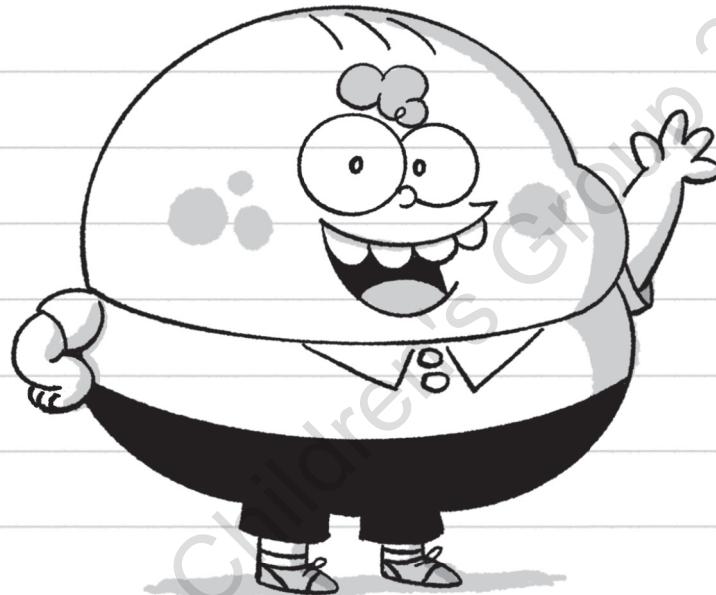


# WELCOME

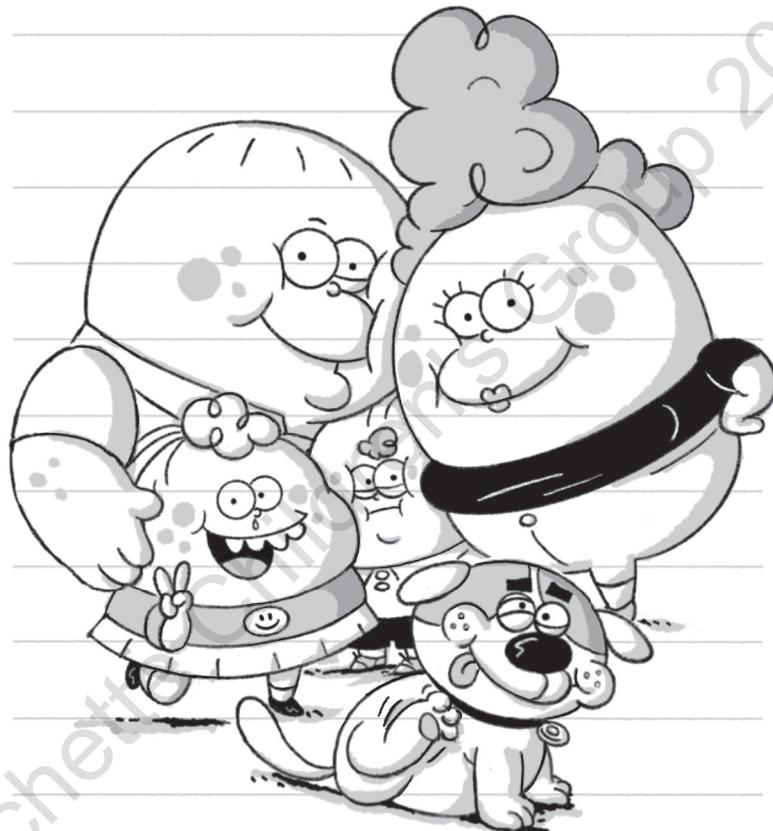


Hi, I'm Spudbert, I'm a potato.



Some kids call me 'Spuddy the Spudster' or 'Spuddy McSpud Face'... but most just call me 'Kid Potato'.

This is my mum, dad and our pet dog Ollie.



Oh, and my super-annoying little sister Parka.

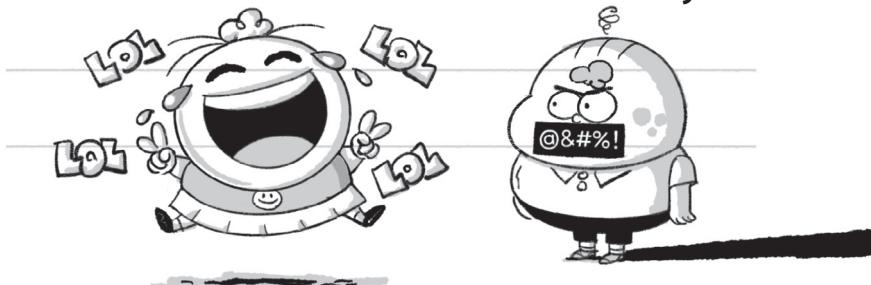
I love my family and all that, but  
Mum's always nagging me . . .



