

Hafsa's always dreamed of becoming a doctor, so when she's accepted into a prestigious summer science camp, she's thrilled. Her parents? Not so much. The camp is expensive, it's in a big city, and they don't think a girl should aspire to be a doctor. Fortunately, her sister and brother-in-law invite her to stay with them, and with their help, Hafsa convinces her parents to say yes.

But things get off to a rocky start when Hafsa learns she enrolled in the *wrong* science camp and her classmates treat her like a clueless country kid. Plus she's worried about her sister, who has set aside her career goals now that she's married. Then, on a field trip to the city zoo, Hafsa encounters an elephant with bigger problems than her own and realizes that standing up for what's right, whether in the classroom, with her sister, or at the zoo, sometimes means breaking the rules. But Hafsa's ready—even if it means getting in trouble.

Aisha Saeed (author of *Amal Unbound* and *Omar Rising*) gives readers another eye-opening story about a young person who's not afraid to challenge the status quo.

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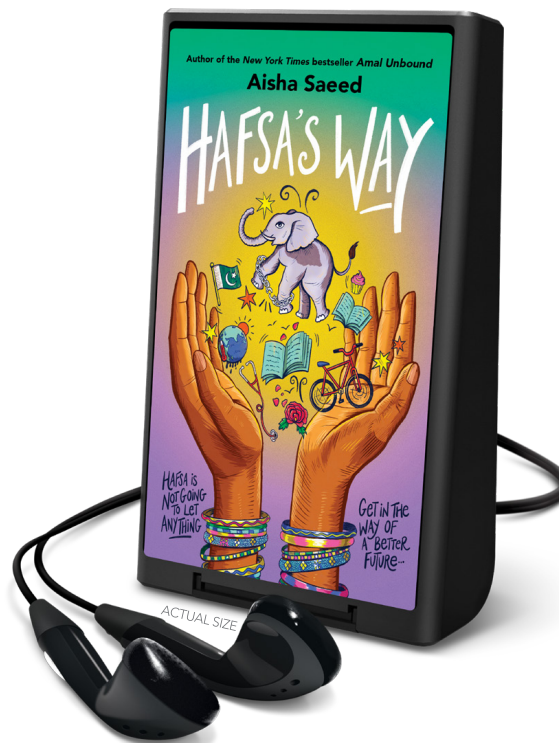


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