The celebrated Belinda is starring in Cinderella with the Metropolitan Ballet. But moments before showtime, her jealous rival, Miss Lola Mudge, locks Belinda in a closet in an attempt to steal the show! With the help of the Fairy Godmother, Belinda escapes, determined to recapture her role from the spotlight thief. Fortunately, only one person can fill those huge glass slippers—Belinda the ballerina! Belinda has already garnered critical acclaim, including a starred review from Publishers Weekly; Booklist declared her instantly recognizable. Dancers of all shoe sizes will love this third charming tale with its droll illustrations and delightful sense of humor.

My Personal Review:

Wow! What a great combination of a Cinderella story and back-stage drama this story is. Young readers will adore following the adventure of the plucky ballerina with the too-big feet as she is cast in the lead role, much to the consternation of her rival, the evil Miss Lola Mudge.

Miss Lola Mudge might have the most perfect, tiny feet, but she sure doesn't know anything about honesty and fair play. Just like an evil step sister, she locks poor Belinda in a broom closet on the opening night of the ballet, and goes out on stage in her place. However, her scam is exposed when it's time to don the glass slipper made for Belinda's large feet, Belinda is released from the closet by the dancer who played the part of the fairy godmother -- and finishes the performance a grand success.

What becomes of Miss Lola Mudge? Well, she left ballet and found herself a job playing hockey. Justice prevails!

The fun is underscored by delightful illustrations, insuring that this book will be one of your child's favorite. Highly recommended!
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