

The World According to Ramona



On life: “She was a girl who could not wait. Life was so interesting she had to find out what happened next.” —*Ramona the Pest*

On being noticed: “If there was one thing Ramona couldn’t stand, it was being ignored.” —*Beezus and Ramona*

On behaving herself: “How could she stay out of mix-ups when she never knew what would suddenly turn into a mix-up?” —*Ramona the Brave*



On Beezus: “Ramona felt secure and happy. Agreeing was so pleasant she wished she and her sister could agree more often. Unfortunately, there were so many things to disagree about.” —*Ramona the Brave*

On the tooth fairy: “Ramona had her suspicions about the tooth fairy.” —*Ramona the Pest*



On stories: “Next to stories with lots of noise, Ramona liked stories about witches, goblins, or ogres.” —*Beezus and Ramona*

On surprises: “Ramona always longed for glorious surprises. That was the way she was.” —*Ramona the Brave*

On spelling: “She did not really want to be a bad speller. She simply did not want to bother being a good speller. She had more interesting things to do, although at the moment she couldn’t think what.” —*Ramona’s World*

