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# READING ZONE

## STUDENT BOOK REVIEW

### The Report Card

By Andrew Clements

Published by Scholastic Inc.

If you want a good read, this is the one - *The Report Card*. This book is about a girl who is extremely smart, but tries to hide it. She tries to get D's on her report card by 'earning' bad grades on tests. She even tries to find out



how much she has to miss for the CMT test - to FAIL!

She didn't want people to find out she was smart, so she thought up a plan to fool them. The 'master plan' of hers got her into some big trouble! Her friend didn't get good grades easily like she did, and called himself a 'dummy'. If she got into the gifted program, she wouldn't be able to go to the same school as he. This was not acceptable to her, as he

was her best friend.

The one thing I enjoyed best about this book was that she valued feelings of others, and stood up for them. This is a great book! Check it out - you'll love it!

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**Grade: 5**

**What did you learn from this book?:**

*I learned to stand up for things that I believe in.*

**What type of books do you prefer?:**

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**What is your favorite book?:**

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