEND the entire series.. 5 stars! Mr. Jeff Kinney, I don't know how fast you can write but I so hope you're working on the next one.. I need you. To have struggling readers highly engaged in a book is truly AMAZING... Thank You!

My daughters get excited when a new Diary of a Wimpy Kid come out and when I saw this book I immediately bought it. This was the first series my 13 year old started reading on her own. She never was interested in reading until she started reading this series and read the book within two days. She told me that the books are funny and she can relate with them. This book Middle School is the dumbest idea ever invented and right now my daughter agrees. My 10 year old just started on the series and she likes the books too. I am happy that this book will keep my girls attention and will go in their book collections.

This book was great. It made me think a lot about what might happen to me in his situation. Read

What's not to love about the wimpy kid books!?? My grandsons are crazy about the series and always have a hard time waiting for the next book to come out! They have the entire set, and both have this latest book because neither could wait to read it while the other brother was reading! How wonderful that these books trump video games! You probably didn't think that was possible! Imagine showing 9 & 11 year old boys a book, and having them jump up and race to be the first in the family to dive into Greg Hefley's latest quagmires! I'm telling you, when that happens, you've got to duck quicklytwo, or have books available! Even this grandma gets a kick out of reading the books, but please don't tell my boys! They might think I was "cool" or whatever! We certainly wouldn't want that!

My son recently got into Diary of a Wimpy Kid so I started purchasing the books for him. When I saw that there was a #10 book, I knew I had to pre-order one for him. I placed my order back in November, but as soon as the book was released, his copy was in the mail to him. I surprised him by leaving the book in his seat when I picked him up from school. He was ecstatic! He got right onto reading the book in the car and finished the book within 4 days. I asked him how was the book and if he liked it. He said he loved it and now he wants the DIY book. Now onto the next book...

I might be the first person to have read this book. I think this best Diary of a Wimpy Kid yet! I really enjoyed reading this book because it was so funny! I hope others love it too!

I am reviewing this on behalf of my 10 year old son who really doesn't love to read. Do you have a child like this? If so, buy this book. It was such a treat to watch him curl up into bed at night and lie

down to read this book! He was obsessed with it. I don't really care of some of the writing can be "snarky" or whatever, because my son was actually loving a book. That is what is important to me--can we find books that he likes reading? We want him to love reading, and if this is what it takes, well, then we're IN!

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