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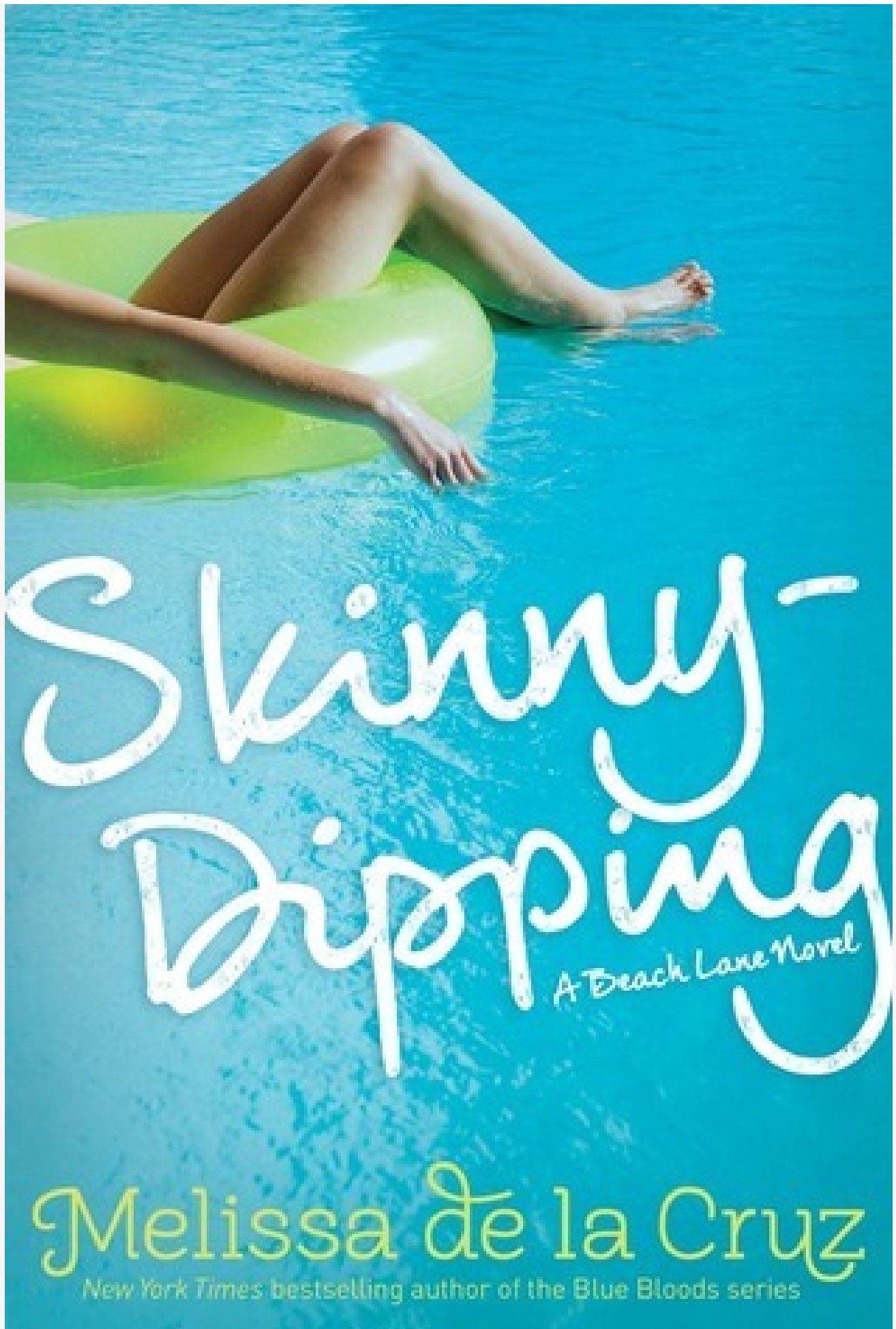
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{Read} ? Skinny-dipping (Au Pairs, #2) 📖 eBook or E-pub free

Yay, back to the Hamptons Haha, NO I honestly was debating between giving this book a 1 star, a 2 star, or a 3 star rating After a while, it wasn't that hard for me to decide This book

