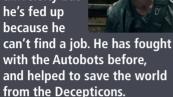
RANSFORMERS

SAM WITWICKY

has finished university but he's fed up because he



CARLY is Sam's airlfriend. She's tall and beautiful and has a good job. She worries about Sam a lot.



DYLAN is Carly's boss. He's rich, handsome and loves cars and girls! But does he like Carly a bit too much?

SEYMOUR SIMMONS

was part of a secret group, \$7, and has helped Sam to fight the Deceptions before, too. Now he's a famous writer but he is still interested in the Transformers.

COLONEL LENNOX is a

good and brave army leader. The Autobots work with him when the USA has problems. He knows Sam and Simmons well.

DUTCH is American and is a friend of Simmons. He's very clever with technology and computers.

CHARLOTTE MEARING

is Director of **USA National** Intelligence. She looks after all the USA's secrets. She doesn't want Sam's help.



THE AUTOBOTS

OPTIMUS PRIME is the leader of the Autobots. His home used to be the planet Cybertron but now he lives on Earth and helps its people. He can change into a red and blue truck.

SFNTINFI

is also a Prime and he used to be leader of the Autobots before Optimus. He is now very old.

BEE turns into a yellow car. He is a close friend of Sam's but can only speak using language from the car radio.

WHEELIE and BRAINS (pet Autobots)

are small Autobots. They used to be Deceptioons but changed sides. They live with Sam and Carly, although Carly doesn't like them very much.

OTHER AUTOBOTS

Wheeljack Ironhide Sideswipe

THE DECEPTICONS

MEGATRON

is the terrible leader of the Deceptions and he hates Optimus. He will destroy anything to save his old planet Cybertron and be its leader.

LASERBEAK

is a bird-like robot. He can change into any machine and kills when Megatron orders him to. He enjoys frightening people.

SHOCKWAVE

Shockwave is huge and dangerous. He has a pet called 'Driller' which is like a metal snake that can drill and cut through anything.

OTHER DECEPTICONS

Starscream Barricade Soundwave

PLACES

CHICAGO

Chicago is the third largest city in the USA. It is in the state of Illinois and is an important centre for tourism and transport.

CHERNOBYL

Chernobyl was a power station in Russia. There was a big accident there in 1986 and now it is too dangerous for people to live in the area.

WASHINGTON

Washington is the capital of the USA. It isn't a big city but it's very important. The President lives there and all the important politicians live and work there, too.

