

A Smart Girl's Guide To The Internet (American Girl Library)

Whether parents like it or not, romance is a part of girls' everyday lives. They see it in the media and hear about it from their friends and older family members. They may be having feelings they're not even sure how to define. It's all very exciting, but also very confusing for girls. This book helps answer all the questions popping up in her head: How can you tell if a person likes you? How do you tell someone you like them? What if you haven't had a crush yet? And, ugh, what about rejection? It includes tips and quizzes, plus age-appropriate and honest advice on navigating social situations and, most importantly, staying true to herself through any relationship.

Contains quizzes, tips, and advice on confusing social situations.

Have you ever thought about how awesome cooking really is? It's actually pretty cool to take ingredients and combine them in a special way to make something totally different - and delicious! Plus, sharing your tasty creations with family and friends makes it even more fun. Think of this book as your first step toward developing your culinary skills. You'll learn the basics like chopping, mixing, and blending; then you'll practice those skills with some classic recipes. Your family and friends will be amazed when you delight their taste buds! But that's not all. Cooking is also about presentation and making things look appetizing. You'll get tips and suggestions for pretty presentations, and learn how to plan a complete meal, too. So grab an apron, pop on a chef's hat, and get cooking!

Offers advice on a variety of topics relating to starting middle school, including setting up a morning routine, equipping a locker, and tackling extra homework. Original.

How to Look Great, Feel Fabulous, and Be a Better You

Body Image : how to Love Yourself, Live Life to the Fullest, and Celebrate All Kinds of Bodies

How to Feel Less Stressed and Have More Fun

The Land of Stories: The Wishing Spell

A Smart Girl's Guide: Race & Inclusion

Sports & Fitness

Shares expert advice for how to avoid and diffuse drama-related challenges including jealousy, gossip and cyberbullying, offering insights into the psychology of drama based on the experiences of real girls. Original.

Now celebrating the 42nd anniversary of The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, soon to be a Hulu original series! "A madcap adventure . . . Adams's writing teeters on the fringe of inspired lunacy."—United Press International Back on Earth with nothing more to show for his long, strange trip through time and space than a ratty towel and a plastic shopping bag, Arthur Dent is ready to believe that the past eight years were all just a figment of his stressed-out imagination. But a gift-wrapped fishbowl with a cryptic inscription, the mysterious disappearance of Earth's dolphins, and the discovery of his battered copy of The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy all conspire to give Arthur "the sneaking suspicion that something otherworldly is indeed going on. God only knows what it all means. Fortunately, He left behind a Final Message of explanation. But since it's light-years away from Earth, on a star surrounded by souvenir booths, finding out what it is will mean hitching a ride to the far reaches of space aboard a UFO with a giant robot. What else is new?" The most ridiculously exaggerated situation comedy known to creation beings . . . Adams is irresistible."—The Boston Globe

"Good for you! You've taken the first step in a lifelong journey to learn what you can do to help end racism. Maybe you've seen someone treated unfairly just because of the color of their skin. Maybe you were treated unfairly because of the color of yours. Maybe you've seen protests in the news and wondered what they're really all about. Whatever reason you picked up this book, you're here because you want to make a difference and change things for the better, and that's awesome! There's a lot to learn about race and racism. But don't be overwhelmed—we'll take it step by step.

First learn the language and concepts of race and racism. Then we can start to think about what changes we can make in ourselves, in our communities, and in the world that can help stop racism. There are lots of ideas in this book for thinking bigger and learning new skills as we work to end racism all around us. Imagine a world where everyone is treated fairly and no one is hurt or looked down on because of the color of their skin. Think about all the good that will come when everyone feels valued, respected, and cared for—no matter who they are. That's a world that's worth fighting for, so let's go!"—

The whirlwind of social media, online dating, and mobile apps can make life a dream—or a nightmare. For every trustworthy website, there are countless jerks, bullies, and scam artists who want to harvest your personal information for their own purposes. But you can fight back, right now. In The Smart Girl's Guide to Privacy, award-winning author and investigative journalist Violet Blue shows you how women are targeted online and how to keep yourself safe. Blue's practical, user-friendly advice will teach you how to: •Delete personal content from websites •Use website and browser privacy controls effectively •Recover from and prevent identity theft •Figure out where the law protects you—and where it doesn't •Set up safe online profiles •Remove yourself from people-finder websites Even if your privacy has already been compromised, don't panic. It's not too late to take control. Let The Smart Girl's Guide to Privacy help you cut through the confusion and start protecting your online life.

