



Survival Guide to Parents; Survival Guide to School

Books Reviewed:

[Survival Guide to Parents](#) [1]

Books Reviewed:

[Survival Guide to School](#) [2]

Issue:

[87](#) [3]

Reviewer:

[Pam Harwood](#) [4]

News to Choice:

off

Media type:

Book

BfK Rating:

0

Two farcical books that have wicked caricatures of everyone and everything we meet in school and that children see in their parents. In the **Survival Guide to School** we meet Laura Ashili, a gentle, sunlit, flowery creature who inhabits her classroom like a fragile butterfly. Montessori would have felt at home here and the Nat. Curric. can't even get a toehold. The **Survival Guide Parents** has, among the cartoons and text, a very witty subplot with dinosaurs demanding their civil rights in a 'Fair Treatment for Dinosaurs Campaign'.

There's masses of activity in both books; they're truly interactive with things to fill in and puzzles to do. No one will doze off while reading these two.

Running Order:

38

Source URL (retrieved on Feb '20): <http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/issue/87/childrens-books/reviews/survival-guide-to-parents-survival-guide-to-school>

Links:

[1] <http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/childrens-books/survival-guide-to-parents>

[2] <http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/childrens-books/survival-guide-to-school>

[3] <http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/issue/87>

[4] <http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/member/pam-harwood>