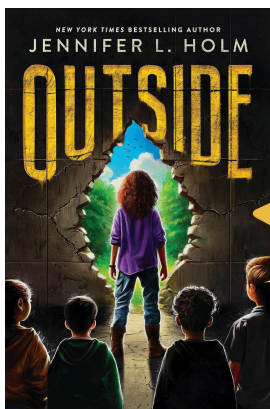


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# Outside

by Jenni L. Holm



Read Aloud Video and  
Author Interview

Here is a little background information about our First Chapter Friday title and its creator. Feel free to add your own notes and thoughts in the bottom box.

## What's It About?

Whatever you do, don't leave home. Razzi has always been told: Don't go Outside. It isn't safe. There are people and creatures out there that will harm you. The walls of the Refuge will protect you from them.

Razzi's friend Ollie was curious about Outside... and it led to his death. So Razzi is trying to be on her best behavior. She is the oldest kid left, the one the younger kids look up to. She has to follow the rules.

But Outside has a way of getting in, and Razzi, guided by a dog she has a strangely close connection with, wonders what it's like to run free beyond the walls.

If she steps away from everything she's ever known... what will she find?

## Who Wrote It?

Jennifer L. Holm is a NEW YORK TIMES and USA TODAY-bestselling children's author with nearly ten million books in print. She is the recipient of three Newbery Honors for her novels! In addition to prose novels, Jenni also writes graphic novels with her brother Matthew Holm. Their Squish series which was turned into an animated series by Cottonwood Media and aired on HBO MAX! She lives in California with her husband, two children, and three bossy cats



named Augustus, Livia, and Calpurnia. You can learn more about her and her work at [www.jenniferholm.com](http://www.jenniferholm.com)

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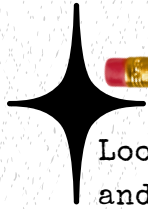
Use this graphic organizer with the First Chapter Friday videos on YouTube from the Word Nerd.



# PREVIEW & PREDICT



Read Aloud Video



Look at the objects featured on the YouTube thumbnail and book cover and then make a few predictions.



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