Surviving Crushes, Staying True to Yourself & Other Stuff

The Smart Girl's Guide To Growing Up

Digital World : how to Connect, Share, Play, and Keep Yourself Safe

Drama, Rumors & Secrets

Cooking

The Smart Girl's Guide to Self-Care

Everything You Need to Know about Open Relationships, Non-Monogamy, and Alternative Love

New title in the Smart Girl's Guides line of advice books. Includes quizzes, and quotes and advice from real girls. Loaded with tips and advice for getting control of your space, your belongings, your schedule, and your responsibilities#8212at home and at school. Major help with de-cluttering, starting small with a girl's backpack and locker, and then moving on to "5 zones" of her room: study, entertainment, clothing, get-ready, and sleep. Focus on emotional well-being#8212less frustration, less stress, more calm and confident, better relationships, better performance, increased happiness with life#8212when not late or losing or forgetting things. Includes "One Small Step" sidebars throughout, to help a girl get started with each area of organization and not feel overwhelmed.

Girls have the power to make a difference, whether that's in their own lives, their community, or even the world! But it can be confusing to know where to start. From protecting our planet to helping animals to saying hello to someone who seems lonely, this book offers young readers lots of ideas -- big and small -- on how to spark change. The quizzes, tips, and inspiration from other girls will help her identify her talents, skills, and the causes she cares about most. Then she can find ways to take action and become a change-maker!

A practical reference for young girls helps them identify personal spending styles while outlining strategies for earning money, saving funds and making smart shopping choices as recommended through the quotes and tips of other girls. Original.

This book--now with updated content and illustrations--offers girls straight talk on what to do when it seems like everyone's wondering "who likes who?" It includes sensitive, insightful, honest advice from girls and boys on being friends, going out, breaking up, and just being themselves. Plus, it includes tips and quizzes that lend valuable perspective on the beginning and ending of relationships.

A Smart Girl's Guide, Travel

Surviving Crushes, Staying True to Yourself & Other Love Stuff

The Period Book

A Smart Girl's Guide: Knowing What to Say

The Smart Girl's Guide to the G-Spot

So Long, and Thanks for All the Fish

Everything You Need to Know about Juggling More Homework, More Teachers, and More Friends!

Discusses proper etiquette for different situations, including how to act when you're a host or a guest, table manners, and how to behave at family gatherings.

An intelligent, comprehensive guide to nontraditional and non-monogamous relationships: "Informative and entertaining." —Dr. Elisabeth Sheff, author of When Someone You Love is Polyamorous This practical guidebook offers relationship advice radically different from anything you'll find on the magazine rack, to help women who want to break free of the mold of traditional monogamy—without the constraints of jealousy, possessiveness, insecurity, and competition. The Smart Girl's Guide to Polyamory incorporates interviews and real-world advice from women of all ages in nontraditional relationships, as well as exercises for building self-awareness, confidence in communication, and strategies for managing and eliminating jealousy. If you're curious about exploring group sex, opening up your current monogamous relationship, or ready to "come out" as polyamorous, this book covers it all.

Offers advice to girls dealing with various aspects of divorce, remarriage, and stepfamilies.

Every smart girl knows when to ask for advice, and this book is an indispensable companion to growing up. Addressing all those cringeey questions about periods, boys and boobs that adults squirm at answering, Anita Ganeri's sensible, light-hearted advice will calm the fears of any worried young woman.

