

THE WEDNESDAY WARS

by Gary D. Schmidt

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Rating (0 stars is the absolute worst, 10 stars is the BEST BOOK EVER)



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The *Wednesday Wars* is a book that takes place in 1967 and it about a boy that just started 7th grade whose name is Holling Hoodhood. In this novel, Holling struggles with his teacher Mrs. Baker. Holling also struggles with things going on in the world at the time. The Vietnam War and Martin Luther King's assassination were all tragic events that took place in this book.

This novel focuses on the changes that are going on in Holling's life and how these changes affect him. An example of this in the novel is when Holling's father counts on him for running his business in the future, but Holling doesn't have any interest in that. Throughout the book Holling seems bothered by this but never has to courage to tell his dad anything but eventually has to courage to tell his dad how he feels at the end. I think that this shows that you choose your future and you do what you think is always going to be the best for you.

I would totally recommend this book, It teaches valuable lessons that are important. This was one of the best books I have ever read and really recommend it. I think people who would enjoy this book are people who like books that have to do with life lessons.

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