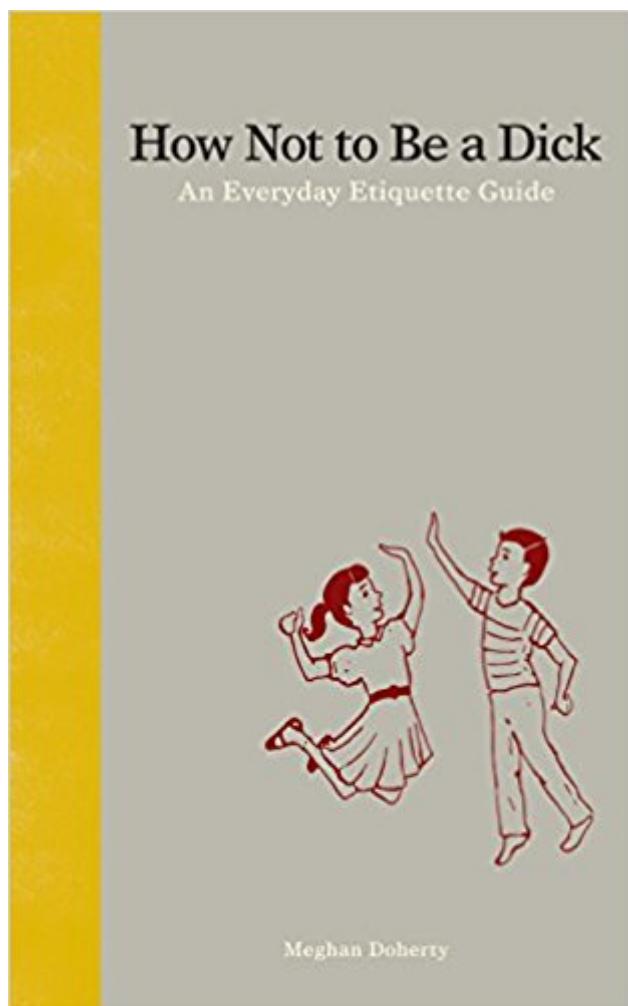


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# How Not To Be A Dick: An Everyday Etiquette Guide



## Synopsis

Essential (and emotionally intelligent) etiquette tips are packaged here alongside hilarious "Dick and Jane"-style illustrations. Laugh and learn.

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love this book gave it to my husband!!!! hope he learns from it

Its a great book, but my friend still doesn't understand it.

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