The Smart Girl's Guide to Friendship

How to be assertive with wit, style and grace

Save the Drama! and 100 Other Practical Tips for Teens

How to Connect with Friends, Find What You Need, and Stay Safe Online

The Smart Girl's Guide to God, Guys, and the Galaxy

How to Make Food for Your Friends, Your Family and Yourself

The Smart Girl's Guide to Going Vegetarian

Every girl is a beautiful creation, uniquely equipped by God to do His work in the world. But as girls are growing, changing, and making choices about the kinds of lives they will lead, they are bombarded with conflicting messages about what it means to be a woman. The media says one thing, boys say another, and friends seem obsessed with whatever is newest and coolest. As a result, girls too often hand their decisions over to those least qualified to make them. Into the breach steps Elizabeth George, bestselling author and beloved Bible teacher. With wisdom, gentleness, and tremendous grace, she guides tween girls ages 8 to 12 through the most challenging decisions they face, teaching them to let God—not the world—define who they are. Discussing such topics as attitude, friendships, crushes, parents, school, and avoiding bad situations, Elizabeth helps girls see that the very best choice of all is a choice to live within God's will. Perfect for individuals, small groups, and mentoring.

The Smart Girl's Guide to Life is the essential guide to navigating the tricky and unexpected moments in life. Perfect for teen and tween girls moving from primary to secondary school, this book is filled with practical and friendly advice about money, careers, boys and self-confidence.

Offers girls help dealing with backstabbing, bullying, betrayal and other tough friendship problems through advice, quizzes, tips, and accounts of girls who have overcome their differences and strengthened their friendship.

Shares helpful advice and engaging quizzes to counsel tweens on the realities of attending middle-grade classes, doing homework and getting involved in after-school activities, providing tips by former middle school students on making friends with new peers. Original.

The Idea of You

A Smart Girl's Guide: Crushes: Dating, Rejection, and Other Stuff

How to Use Your Body and Mind to Play and Feel Your Best

Smart Girl's Guide

Boys

The Smart Girl's Guide To Life

Manners, the Secret to Grace, Confidence and Being Your Best

The Smart Girl 's Guide to God, Guys, and the Galaxy melds spiritual and practical advice with humor—a winning combination for teens trying to navigate the ups and downs of life with grace and confidence. Girls will be encouraged and challenged with sound, biblically-based advice equipping them to stand up for their faith and live the Christian walk every day—plus, they ' ll encounter some fun, common-sense tips along the way. Each of the 101 accessible chapters wraps up with relevant scripture selections and thought-provoking questions, making The Smart Girl ' s Guide a perfect book to work through with friends or small groups.

Do you feel like you ' re not heard but you don ' t want to have to scream? Personal development coach Mary Hartley explains the secrets of assertiveness — of how to communicate with other people in ways that are confident, effective — but also considerate. Mary reveals the simple steps you can take to help you relate to other people honestly and openly in every area of your life — at work, with your friends and family and in your love life. You will discover that you can be true to yourself and your needs without hurting or diminishing other people.
• What assertiveness is and why it matters
• How to avoid aggression, passivity and manipulation
• Tips for handling tricky situations including put-downs and dealing with bullies
• Mastering assertive body language and communication Packed with practical strategies and exercises, this book will show you how to be confident, assured and proactive — with style.

Counsels adolescent girls on how to have fun with fashion and develop a personal sense of style, providing quizzes for identifying looks that promote comfort and confidence while sharing advice on how to shop and handle disagreements with parents. 47,500 first printing. Original.

Sol è ne Marchand begins an impassioned affair with a member of her daughter ' s favorite boy band.

The Truth on Growing Up, Being Real, and Making Your Teen Years Fabulous!

American Medical Association Girl's Guide to Becoming a Teen

A Smart Girl's Guide to Manners

Finding the Words to Fit Any Situation

A Smart Girl's Guide: Making a Difference

A Smart Girl's Guide to the Internet

The Smart Girl's Guide to Getting What You Want

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To help girls decide whether to participate in a team sport or engage in a solo activity, this guide provides exercises to make their bodies stronger and last longer, confidence-building tips and brainpower drills, team and spirit-building activities, and tons of ideas from other girls. Illustrations.

From asking for a bigger allowance to apologizing for ruining a friend's favorite book, this guide offers the exact words needed in these more than 200 other situations. Readers will find the tools, tips, techniques (and actual words!) to help them untangle their tongue and speak out with confidence and grace. Full color.