. . . Dad doesn't get me . . .



and Parka thinks she's an emoji.



I live in a place called Chudland.  
It's famous for its donut hole  
factory, clown burial ground and  
is home to the world's biggest  
toilet roll. It also smells like a  
baboon's butt.



This is school. I know it looks like the local prison, but that's across the road. Next door is Chudland sewage plant. I like spotting shapes in the filthy fume clouds.



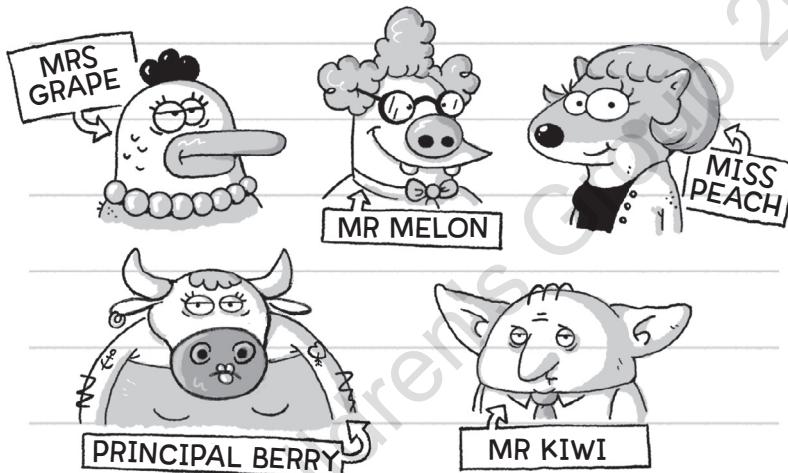
When I'm in school my mind likes  
to wander away from my body.



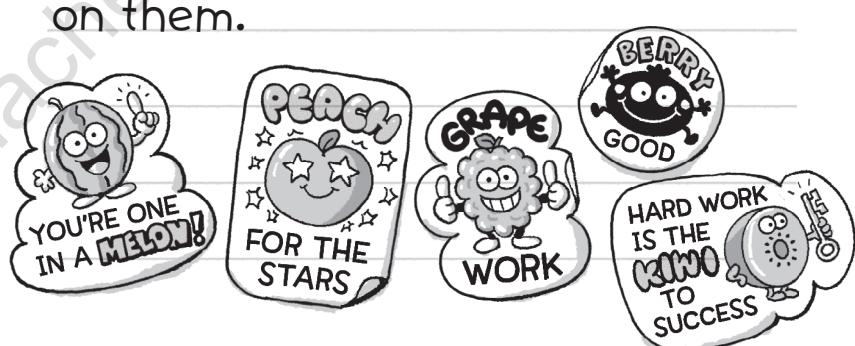
I'll look like I'm sat at my desk,  
but my mind will be outside . . .  
driving a MONSTER TRUCK!



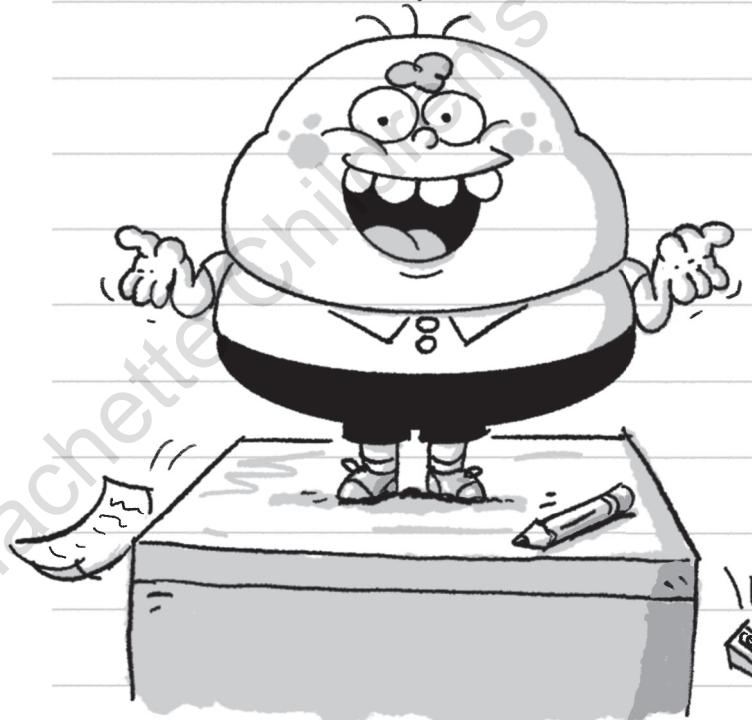
All our teachers have fruit names, which is weird cos they don't look anything like fruit.



