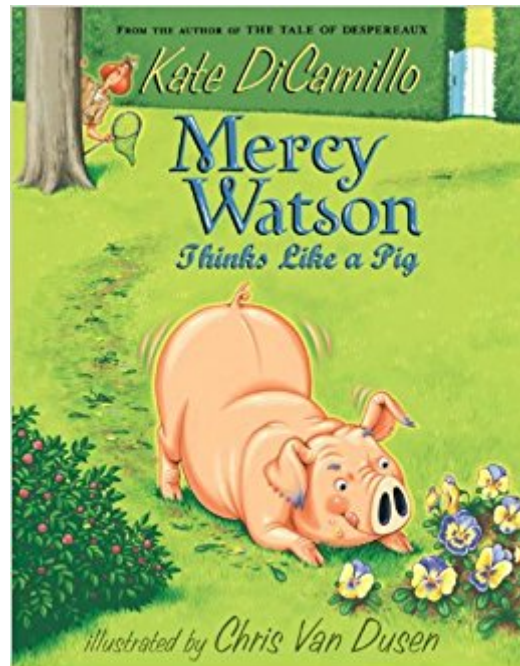




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# Mercy Watson Thinks Like A Pig



## Synopsis

Can Mercy Watson outwit . . . Animal Control? The porcine wonder ãs on the lam in her latest tongue-in-snout adventure! Eugenia and Baby Lincoln may live next door to a pig, but that doesn't stop them from living a gracious life. And the amiable Mercy Watson is equally determined to follow the delightful scent (and delicious taste) of the pansies her thoughtful neighbors are planting to beautify their yard. "Where have all the flowers gone?" shouts Eugenia, who is finally ready to take extreme measures ã and dial Animal Control! Has Mercy's swine song come at last? Or will her well-pampered instincts keep her in buttered toast? From the Hardcover edition.

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

Grade 2 ã In this installment, the porcine protagonist outrages the Lincoln sisters when she sneaks through their hedge and eats their newly planted pansies. Eugenia Lincoln calls animal control, and Officer Francine Poulet shows up determined to "think like a pig" and catch the culprit. Chaos ensues, and the porker escapes to enjoy another day of buttered toast. Fans of the series will welcome this addition to Mercy's adventures and be amused by the hyperbolic quality of Van Dusen's color illustrations. ã Farida S. Dowler, formerly at Mercer Island Library, WA

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The fifth in the series featuring the troublesome Mercy finds the pig relaxing out back while elderly sisters Eugenia and Baby Lincoln are busy planting petunias. Unfortunately, Mercy is lured by the delectable flowers, munching them almost as fast as the sisters plant. Eugenia is so angry she calls animal control, and soon Officer Francine Poulet is on the way. This tale takes the focus off Mercy a bit, giving children the opportunity to connect with some of the other characters, including the intrepid Poulet. As usual, Van Dusen's shiny, stylized artwork captures all the fun of Mercy's capers. Preschool-Grade 2. --Ilene Cooper --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

My son has struggled with reading so much and was really discouraged. He found Mercy at the local book store and fell in LOVE. He immediately read the entire book and wanted ALL of the Mercy books! Super cute stories, great illustrations and fun. Love them. He wanted me to write to Kate and ask her to write more books!

All of the Mercy Watson and Tales from Deckawoo Drive from Kate DiCamillo are the PERFECT reading level for my 6 year old. She started reading these when she was 5. Great beginning chapter books! Clean and respectful content, silly stories, good word repetition, opportunities to expand vocabulary and practice intonation...we sit and read together and giggle for hours!

Very cute, easy read. My 4 year old enjoys these as a bed time story. I find them amusing as well. We read one book a night and then start over again.

The book is horrible on the kindle. The pages are not easily readable and there is text missing. I would not recommend this book for Kindle.

Great beginner chapter book series. My 1st grader reads them all by himself.

Great book for a 1st-2nd grader!

I bought these books (this is the fourth one we've read) because the pictures were nice and they

had chapters. That's it. I have been so, so impressed with them. The characters are funny and run throughout the series, the pig is mischievous, the pictures really are beautiful. Each night, we read two chapters (the chapters are a bit short) and then my daughter spends several minutes looking over the pictures, trying to recreate the story or figure out what happens next. I just bought the other two books in the series, and we will be sad when we are done with them.

Purchased this on my daughter's kindle (7th generation). The book displays in landscape format only and cuts off most of the right hand page thus making it unreadable.

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