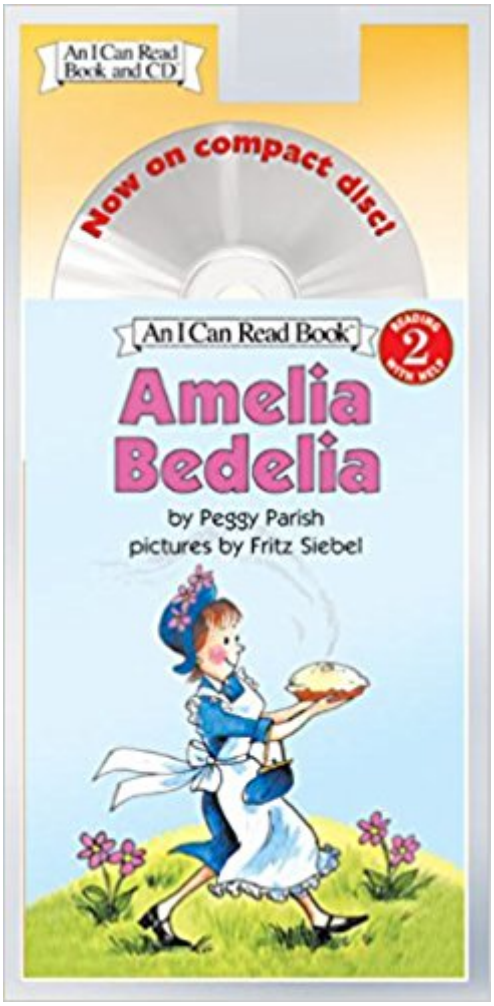
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Book Information

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Series: I Can Read Level 2

Audio CD

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Age Range: 4 - 8 years

Grade Level: Kindergarten - 3

Customer Reviews

Amelia Bedelia is a housekeeper who takes her instructions quite literally. Reading the list of chores that her employer has left her, Amelia begins with "Dust the furniture." How odd, Amelia thinks to

herself. "At my house we undust the furniture." Nonetheless, she dutifully locates the "Dusting Powder" in the bathroom, and proceeds to sprinkle it all over the living-room furniture and floor. Next she is asked to "Draw the drapes when the sun comes in." So of course, Amelia sits down with a sketchpad and gives it her best shot. Children love reading about the antics of silly Amelia Bedelia for myriad reasons. It's an early reader book, so children in primary grades can take satisfaction in reading the book on their own. But, even more thrilling, children who are 6 and older can successfully interpret the figurative meaning behind most adult idioms. Being told to "keep an eye on the cat," for example, might compel some preschoolers to stick their eyeballs on a cat's face, eliciting peals of laughter from know-it-all grownups. But older children know better, and they love the fact that they know better. Young readers will find this bumblingly charming, eager-to-please housekeeper as irresistible as Amelia Bedelia's employers do. (Ages 6 and older) --Gail Hudson --This text refers to the Paperback edition.

"A perfect blend of text and pictures spiced with humor." -- K. --This text refers to the Paperback edition.

I work with kids and love using this book for critical thinking, predicting, and problem-solving. Its a silly book where Amelia interprets everything literally. When reading with kids, you can ask something like "oh, what do you think she might do?" "what did they really mean?" etc. It's a standard book size and the pictures are fun and engaging, which allow for more discussions about what is going on the pictures. Overall, I am very pleased with this book an would recommend!

I've always heard of Amelia Bedelia but never actually read it. I bought a ton of books for my son and this was one of them and we both enjoyed it very much! Just watching him read and his reactions had me cracking up. This book was pretty hilarious and silly and makes reading enjoyable and fun for the kids. He actually read it twice (the second time right before bed) because he loved it so much. I purchased the whole set of Amelia Bedelia when she was younger and going to purchase as many as I can find like these when she's all grown up.

Good book for your emerging reader as far as simple to sound out words or figure out in context. Some of the book is written in cursive, so that is an added challenge. The jokes are based on play on words "Draw the curtains" and she draws a picture of the curtains. Some of these may not be as common of terms today, so it can be confusing for a younger child who is an early reader. We never

say "draw the curtains" in our house, or many of the other dated phrases. The husband on the first page is also smoking a pipe in the car which I found to be dated as well. But a classic and a longer book that is easier to read.

My daughter loved this book. She thought the puns were absolutely hilarious. She could not stop laughing. She was so intrigued by the book she read through the whole book twice within the hour! I would recommend this book for a good laugh.

My mom and I bought this book for my brother and sister-in-law when they were expecting my niece. Since they were going to name her Amelia, we decided to use it for their baby shower as a sign-in book. It was a big hit with the guests and my sister-in-law loved it. Now my niece has a wonderful keepsake with messages from her parents' friends inside of this beautiful, classic story.The book was high quality and we bought it off of here because it was very hard to find it in stores, including book stores. I highly recommend it.

My 4 year old granddaughter really didn't understand the double-meanings of words and expressions the first time or two we read the book. But, she loved the pictures and about the third day the difference between dust and undust the furniture became clear to her. After that we talked about each of Amelia's interpretations and why for the next few days. Now every time we read it she stops and explains to me why each is funny and why. What a wonderful way to introduce the intricacies and ambiguities of the English language and how important it is to say what you mean. I love these books....

I am an early middle-aged woman and am not embarrassed to admit that I bought this book for myself. It was my favorite as a child and I have never forgotten Amelia changing the towels, dressing the chicken, dusting the house... I can be very literal-minded myself and wonder sometimes if this book influenced me, or if the reason it appealed to me so much was because I was already very literal-minded as a child.This very nice-looking edition now stands behind the glass door of of my hutch, proudly displayed with my other treasures.

This is as classic as Amelia Badelia has ever been. For all the fun high jinks that the literal-minded Ms. Badelia was getting herself into, she always manages to make amends and friends by the end of the book. These are great books for young and old (but mostly young), as they are well-written

with enough whit and entertainment to make reading fun for all ages.

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