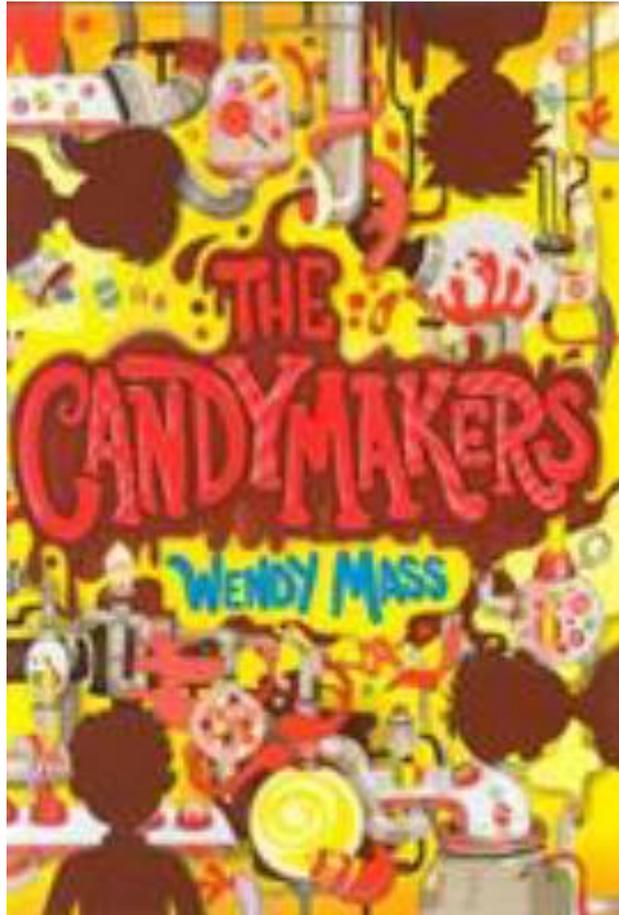




TASTING SHEET

October 2020

Dig deeper into the story with discussion questions, activity suggestions, a recipe and more!



The Candymakers

by Wendy Mass

When four twelve-year-olds, including Logan, who has grown up never leaving his parents' Life Is Sweet candy factory, compete in the Confectionary Association's annual contest, they unexpectedly become friends and uncover secrets about themselves during the process.



CREATE SOMETHING
NEW TO SATISFY
YOUR SWEET TOOTH!

Check out this recipe for Halloween Peanut
Butter and Toffee Candy Bark from
[bonappetit.com](https://www.bonappetit.com)

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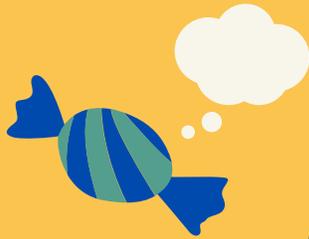
Did you like how your candy bark turned out?
We'd love to see what you created!

Send a text to 503-877-9893 or email us at
staytonpl@crls.org

LEARN A NEW LANGUAGE... SPEAK BACKWARDS!

One of Miles' special talents is the ability to
speak backwards... Can you speak backwards?
Test your skill!

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Logan, Miles, Daisy and Philip all experienced life-changing events in their past. Imagine yourself as one of these characters... How do you think you would react if what happened to them happened to you?



Which character do you think is most like you? Why?



Consider this quote from the story:

"Some people have scars on the inside and other people's are on the outside."

How could someone have scars on the inside? How could those kinds of scars heal?



Do you think you would like to live in a candy factory? Why or why not?

Special thanks to the Newport
Candy Shoppe for the delightful
saltwater taffy!

Please note: Their taffy is made from their traditional recipe with egg whites and is also not gluten free





CONFESSIONS OF A FOOD-INSPIRED LITERARY CRITIC



What did you think of this book?

- I thought the story was...
- Something I liked...
- Something I wish were different...

How many stars would I give this book?

