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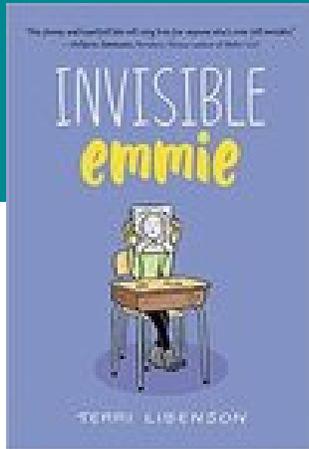
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Book Review

Invisible Emmie

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Rating

Excellent

Level

Intermediate

Emmie is a girl who seems invisible. She likes to draw and keep to herself, so not many people notice her. But everything changes when she accidentally drops a love note she wrote to her crush. It gets spread all over the school and Emmie thinks she might die of humiliation. Before school's out, she has to face her crush in art class. There she finds out that everyone thinks her note was a funny joke and she starts relaxing. She ends up talking and laughing with her crush and another girl all through art. Emmie realizes that it's not too hard to talk to people and make friends after all.

Sweet, hilarious, and totally relatable, Invisible Emmie is a great middle grade novel. With a split perspective between the most popular girl in the whole school and a girl who never talks, it offers a unique combined whole that sheds light on two different middle school experiences. Each view is written in its own style, switching between a graphic novel and text interspersed with lots of pictures. With pictures and speech bubbles that break up the text, this book is a light read that is engaging and enjoyable. The laughs, the cries, the romance – this book has it all. Entertaining and heartfelt, it's sure to have you hooked.

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185

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