I Even Funnier: A Middle School Story
(I Funny)
In this follow up to the #1 New York Times bestseller I Funny, middle schooler Jamie Grimm has big dreams of being the best stand-up comic in the world--and he won't let the fact that he's wheelchair-bound stand in his way. After winning the New York state finals in the Planet's Funniest Kid Comic Contest, Jamie's off to Boston to compete in the national semi-finals. But when one of his best buddies runs into trouble at school and a sudden family health scare rears its head, Jamie has to put his comedic ambitions on hold and stand by the people he cares about. Can Jamie pass up the big competition for the sake of his friends and family? (Includes more than 175 black-and-white illustrations.)

**Book Information**

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Average Customer Review: 4.8 out of 5 stars  (See all reviews) (392 customer reviews)


Age Range: 9 - 12 years

Grade Level: 3 - 7

**Customer Reviews**

It can be really difficult to get some young people excited about reading books. Whether your kids are readers or haven't shown much curiosity yet, the James Patterson book "I Funny" and this book, its sequel, represent a great opportunity to get them started on a lifetime journey of reading adventure. The author's main character Jamie Grimes, is an atypical modern young boy in two
respects ... he is wheelchair-bound and also is extremely bright and witty. Jamie also has powerful personal ambition. This book is about embracing your goals in the adversity of normal life hardships. It is a young-adult classic with lots of illustration and humor. Buy it as a gift and you just may be very pleased at the positive changes you will witness in the children you bought it for.

Maci's Review- I even Funnier by James Patterson and Chris Grabenstein is just as good as the first one, I Funny. In this book Jamie Grimm is on his way to semi-finals. But there are some challenges along the way that Jamie has to deal with. I loved this book. It is really heartfelt, more than the first one, and you really love Jamie more than you already do. I would recommend this book to anyone that wants a heartfelt funny read.

Zoe’s Review- This book is once again recommended by my brother. He will only read good books, this is a great book. In the sequel to I Funny, Jamie has to face competition, disappoint and happiness. I really enjoyed reading this and it was funny the whole way through. I liked how heartfelt this story was and enjoyed reading it the whole way through. I can not wait until the next one comes out! I recommend these books to any reluctant reader or anybody looking for a funny, good, heartfelt story.

This book is the 2nd book in a series of three by Patterson and both my girls (age 8 and 10) are reading the series and loving it. It is hard for my youngest daughter to get interested in reading a certain book, but this book and the whole series has a lot of pictures to keep her entertained while reading which is great for struggling readers. This is also an accelerated reader book for those who have kids that work on that for school. Great read!

As always, this arrived right on time with Prime Membership(I love me some Prime Shipping :)). I purchased a couple of these books on Black Friday for $5. My 10 year old is hooked on James Patterson now. So he had to also have this one and a few others. Although It would’ve been nice if it only cost $5 for the Hardcover to match his others :) , it was still a great purchase even if it was a little more than before. Would/have recommended to others. -Holly

As a parent, many of us struggle to find appropriate reading material for our children..THAT THEY WANT TO READ!! No problem here!!! We want to encourage the love of reading and picture our children reading Charles Dickens and Mark Twain etc. Then we realize that they want to cling to picture books. Most schools don't verify that our children are checking out age appropriate material from the school library. A 5th grade child should NOT be reading a "Sesame Street" book. Lol. Nor
does it seem that book reports are essential to developing comprehension anymore. This series of books is a great adjustment to "chapter books". They provide some illustration/visual entertainment and the story lines are fun and silly. Keep the child engaged in reading. My son doesn't complain about his 20 minute mandatory reading anymore!! Mr Patterson..I hope you can keep up!! Hope you do a "HIGH SCHOOL" series next!! Lol

James Patterson does it again. My son reads and rereads this book. He shows his friends and they read it together out loud. This book is a creative and perfect for kids to read. This book has kept my son reading and reading which is a great thing. My son thinks this book is funny and entertaining. I can't wait till the next one comes out. I would buy again.

I'm a 5th grade boy and I read the first I Funny book, so I was excited to read this second one in the series. I thought it was better than the first because everything goes Jaime's way in the first book, but in the second book there's more tragedy and the opposite of how he wants. Most of the jokes are funnier too.

I bought 40 books to complete my collection by S. Cannell, M. Connelly, J. Patterson, & J. Wambaugh. I haven't read all of them yet, but these guys have never disappointed, and I don't think that they ever will. That's why I read them.

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