

# Double Trouble Alert

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# BOOK TALK CARDS



## ABOUT THE BOOK

When Asha discovers that Shelly has used artificial intelligence to program the world's first robot twins, she is panicked. They haven't been tested, and they are sure to be dangerous. As twenty robot twins run riot chasing an "evil" cow, top coder and super-spy Asha must work out how to deactivate them. Can she stop Shelly from launching her robot twin technology before anyone gets hurt - or worse?



## OUR THOUGHTS

"Perfect for spy fans and computer enthusiasts, this is a fun read with a likeable main character. Raises lots of questions about the ethics of AI in an accessible way."



## THEMES:

Robots • Ethics  
AI

## TIME TO TALK

- 1 Would you like a robot twin? Shelly says it will eliminate loneliness but do you agree with her?
- 2 What do you think the effects of everyone having a robot twin would be?
- 3 On p. 11 Shelly says, "we'll know how to sell products to make everyone happy - all of the time!" Do you think it's a good idea if a tech company knows lots of things about you and only shows you things that it thinks will make you happy?
- 4 On page 37 it tells you the pros and cons of AI. Do you think AI is a good thing?
- 5 Asha learns about ethical frameworks - how you learn about right and wrong. How did/do you learn about what is right and wrong behaviour?
- 6 What do you think the marks are underneath the chapter headings? Can you figure out the code?
- 7 Nani-ji says, "Good and bad are often in the eyes of the beholder" (p.83). What do you think this means? Is it always easy to decide what is good or bad?
- 8 What do you think of Shelly's character? What words would you use to describe her?
- 9 Shelly made an amazing invention with the robot twins. Is it okay to do what you want to make technological progress?
- 10 Where do you think Asha went wrong with putting the phrase 'Do no evil' into the code?

## TAKE THE TEXT FURTHER WITH OUR TOP 5 TITLES TO CONTINUE THE THEME:

