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Marvin's Monster Diary 4

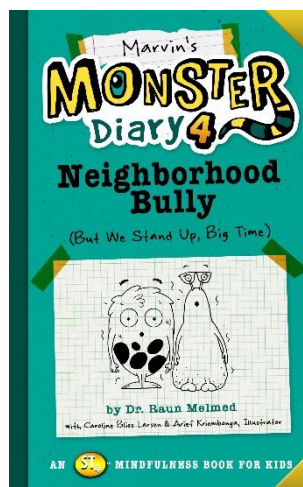
Neighborhood Bully (But We Stand Up, Big Time)

SANGER, Calif., July 2021—It's the best time of the year: summer vacation! And Marvin the Monster and his friends are ready for some fun at the park! There's just one big problem standing in the way: Drake the Dreadful, neighborhood bully.

When Drake begins popping up everywhere, Marvin and his friends can't seem to catch a break. But they soon discover that bullying is more complex than they thought. With the help of an ingenious role-playing game they devise (inspired by the superheroes they love), as well as their brilliant ADHD mindfulness tools that help them stop and think, Marvin's friends must face the problem head-on—fire breath and all.

Wrapped up in a delightful, fast-paced story with illustrations on every page, this book will appeal to readers ages 5 to 11 years—and their parents!

Marvin's Monster Diary 4: Neighborhood Bully (But We Stand Up, Big Time) is an important book for any child experiencing bullying—whether as the target or as the perpetrator.



Marvin's hilarious doodles and diary entries chronicle his delightful adventures, misadventures, and eventual triumph in a funny, relatable way.

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Familius is a global trade publishing company that publishes books and other content to help families be happy. We believe that the family is the fundamental unit of society and

that happy families are the foundation of a happy life. We recognize that every family looks different, and we passionately believe in helping all families find greater joy. To that end we publish books for children and adults that invite families to live the Familius Nine Habits of Happy Family Life: love together, play together, learn together, work together, talk together, heal together, read together, eat together, and laugh together. Founded in 2012, Familius is located in Sanger, California.

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