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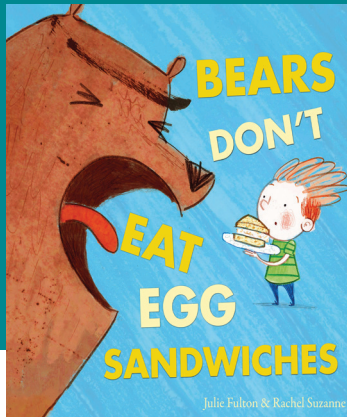
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Book Review

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Jack, who loves egg sandwiches, is just sitting down for lunch when he hears a knock at the door. He opens it to reveal a bear, who is also hungry. Jack offers him an egg sandwich, but the bear thinks Jack is more appetizing. Naively, Jack sits on the dinner plate. But then, realizing what the bear's intentions are, he tells the bear he will probably taste like egg sandwiches. The bear, who does not eat egg sandwiches, promptly spits Jack out, and the pair enjoy a cheese sandwich instead.

This book is cute and silly with childlike illustrations that are likely appeal to younger readers. The idea of the bear trying to eat the main character could be frightening, but the humor in the story can overcome this and provide a beneficial lesson about being kind to one's enemies.