This is a heart-warming tale of a shy 12 year old girl called Rainbow Roberts who faces the trauma of moving to a new school.

Keen not to draw attention to herself, she changes her name to Rosie. However another embarrassing problem is that her mother is the ‘cool’ new English teacher at the same school which she also wants to keep a secret, along with the fact that her father works as a dog walker.

The story unfolds as she gradually makes friends and gains confidence. Her secrets come out and she finds that her name, and actually her parents too are quite unique and something to be proud of.

An interesting feature of the book is that it is designed to be dyslexia friendly. The sentences and paragraphs are deliberately kept short and generously spaced with an eye friendly font and print size, and tinted paper. There is plenty of repetition and bullet pointing to help young readers with difficulties yet the subject matter of the story remains age appropriate.

All in all a fun story about growing up from this popular junior author.