



Readers' Favorite® Book Reviews and Award Contest

Book Review Mini-Critique



Below you will find ratings (scale of 1-5) with general descriptions for the major parts of your book followed by your Readers' Favorite review. Although this is just a Mini-Critique, we hope it will give you an insight into how readers may view the different components of your book.

Title: Whimsy Works Skin Care Patrol
Subtitle: Asthma and Allergies Rescue
Author: Dr Susan M Roberts
Genre: Children - General



Appearance: The appearance of a book can make a significant impact on the experience of a reader, whose enjoyment is often enhanced by an enticing cover, an intriguing table of contents, interesting chapter headings, and when possible, eye-catching illustrations.

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Plot: The characters of a book should be well defined with strengths and flaws, and while they do not have to be likable, the reader does have to be able to form a connection with them. The tone should be consistent, the theme should be clear, and the plot should be original or told from a unique perspective. For informative books -- those without plot and characters--this rating refers primarily to your concept and how well you presented it.

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Development: 5	Development refers to how effectively you told your story or discussed your topic. The dialogue should be realistic, the descriptions should be vivid, and the material should be concise and coherent. Organization is also a key factor, especially for informative books -- those without plot and characters. The order in which you tell your story or explain your topic and how smoothly it flows can have a huge impact on the reader's understanding and enjoyment of the material.
Formatting: 5	Formatting is the single most overlooked area by authors. The way in which you describe scenes, display dialogue, and shift point of view can make or break your story. In addition, excessive grammatical errors and typos can give your book an amateurish feel and even put off readers completely.
Marketability: 5	Marketability refers to how effectively you wrote your book for your target audience. Authors may include content that is above or below the understanding of their target reader, or include concepts, opinions or language that can accidentally confuse or alienate some readers. Although by its nature this rating is very subjective, a very low rating here and poor reviews may indicate an issue with your book in this area.
Overall Opinion: 5	The overall starred rating takes into account all these elements and describes the overall reading experience of your reviewer. This is the official Readers' Favorite review rating for your book.

Review:

Reviewed by Anne-Marie Reynolds for Readers' Favorite

Whimsy Works Skin Care Patrol by Dr. Susan M. Robert is a story of asthma and allergy rescue. It's Career Day at Rebecca Lee Crumpler Elementary, and the students are excited to learn about all the cool jobs they could do. Dr. Penny, the dermatologist, has come to give a presentation, and she's brought her team of superheroes with her, the Skincare Patrol, accompanied by Soara the eagle. They're here to teach kids about safe self-care and how to stand up to peer pressure in the right way. Join the patrol as they help the children navigate asthma attacks and food allergies and learn how to look after themselves and stay safe, no matter what happens.

Whimsy Works Skincare Patrol by Dr. Susan M. Robert is a wonderfully illustrated story that kids will remember forever. It's a heartwarming tale that teaches kids about dealing with allergies of all kinds and asthma, but it also teaches a very important lesson—how to stand up to bullies in the right way and speak up for themselves. They'll learn about dermatology and how allergies and skin work together hand-in-hand, so even if they don't know they have an allergy, they'll learn how to spot the signs. This is an adventure story with life lessons taught in a way that kids will understand. It will also teach kids that, just because they are different in some way, it doesn't mean they are any less than anyone else, and that's an important lesson for all children to learn in our current, difficult world. At the end of the book are several fun activities to help kids truly understand the message this book provides. Wonderful story, highly recommended to all children and adults.