

# Shine Bright 6<sup>e</sup>

## File 4 Dear diary

Me and my likes and dislikes – Doc 1, p. 64

### CHAPTER 2

#### BIO - Maximillian McConk.

I'll start with the easy stuff: My full name is Maximillian Alexander McConk, and I am 10.85 years old. I have curly black hair. LOTS of curly black hair. I live in a blue house with my mom, dad, Pop-Pop, and my older brother.

What you must also know about me is that there are two hobbies that I love more than anything else. [...] First, I read a lot. [...] Second, I love to find rhymes for words.

Sarah Giles, *Fitting Out: The Friendship Experiment*, 2019.

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**BEFORE...**

**by Phil Dickens A.K.A. Phil the Nerd**

Yes, I'm a **NERD**. But you shouldn't picture me as<sup>1</sup> one of those kids who locks himself up<sup>2</sup> in his room and stares<sup>3</sup> at his computer all day. Of course, I spend time doing that (a lot of time), but if you asked me: "Hey, man, do you have a life?" I would never answer: "Where can I download it?" **I'M A NERD** who likes having fun and occasionally causing trouble. **I LOVE FENCING** (I'm an épée fencer), **I LOVE STAR WARS**

Philip Osbourne, Diary of a Nerd, 2021.

**1.** *il ne faut pas m'imaginer comme* **2.** *s'enferme* **3.** looks at

In the morning – Doc 2, p. 68

## **MY MORNING ROUTINE**

WAKE UP AT 7 AM

WORK OUT<sup>1</sup> FOR 10 MIN

HAVE A QUICK SHOWER

GET DRESSED AND COMB<sup>2</sup> MY HAIR

EAT A GOOD BREAKFAST

BRUSH MY TEETH

AND GO TO SCHOOL

**1.** do sport **2.** *peigner*

## Going to school, p. 69

Even though<sup>1</sup> I only live four minutes away from my school, I'm often late.

This is usually because me and Derek (my best mate<sup>2</sup> and next-door neighbour<sup>3</sup>) "chat" a bit (OK, a LOT) on the way. Sometimes it's because we get distracted by delicious fruit chews and caramel wafers at the shop. Occasionally, it's because I've had loads of other very important things to do.

Liz Pichon, *The Brilliant World of Tom Gates*, 2011.

1. *Même si* 2. friend 3. *voisin*

Test your skills, p. 73

I wake up and open my eyes and the FIRST thing I see is the LIST I stuck to my wall.

I look at number 1. Eat a **BIG** breakfast. **EXCELLENT**, I can do that right now. BUT  
there could be a problem.

Liz Pichon, *Tom Gates Happy to Help*, 2015.

## Évaluation – Guide pédagogique

### **The Brilliant World of Tom Gates**

Tom Gates knows what he likes and what he doesn't. He likes his best friend Derek. He likes playing in his band<sup>1</sup> and singing. Drawing. And making things. He doesn't really like his teenage sister Delia, his school enemy Marcus or his teacher Mr Fullerman.

Derek is Tom's next door neighbour<sup>2</sup> and best mate<sup>3</sup>. They like the same things, like caramel wafers and dude 3 (best band!) Derek plays the piano in Tom's band DogZombies and he always makes Tom laugh. Tom loves Derek's dog, Rooster.

*adapted from: <https://thebrilliantworldoftomgates.com/characters>*

**1.** group of music **2.** voisin **3.** friend