What would you love. Love what you eat. No labels. No fuss. It's not about what you call yourself—it's about how you feel. Whether you're going vegan, vegetarian, fish-only, chicken-only, or all veggies except grandma's famous pigs-in-a-blanket, this book is your new best friend. Eating less meat can boost your energy, help you lose weight, and it's better for the environment. If you're looking to cut down on meat or cut it out completely, here you'll find awesome advice and the answers you need to make it work for you. Get the Scoop On:
•Daily meal ideas and easy recipes even your non-vegie friends will want to try
•How to convince your family this isn't just a fad or a phase
•Finding good food when you're away from home: veggie-friendly restaurants, colleges, and travel spots
•Getting enough iron, protein, and other vital nutrients to be healthy (because being vegetarian does NOT mean a diet of ice cream and pasta)
•Sneaky meaty things that can end up in food that seems perfectly safe for vegetarians

Money : how to Make It, Save It, and Spend it

A Girl's Guide to Growing Up

A Smart Girl's Guide, Worry

Getting It Together How to Organize Your Space, Your Stuff, Your Time-And Your Life

A Smart Girl's Guide to Starting Middle School

Using Your Talents and Passions to Change the World

A Smart Girl's Guide to Her Parents' Divorce

A Smart Girl's Guide: Knowing What to SayFinding the Words to Fit Any SituationAmerican Girl Publishing Incorporated

"Many people struggle with loving their bodies, but it's especially difficult for girls as they grow up. Girls face a lot of pressure to look a certain way, and the pursuit of a "perfect" body can lead to low self-esteem, feeling ashamed, depression, or even eating disorders. This book will help you understand how internal and external factors such as puberty, media images, social media, and peer pressure contribute to how you see yourself, and it will give you ways to combat the negative feelings and behaviors that come along with negative body image. This book will also help you understand and value all body types, and learn how to be less judgmental and more compassionate toward every body"—

Are you in an abusive or unhappy relationship? Do you try too hard to please your friends at the expense of your own needs and wants? Are you subservient to others and do you find yourself unable to become independent? Do you suffer from negative self-talk? These are all signs that your self-care regimen is deficient in some way. The Smart Girl's Guide to Self-Care tackles the common problems of effective self-care with practical suggestions for practices that will create a sustainable, lifelong self-care routine. For those who are beginners to concepts like mindfulness, meditation, opposite action, positive rebellion, positive affirmations and radical acceptance, this book will provide a useful and comprehensive introduction. For those struggling from the trauma of emotionally abusive relationships, this book will guide you in recognizing the signs of abuse, creating a reverse discourse that challenges ruminations over the abuse, moving forward successfully after a break-up using no contact, and techniques on coping with trauma in constructive and meaningful ways. Each chapter of this book also provides a list of supplemental resources as well as a recommended reading list to guide you on this journey to greater self-love and self-care. Although this book is intended for everyone, its target audience is young women who are socialized to believe that their needs and wants don't matter and that their relationships with others as much more important than the relationship they have with themselves. In order to have healthy, happy relationships with others, we must first cultivate healthy, happy relationships with ourselves and eradicate the toxic habits that deplete us of the self-love and self-acceptance necessary for a fulfilling life. You may be wondering: How is it possible to banish the browbeating bully inside your own head, influenced by all the bullies you've encountered in real life? How do you learn how to be more present in the moment rather than ruminating over the pitfalls of your past? How do you learn to love yourself, despite all of the experiences that tell you you aren't even worthy of your own respect and appreciation? Using a patchwork of diverse techniques and practices, The Smart Girl's Guide to Self-Care answers these questions through a holistic program of tending to the mind, body and spirit in healthier and more productive ways, serving as the portal to immense healing and enabling you to stage your own recovery and victory in ways you never thought possible.

Travel is all about adventure. It's about trying new things and meeting new people. This book shows you how to be a confident and happy traveler, whether you are going to your grandma's house just a few hours away or you're making a trek across the world. Filled with fun quizzes, smart safety tips, and cool trivia, this book will help you get ready for a lifetime of adventure!

A Smart Girl's Guide

The Smart Girl's Guide to Polyamory

How to Have Fun with Fashion, Shop Smart, and Let Your Personal Style Shine Through

Standing Up to Racism and Building a Better World

A Novel

A Girl's Guide to Life

A Smart Girl's Guide to Boys

Packed with tips, quizzes, and "What would you do?" scenarios, this book can help girls be smart—and safe—Internet users. Parents can find great advice for teaching girls what to do (and what not to do) on the Web: from e-mail and instant messaging to blogs and social networks. Includes journal pages for recording favorite Web sites.

