So You Want To Be An Inventor?
Synopsis
Judith St. George is a distinguished author and the recipient of numerous awards, including the Caldecott Medal. This entertaining book encourages young listeners to become creative thinkers. People with great ideas, some famous and some not so much, invented the things we use every day. Inventors like Ben Franklin, the Wright Brothers, Heddy Lamar, and Josephine Cochran dreamed the big dreams that led to lightning rods, airplanes, torpedoes, and dishwashers.

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Customer Reviews
Author Judith St. George and award winning illustrator David Small are back with a new and engaging look at history, and those who enjoyed their first collaboration, So You Want To Be President, are in for another captivating, fun-filled treat. So you want to be an inventor and you think you have what it takes. Take a peek inside the covers of this clever book, and find out a little about some of the famous and not-so-famous who have gone before you. Ms St. George’s easy to read, short profiles are written in an entertaining, conversational style, and complemented by Mr Small’s dazzling and humorous illustrations. Each bold and busy page is filled with history, trivia, fun-facts, and playful wit that whets the appetite and inspires. Perfect for youngsters 8-12, So You Want To Be An Inventor is a marvelous collection that celebrates ingenuity, and may just get your kids’ creative juices flowing. Who knows, you may be living with the next Thomas Edison, Henry Ford, or Josephine Cochran (she invented the dishwasher).

I bought this book for my nephew who is in high school and wants to be an engineer and inventor. He liked it. The reading level is below high school but it contains information about historical inventors such as Thomas Jefferson who invented some glasses for chickens. My nephew thought
that was pretty weird!

too cluttered not easy to read

Great book for kids

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