



New Spanish Edition of Maddi's Fridge

After playing together in the park, Sofia and Maddi race to Maddi's apartment. Sofia wins and opens Maddi's fridge to grab a snack, but the fridge is empty. Ashamed, Maddi begs Sofia not to tell anyone.

Sofia promises but is still determined to help, so she sneaks food to school for Maddi. There the girls discover that while fish and eggs are good for people, they aren't very good for backpacks. Yuck!

Despite Sofia's very best efforts, Maddi's fridge is still empty. Sofia realizes that some secrets must be shared with a trusted adult – especially when keeping the secret does more harm than good. "...16 million children in America live in households struggling with hunger.... That means that more than 1 in 5 children may not always have enough to eat..." -Feeding America, the nation's leading domestic hunger-relief charity

La nevera de Maddi honestly and sensitively addresses hunger, friendship, empathy, and trust.



Maddi's Fridge won the ILA Children's and YA Book Award for Primary Fiction 2015

"...Though undeniably purposive, this title is **notable**. ...A **thoughtful and well-executed** look at the challenge of childhood hunger." –*Kirkus Reviews*

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donated to help
fight childhood
hunger.

"A book that transforms the world.... lovely, engaging, and important.... with characters you fall in love with instantly, with illustrations that draw you into the children's lives, their neighborhood, their homes, and most importantly, their story." –Craig Wiesner, Reach and Teach Bookstore, San Mateo, CA





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