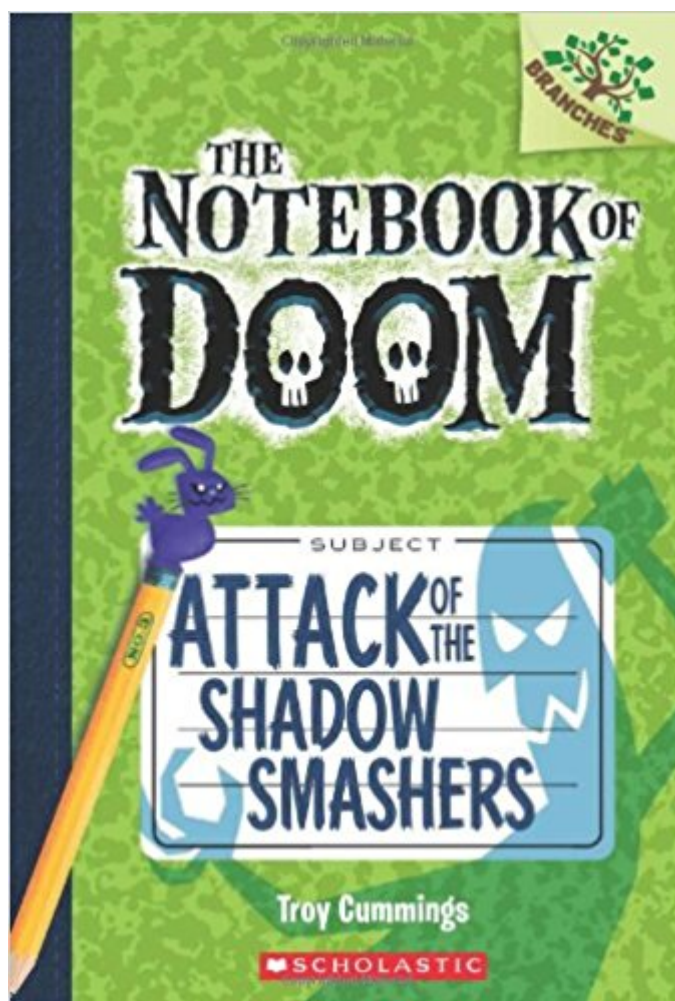


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Synopsis

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Book Information

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Customer Reviews

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Troy Cummings has been drawing since he was a little kid. His illustrations have appeared in newspapers and magazines, on websites, on frozen-fish-stick packages, and in hospital waiting rooms. He has published two picture books so far: THE EENSY WEENSY SPIDER FREAKS OUT! and MORE BEARS! His third picture book, GIDDY-UP, DADDY! is due out in April 2013. THE NOTEBOOK OF DOOM is his first early chapter book series. He lives in Indiana with his cat and family.

We love these books ! My favorite eight-year-old in the whole world and I think these books are great . My Wii girl especially likes it when I use different voices for the characters . Troy Cummings is brilliant and deserves five stars all day long

Do you like mysteries, humor, and monsters? Then the book for you is The Notebook Of Doom Of The Shadow Smashers by Troy Cummings. The main characters are Alexander Bopp, Nicky, and Rip. They are part of the Super Secret Monster Patrol. They keep the town safe from monsters. In this book, you will find the Shadow Smashers trying to put a dome over Stermont. It is up to Rip, Nicky, and Alexander Bopp to save the town. Here are some sentences on why I liked it. First, it had lots of monsters. Second, it had lots of humor. Third, there was a mystery to be solved. YOU NEED TO GET THIS BOOK!!!!

My son loves these books! We read them together every night before bed and he always begs for one more chapter one more chapter. He looks forward to bedtime now because he knows we get to read these books before we go to sleep. The stories are funny and interesting and very creative. The series inspires creativity for young ones. I would give more than 5 Stars if I could.

Even though my 8 year old is a pretty good reader, he feels that reading is effortful. Getting him to do his weekly reading for school has been like pulling teeth! We ended up trying the Notebook of Doom books on Kindle because I couldn't get to the library and noticed that these books were economical and well rated on reviews. He loves them! He actually says he wants to keep reading even after the time limit for homework is complete. One day, he wanted to keep reading so long that he started and finished the entire book in one day (one hour of reading)! My husband and I nearly fell over on the floor. He says he doesn't want to try books from another series, but just wants to keep going with these books. We are very pleased.

My 7- and 8-year-old LOVE this series. They do tear through them pretty quickly, so they're not very challenging. Good for reluctant readers.

One of my daughters favourite series. She's 8 now but got into these when she was 7 and loves them. Nicely made book.

My son loves these books. (He's 8.) He has a hard time reading and at first it was like pulling teeth to get him interested. These books have solved that problem. Now he wants to read multiple chapters before bed! I recommend this to parents as they are fun to listen to as well.

Always a great read for my son.

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