I think it's so they can give those annoying stickers with fruit jokes on them.



BUT HEY,  
SCHOOL'S NOT ALL  
BAD . . . AT LEAST I  
GET TO HANG OUT  
WITH MY AWESOME  
FRIENDS.

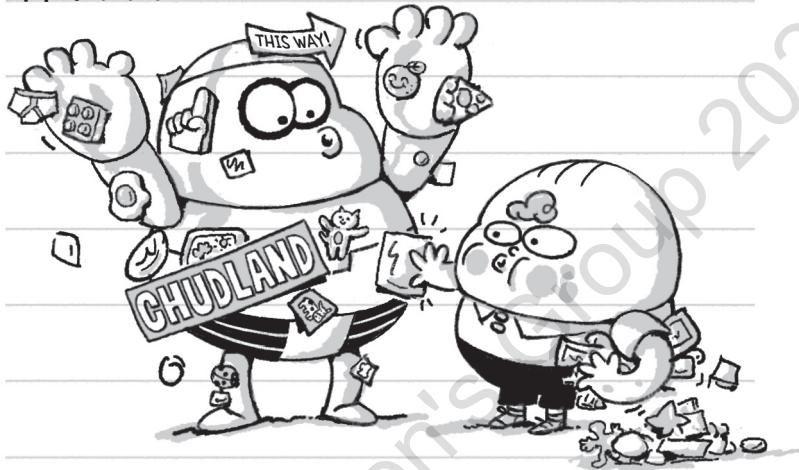


Meet my metal pal ...



He's 50% rusty steel, 50% fried  
circuits, 100% best buddy!

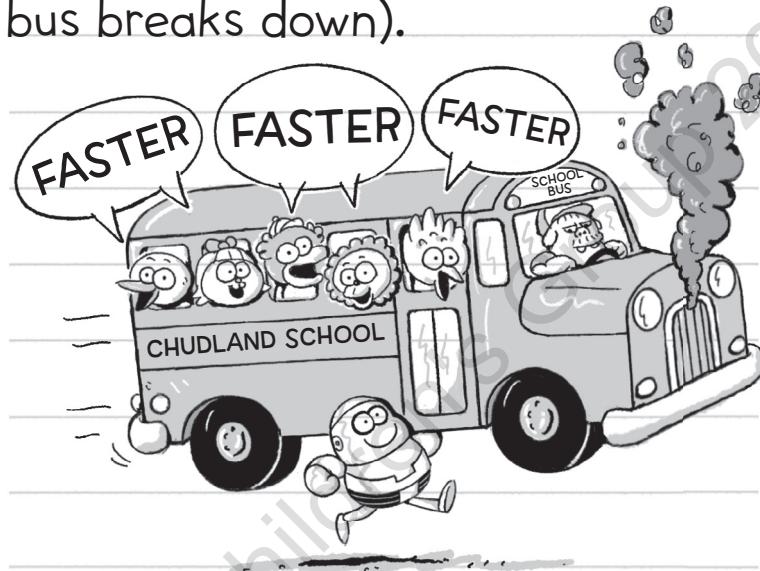
I like sticking fridge magnets on  
him . . .



... and rubbing his shiny head for luck.



Chomp is super strong which can be useful (like when the school bus breaks down).



Problem is, he always forgets how strong he actually is.



