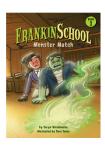
Book 3: Gone to the Dogs

by Caryn Rivadeneira
with illustrations by Dani Jones

Frankinschool: *Gone to the Dogs* Fred's emotions have gone to the dogs! Fred's teacher and Luisa might be excited about their research trip to the library, but Fred is not. In fact, the whole project—and his continued failures at it—are making him angry! That is, until he realizes he has the perfect solution to his problem: Simply write one of his "What If" poems, tap into the power of pretend, turn into Frankinchool, and voila! Project, cancelled. In Book Three of the Frankinschool Mysteries, readers set off on an adventure with Frankinschool through secret passageways and grand rooms of a mansion-turned-library. Along the way, they learn about managing expectations, anger, and friendships, and discover that sometimes going-to-the-dogs is a very good thing.



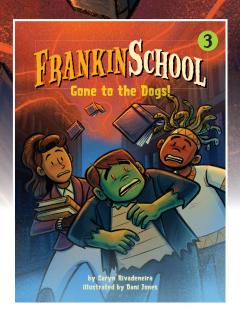




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has spent her life imagining what's up every ropedoff twisty staircase, what's behind every creaky, sneaky door, and what's lurking in every spooky space she's ever passed (and it's possible she even

snuck into a few of these places!). Caryn is the author of more than 20 books for children and grownups. Caryn lives in the near-west suburbs of Chicago with her husband, three kids, and her rescued pit bulls. You can imagine that her home has most definitely gone to the dogs!



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CHAPTER 2: NO GHOST STORIES

Fred began to write.

A haunted library would be a fun place.
With ghosts floating loose and spooking the space.
They'd pull out the cards and make a huge mess.
They'd ruin our projects—at least, that's my guess.
So come on, Frank, and do your thing.
Do something new—like make the fire alarm ring.

Fred smacked his pencil down on the

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"What is this?" Snake-ula asked.

Frankinschool had wandered to one of the card catalogs and grabbed a stack of cards sitting neatly on top."

"Look at this," Frankinschool said. "They're all here! Listen: A History of Ghosts!

How Fear of Monsters Helps Us! The Making of Monsters! The Best Ghost Stories! If I could find these books, I could write my paper!"

"But, uh, is there anything on haunted basements?" Snake-ula asked.

"I don't see anything," Frankinschool



With illustrations by best-selling artist Dani Jones