Title: Where You See Yourself

Author: Claire Forrest

Genre: Romance/Disability Representation

Reviewer Name and Grade: Srisharan S., 7th Grade

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"Where You See Yourself" by Claire Forrest is a cool teen novel that has topics like disability representation and romance. The story's main character is Effie Galanos, who is a high school senior year student who has a condition called cerebral palsy. She uses a wheelchair to do her daily stuff. She has been preparing a lot for her future and college admission. She wants to attend a college in NYC which offers a major in Media and Society. She also wants to work at a company which focuses on digital media. But her journey not only includes education and college but also her accessibility. The book takes place in Minneapolis mainly because that is the place Effie lives. She visits a lot of campuses during her year and events take place during high school. She is excited but also anxious about preparing for college. She needs to find a good college with accessibility and a good college. She envisions a life far from Minneapolis. She also discovers her crush Wilder is also applying to the same college. Throughout this process, Effie learns to be open to new possibilities and dreams. In conclusion, "Where you see Yourself" by Claire Forrest is an excellent read.

Did the plot keep you interested?

Yes, the plot of "Where You See Yourself" by Claire Forrest is very engaging. Effie's journey of determination to overcome obstacles, and her daily life really keep me interested.

Was the pace of the book just right?

The plot of the book was just right with high action moments blending with low action moments blended in the right way.

What grade level(s) is the book appropriate for?

This book is appropriate for most Middle School students (6-9) because it is a really exciting and fun book and an awesome read.

What type of reader would you recommend this book to?

I would recommend this book to readers who enjoy books with disability representation, and realistic portrayals of teenage life. Also people who like a strong main character.

What other information do you think would be helpful for teens to know about this book? In general, teens can expect a great book with topics like disability representation and teenage life etc.

Rating: 5 Stars

I really enjoyed "Where You See Yourself" and the book was very action packed, with a lovely story, determined characters and more. The main character was very determined, which I liked. The story was great to read. In conclusion, the book "Where You See Yourself" had an awesome story line with a good theme.