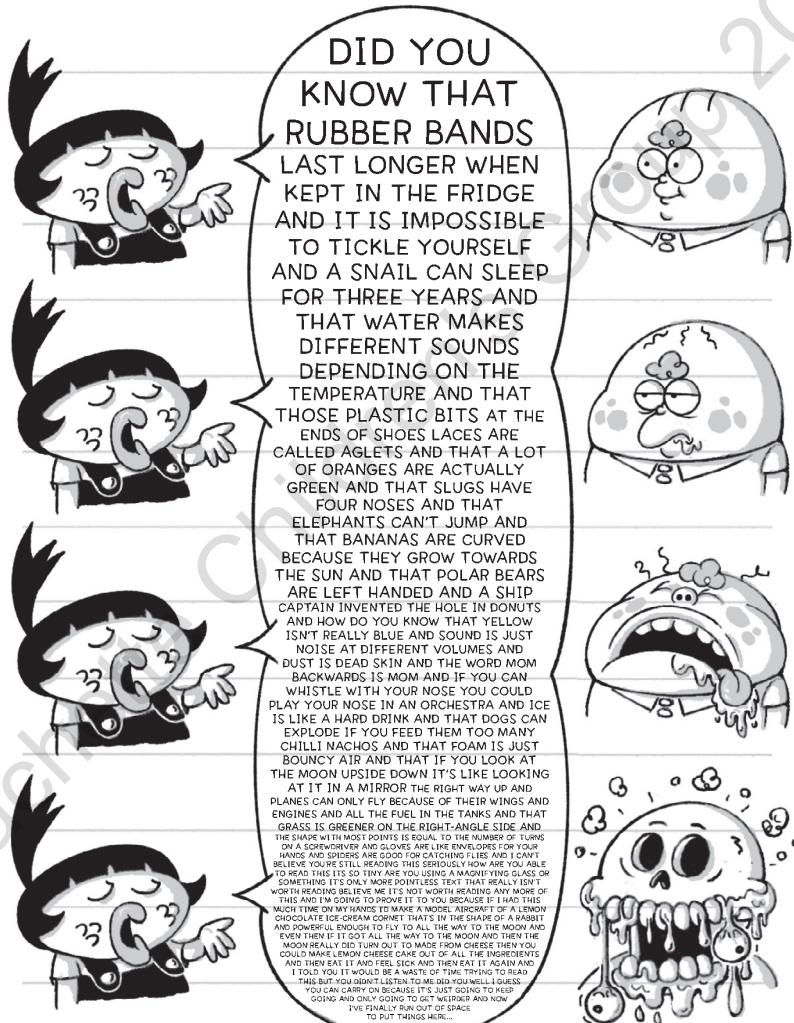
Say hello to my feathery  
friend . . .

# RAVEN



She doesn't have wings, but she  
can flap her arms real fast!

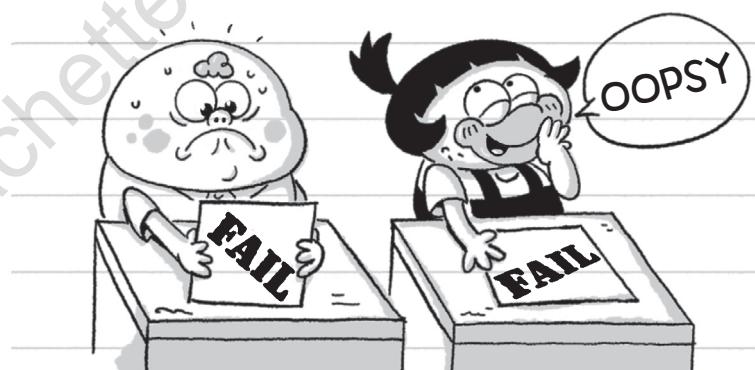
Raven likes to talk . . . A LOT!  
It's hard to get a word in with  
her.



She's one of those kids that actually LIKES school. I try to sit next to her when I can.



But sometimes she gets distracted . . . which I found out the hard way.



Life is totally boring without  
my buddies.



But when we're together . . . it's  
AWESOME!



Well, that's all you need to know  
... unless you're interested in the  
fact I hold the Chudland record  
for longest snot.



And I'm also really  
good at blowing  
spit bubbles . . .



pretending to  
be a clock . . .



and walking  
up walls.



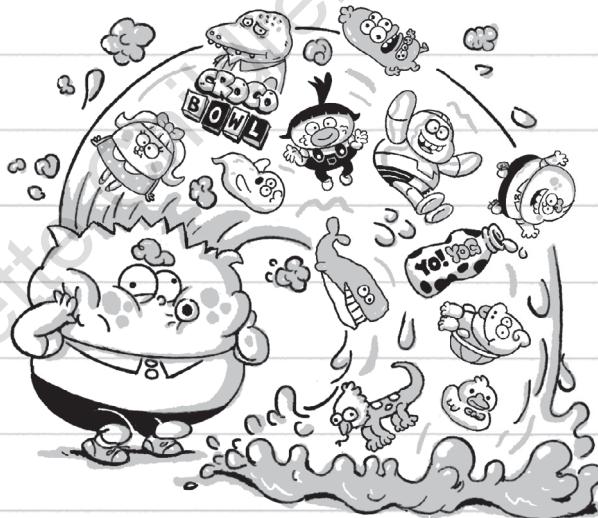
(OK, that last one's made up.)



This isn't a diary by the way. I tried to write one but I bored myself. 



I guess this book is like my brain  
has puked up.



(Most kids stop reading here.)

OH, YOU'RE  
STILL HERE?

