

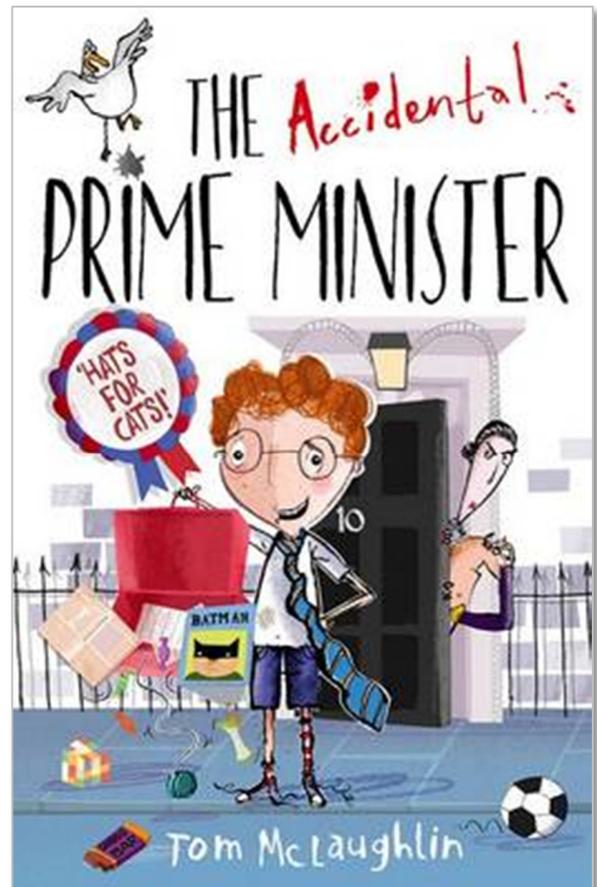
LoveReading4kids Reader reviews of The Accidental Prime Minister by Tom McLaughlin

Below are the complete reviews, written by LoveReading4kids members.

Ross Dawson, age 11

Read this book to find out how a normal boy with an ordinary life, stands up one day to speak his mind and finds himself becoming Prime Minister of the country!

I wanted to read this book to find out how a small boy like me got his voice heard and how he made a difference to others. In my view, all too often, children's opinions are ignored, which is unfair as we have lots of valuable things to say! I enjoyed the way Joe and Ajay worked together to ensure that kids got things going their way for a change. The boys had a great friendship and they made the adults around them realise the importance of caring for others and of having fun too.



Noah Hall, age 9

Humorous, entertaining, silly. An all-round great book.

The Prime Minister shuts down a park where Joe's mum works as a park warden. Joe is really angry about this. When the Prime Minister comes to visit the school, Joe marches up to him and calls him a 'big dafty'. As you would expect, camera crews from all around the globe are filming the PM when this happens. The video goes viral, and people start encouraging Joe to stand for Prime Minister. Which he does. I'll leave the rest of the story for you to find out.

Ajay, Joe's best friend, is my favourite character. He is 12 years old, like Joe. He is so enthusiastic about Joe's mum's cooking which is frankly horrible. Ajay says he'll be Joe's 'media agent' and 'Lifestyle guru' if he gets elected. He is always there for Joe, and is kind and helpful as well as cool and clever.

My favourite part of the book is when the author describes all the crazy ideas Joe has. One of them is when Joe says 'when I am Prime minister, I will order for jelly rooms to be built in every house.'

When I was reading this, my mum kept on having to stop me since it was an hour past my bedtime. I read the whole thing in 7 goes and I enjoyed it 11 out of 10. Amusing, very entertaining - anyone from 7 upwards would enjoy this humourous and silly (but in a good way) book.

Cajsa Jonsson, age 9

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I give this book a staggering 10/10! It is great for kids my age and no words that are too complicated. It has a great storyline that includes hysterical characters. The way that they keep bringing up that Joe wears Postman Pat pyjamas is extremely funny!

With this book you don't get to feel like you're part of the story but that is sometimes good for a story such as this one. I adore this book which basically has a good guy against a bad guy but then it all goes terribly wrong for the good guy.

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William Longlands, age 11

308/10 - a wonderfully funny story

This is a wonderfully funny story of hope, glory, silliness, anti-silliness leagues and kids as Prime Ministers. Jet packs included. Things matter to humanity that we do not always realise matter, like having fun instead of not having fun. Joe is always trying to do this but it sometimes backfires.

William's Mum

We read this book as a family bedtime story. My husband and I enjoyed it just as much as William. A brilliant, heart-warming, laugh out loud funny book.

Lily Benner, age 10

This book is exciting, funny and enjoyable.

This story is about a boy called Joe Perkins. All he wants to do is save the park where his mum works. Somehow he ends up becoming the prime minister with the help of his best friend Ajay.

He goes to meet the Queen, who is unlike any other queen, and likes slingshots.

When Joe re-opens the park it backfires on him and he is caught on camera smiling in front of the disaster.

After sulking in the jelly room Joe comes to his senses and takes his position more seriously.

I liked this book very much and thought it was funny that the jelly room had hardly any jelly in it.

Liam Selwyn, age 11

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Holly Wilkins, age 11

Really funny. A great book.

When Joe becomes Prime Minister, accidentally, he thinks it should be fun - until he opens a park . . .

Evil Violetta wants to be the Prime Minister and will stop at nothing to achieve it. Can Ajay, Joe, Jenkins and Joe's mum help Joe stay as Prime Minister? You'll have to read this book to find out!

This is a good book, it pulls you in and keeps you.

I give this book 10 out of 10.