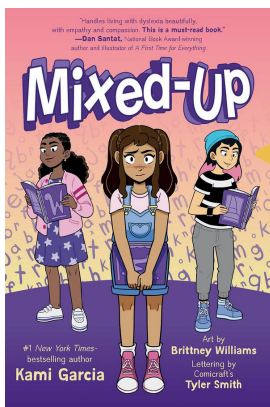


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Mixed-Up

by Kami Garcia

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.



Read Aloud Video and
Author Interview

What's It About?

Stella knows fifth grade will be the best year ever. Her closest friends, Emiko and Latasha, are in her class and they all got the teacher they wanted. Then their favorite television show, Witchlins, announces a new guidebook and an online game! But when the classwork starts piling up, Stella struggles to stay on top. Why does it take her so long to read? And how can she keep up with friends in the Witchlins game if she can't get through the text-heavy guidebook? It takes loving teachers and her family to recognize that Stella has a learning difference, and after a dyslexia diagnosis she gets the support and tools she needs to succeed.

Bestselling author Kami Garcia was inspired to write this special book by her daughter's dyslexia journey; her own neurodivergent experience; and the many students she taught over the years. With subtle design and formatting choices making this story accessible to all readers, *Mixed-Up* shows that our differences don't need to separate us. *Mixed-Up* has been lettered in Dyslexie to make reading as comfortable as possible for dyslexic readers.

Who Wrote It?

Kami Garcia a #1 New York Times, USA Today and international bestselling author and comic book writer. She has written 12 novels and graphic novels, that have been published in 51 countries and 38 languages and her books have sold more than 10 million copies worldwide!! She is also a cofounder of the Kid Lit book festival YALLFest and co-organizer of #Creators4Comics. She is married to Alex Garcia, a video game producer. They have two



children together. Learn more about Kami at kamigarcia.com and follow her on [Instagram](#) and [X](#) @kamigarcia.

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I want to read this book: YES / NO

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