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Book's title: Hilde Cracks the Case — UFO Spotted!

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If there is a bright flash of light streaking across the sky, what do you think it is? A plane? A UFO? Are there other possibilities? Let's read *UFO Spotted!* to expand your imagination!

*UFO Spotted!* is another good read from the Hilde Cracks the Case Collection. The story starts when the sky of Selinsgrove, the town where Hilde and her family live, is darker than usual as a storm is edging closer. But Hilde and her sister, Izzy, are still pedaling their bikes across the town to crack a case. This time, rumor has it aliens are invading the earth, and Selinsgrove is their first stop.

This rumor catches the attention of Hilde and Izzy as they do see a mysterious streak of light in the sky. Is that a spaceship flying across the sky? Plus, there are strange pieces of metal scattered all over the hillside behind Grove Pond. Is that the wreckage of a spaceship? Hearing footsteps, the sisters crouch behind a tree trunk. Hilde peeks around the tree and sees a green hand picking up a piece of metal. Aliens are believed to be green!

After the shocking encounter with the 'alien', Hilde and Izzy interview different residents to collect facts. Luckily, their hard work pays off. They find piles of shiny and bent pieces of metal in Professor Henry's garage! The numbers and letters on the metal are exactly the same as those found in the wreckage behind Grove Pond. Is Professor Henry an alien? Or does he work for aliens? What are the metal pieces for?

What are your answers to all these questions? Join Hilde and Izzy to crack the case!