is like watching a cat fight and I'm sitting in the middle of it all eating popcorn and watching teenage girls all go down from situations that could've been easily preventable. Out of all the three girls, Eliza, Mara, and Jacqui, I hated Jacqui with a passion in the first book. In this one, I hated everyone. **view spoiler** Besides the fact that a stupid, and unnecessary on and off hookup and breakup phase between Eliza, Jeremy, and effing Ryan out of all effing people that Eliza could choose to sleep with, we also NOW have Mara strutting up in here doing things that seemed completely out of character for her from the first book. Why is she saying that she and Ryan don't fit into the same world but she's dating Garrett? **hide spoiler** This was the most embarrassing sequel to a book I've ever read. *The Au Pairs* was a good book. Nimble and funny style of storytelling, great characters, good story and an ending expecting another EXCITING summer. I couldn't believe Melissa de la Cruz really did this. It's okay when you don't think that the girls and a boy are supposed to work here in the Hamptons and not just to attend parties and have fun and if there are two paragraphs about the work, it's too much. In about two-thirds, it's still fine, similar to the previous book. But the ending, that's an insult. It seems like the publisher said, "come on, finish it, we have to publish the book" and Ms. de la Cruz got stressed and finished the last chapters like, "that's not the right boy for me, so I'll get the right one." Three girls, three times. I actually wanted to read the third book of *The Au Pairs*, but it wasn't published in the Czech Republic. I think I know why. I didn't enjoy this one as much as the first book. Mara in particular was incredibly annoying; she was a completely different character. I like Jacqui much more than I originally did; it seems as if she finally came into herself. This series is a fun and enjoyable read, while they have many issues. I'm excited to see what the remaining books have to offer. This one was so much better than the first one. The relationship drama was obviously the best part. This time, my favorite character was Eliza. Shockingly, I thought she was pretty stuck up in the first book, but in this one she was interesting. Her new job at The Seventh Circle was fun to read about and I loved the Eliza-Jeremy-Ryan love triangle. Moving on to Mara, I feel like she was acting kind of like Eliza did in the first book, annoying, stuck up, self-righteous, and all that. She got too attached to the life of a Hamptons socialite. And Garrett was annoying from the start; there was always something off about him. When Mara and Ryan got back together at the end of the book, it was the cutest thing ever. With Jacqui, I was so proud of her for swearing off guys. But of course she got drawn into the lure of Philippe, who turned out to be a drug dealer. **lmfaoo** Finally, Jacqui realized she liked Kit and that's gonna be really cute in the next book. Just a side note, Ryan's sisters, Poppy and Sugar, are probably the most annoying people I have ever read about. I was like, "Go Away Please." Yeah, so I hate them; that's nothing new. Can't wait to read the next book. This is the second book from the *Au Pairs* series from Melissa De La Cruz and I did enjoy it as much as the first one. This is the second summer, and our beloved au pairs are back in the Hamptons. However, things are going to be a little different. Firstly, Eliza's family is slowly making money now and she decided to not work the Perry's this summer and she finds a new job at a new club called the

Seventh Circle She is in love with Jeremy but they broke up because of the distance and she looks forward seeing him again During the winter break in Palm s Beach, it is revealed that Eliza hooked up with Ryan, Mara s ex boyfriend She feels immensely guilty about it and fears of Mara s reaction but she doesn t know how to tell her friend She later invites Jeremy to meet her family but they do not approve of him and so he avoids Eliza since he is not in the same world as her Secondly, Mara is back at the Hamptons to work for the Perry s as an au pair She didn t work during the winter break because she had broken up with Ryan She felt that she didn t fit in his world so she broke up with him and he didn t do anything to fight for their relationship Her goal this summer is to be with Ryan But then, she sees he is with another girl and totally ignores her Mara meets Garrett Reynolds, the Perry s neighbor, and asks her out on dates She accepts in order to make Ryan jealous Mara becomes very popular, she gets free fashionable clothes to wear when she goes out and she also lacks her duties as an au pair Last but not the least is Jacqui, who promised to hit the books and tris her hardest not to be distracted by any boys this summer But when Phillipe, the hot new French au pair shows up, she may be regretting everything she said about boys She wants to become the Perry s full time au pair and finish her senior year in New York to hopefully go to NYU She turns out to be a really good au pair this summer versus last summer Drama, romance, friendship and secrets, the Au Pairs are back for another summer to remember I obviously loved the first novel but I can t really complain about the story for the second novel There were so much drama in this one and it kept me captivated the whole time It focuses on the obstacles the girls were facing, especially the relationship with boys and their friendship I was wondering what happened to Mara who was my favorite character in the first novel , she totally changed this summer and I completely agree with Ryan when he said that the Hamptons really came to her and changed her.Overall, I really did enjoy the second installment of the Au Pairs It was another great summer read Now, I m on my way to read Sun Kissed very disappointing bad writing style, story line was very boring



Ah this bring me back Not because I partied it up like the girls in the story did, but rather

because I read this about 10 years ago. Still a nice and light summer read. One thing that bothered me is how fast paced this book was compared to the first. It seems like we barely even saw the children they were supposed to be baby sitting. Did Mara even talk to any of them hahaha. This series really makes me want to be a rich lady and move to the Hamptons. Read for Goodreads 2018 Summer Reading Challenge, Expert Level. Sand Between My Toes. Read a book that takes place in or around a beach ocean. Absolute junk of a book. The pleasant character development of the first book was ransacked here, and I didn't like anyone. I'm done with this series. Content Advisory: Teen sex, drinking, smoking, drug use, homosexuality, cursing. {Read} ? Skinny-dipping (Au Pairs, #2) x Mara, Eliza, and Jacqui Are Back In The Hamptons For Another Summer Of Beaches, Boys, and Oh, Yeah Babysitting. In this second book in the Beach Lane series, Mara, Eliza, and Jacqui have to deal with the fallout of how they spent their winters. Mara dumped Ryan, but now wants him back. Unfortunately, he may have moved on to Eliza. Eliza is worried about Mara finding out about her recent fling, but also about what Jeremy will think. And Jacqui is eyeing the Perrys' new au pair, Philippe. Too bad she's sworn off boys. If the girls want to keep their jobs, they have to get their love lives under control or they'll be on the first bus out of the Hamptons. The Beach Lane series is created by Alloy Entertainment, producer of bestselling teen and middle grade series including The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants, Gossip Girl, The Vampire Diaries, and Pretty Little Liars. Originally published as part of the Au Pairs series, Skinny Dipping was a lot like Beach Lane. It wasn't an overly amazing read, but it was entertaining. The girls were fun and had drama that didn't totally feel forced.

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