The G-spot, the powerhouse of female orgasm, is often veiled in mystery and confusion - many believing it to be nothing more than urban legend! With wit and panache, sex educator and bestselling writer Violet blue introduces readers to G-spot play. Beginning with an anatomical guide and incorporating suggestions for couple-play, positions, toys and safer sex, this guide will lead readers to thrilling new sensations and earth-shaking, bed-breaking, gale-force climaxes! Any girl can unleash her own orgasmic superpower with The Smart Girl's Guide to the G-spot.

Celebrating over twenty years in print, this best-selling, essential illustrated guidebook for adolescent girls is now available as a refreshed edition, with new and updated content. With over 400,000 copies sold, this appealingly illustrated guidebook to puberty—now updated with new content relevant to today's kids—is the perfect companion for girls and parents preparing for this important milestone. Written in consultation with preteen girls, this guide offers a supportive, practical approach, providing clear and sensitive answers to common questions on periods, as well as advice dealing with pimples and mood swings. This revised edition features new sections on: - getting braces - bra sizing - shaving - relatable anecdotes from real girls - changing friendships - romantic feelings - dealing with sexual harassment both on social media and in real life Complete with charming and informative interior illustrations, The Period Book is a trusty friend that can help girls feel confident about this new phase of their lives.

Sometimes when we worry about something, it feels like we're the only ones - and that makes us even more worried! But really, everyone worries about something from time to time. Sometimes the worries are about big things, like an argument with a friend, taking an important test, or having to perform in front of a crowd, and sometimes the worry is about smaller things like having a bad hair day or saying something embarrassing. But regardless of what the worry is about, it never feels fun to worry! This book will help you put a stop to worrying as soon as it starts. Take interesting quizzes to discover more about yourself and the things that concern you, and get great tips and tricks for creating a sense of calm. Plus, read some really helpful advice from girls just like you who found a way to relax their worries. The whole book is packed with techniques for handling worry, creating confidence, and inspiring you to be the girl you're meant to be.

A Smart Girl's Guide. Middle School

Practical Tips for Staying Safe Online

Dealing with Fights, Being Left Out & the Whole Popularity Thing

Staying True to Yourself in Changing Times

A Smart Girl's Guide to Friendship Troubles

A Girl's Guide to Making Really Good Choices

Everything You Need to Know about Adventuring Near and Far

THE SMART GIRL'S GUIDE TO FRIENDSHIP is the essential guide to making, keeping and being a brilliant friend. Every smart girl knows the importance of friendship as she grows up - best friends share support, love and laughter, but what happens when things go wrong?

Becoming a teen is an important milestone in every girl ' s life. It ' s even more important to get answers and advice to the most common health issues girls face from a trusted source. The American Medical Association Girl ' s Guide to Becoming a Teen is filled with invaluable advice to get you ready for the changes you will experience during puberty. Learn about these important topics and more: Puberty and what kinds of physical and emotional changes you can expect—from your developing body to your feelings about boys The importance of eating the right foods and taking care of your body Your reproductive system inside and out Starting your period—what it means and how to handle it Thinking about relationships and dealing with new feelings

Alex and Conner Bailey's world is about to change. When the twins' grandmother gives them a treasured fairy-tale book, they have no idea they're about to enter a land beyond all imagining: the Land of Stories, where fairy tales are real. But as Alex and Conner soon discover, the stories they know so well haven't ended in this magical land - Goldilocks is now a wanted fugitive, Red Riding Hood has her own kingdom, and Queen Cinderella is about to become a mother! The twins know they must get back home somehow. But with the legendary Evil Queen hot on their trail, will they ever find the way? The Land of Stories: The Wishing Spell brings readers on a thrilling quest filled with magic spells, laugh-out-loud humour and page-turning adventure.

How to Land on Your Feet When Your World Turns Upside Down

The Smart Girl's Guide to Privacy

A Smart Girl's Guide to Style