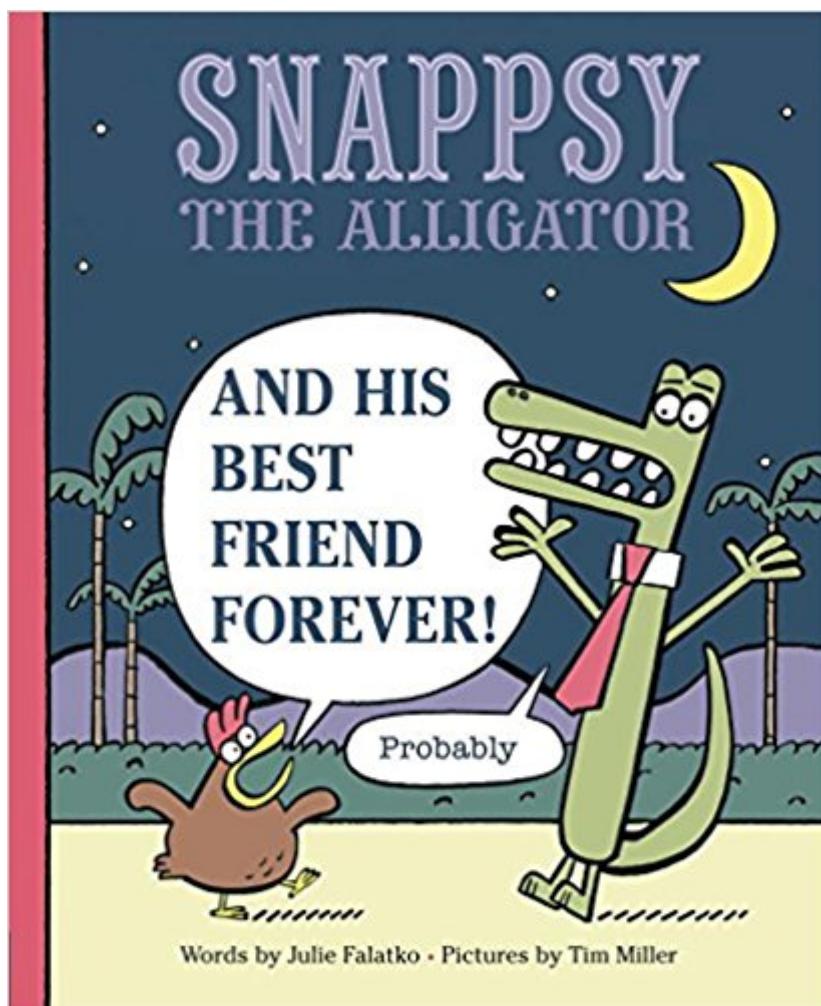


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# Snappy The Alligator And His Best Friend Forever (Probably)



## Synopsis

Snappy (begrudgingly!) returns in this clever and hilarious follow-up to the critically-acclaimed *Snappy the Alligator (Did Not Ask to Be in This Book)*. Snappy the alligator wants nothing more than a quiet evening to himself, but a pesky chicken who insists he's Snappy's best friend won't leave him alone. Friendship bracelets? Matching shirts? The sleepover of the century? Snappy did not ask for any of the activities the chickenâ•his best friend forever?â•is planning. This pitch-perfect sequel to *Snappy the Alligator (Did Not Ask to Be in This Book)* explores all the ways we get friendship wrong (and why it feels so magical when we get it right!).

## Book Information

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Reviews, STARRED REVIEW! "Falatko's debut picture book is a truly a laugh-out-loud, mischievous romp, made gleefully goofier by Miller's straight-laced, deadpan animal characters." •Booklist, STARRED REVIEW! "Filled with exploration-worthy detail| overdocumented youngsters may feel some sympathy for Snappy, and audiences...will giggle at his battle with the overexcited narrator." •BCCB, STARRED REVIEW!"This clever debut will renew faith in the possibilities of fourth-wall breaking." •The New York Times "A silly, clever introduction to the idea of the unreliable narrator." •The Boston Globe "One of the funniest picture books of the year. . . .utterly irresistible." •BookPage "Falatko's debut book demonstrates the power of storytelling through words and pictures." •School Library Journal "Distinguished by Falatko's ability to sustain the tension at length; by Miller's savory palette... and by the unvoiced suggestion that when fiction is working well, a character can take on a life of his or her own." •Horn Book Magazine "This one goes to the top of the meta-heap. Snappy the Alligator is a wonderful exploration of subjectivity... and a lot of fun." •Shelf Awareness "If a pesky narrator did THAT to ME, I'D bite 'em right on the\*AHEM\* Great job with your creative conflict resolution, Snappy!" •Ame Dyckman, A New York Times bestselling author of A Wolfie the Bunny and A Boy + Bot "Adam Rex didn't ask to be on this book either. But despite being a mean man who generally dislikes debut authors he is a fan of Snappy the Alligator." •Adam Rex, A New York Times bestselling author of Schools First Day of School "Modern storytelling that never compromises, page after hilarious page." •Bob Shea, author of A Ballet Cat

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