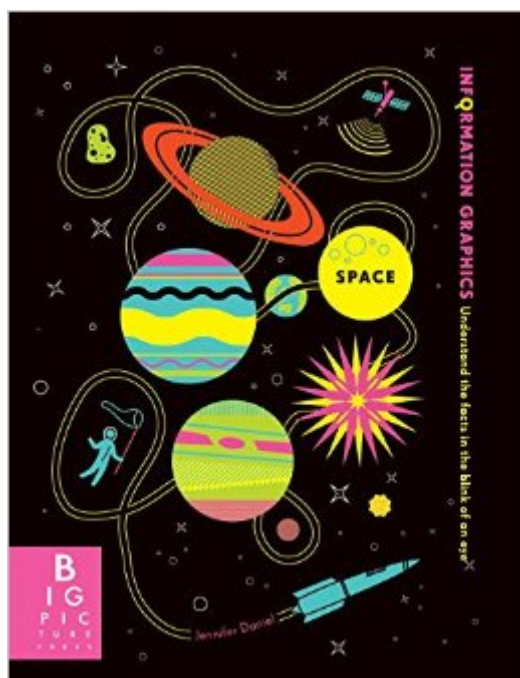


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Information Graphics: Space



Synopsis

Seeing is believing with these incredible infographics! The third in a visually stunning series of information graphics that shows just how interesting and humorous scientific information can be. Complex facts about space are reinterpreted as stylish infographics that astonish, amuse, and inform. Researched by the Guardian's Datablog expert and illustrated by New York Times designer Jennifer Daniel, this is a book of the highest pedigree.

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Customer Reviews

When I first got this book I thought it was going to be about stuff I already knew about space, but WOW was I surprised. It turns out I knew much less than I thought I did. This book has a ton of information, and I learned so much. I've already read it 3 times and can't wait to read it again. I really loved the parts about the sun. Before I read this book, I knew that the sun is a star in our solar system and that we orbit around it, but now I know the parts of the sun and that it has a kind of atmosphere just like Earth has an atmosphere. My favorite part of the informational text was about the universe. I learned that the universe keeps expanding. It makes me wonder how long it will keep expanding, if it will ever stop, and if it will ever contract. I was surprised to learn that

scientists only think they know how old the universe is â “ about 13.8 billion years, which is way older than my mom! â “ but they are not sure. The book is well organized. The layout of the book makes it easy to get to different sections, the diagrams are helpful, and the colors are amazing and bright. It helped make it easy to understand the text. There are also interesting questions on the back cover of the book, and it makes it exciting to go inside the pages to figure out the answers. I recommend this book to boys and girls no younger than 2nd grade, because there are some tricky words in it. I would also recommend to the author that she add a glossary and an index at the back of the book to help me remember what some of the hard words mean. 5 stars absolutely. Review by Lucy H., age 8, Tampa Bay Mensa, Starred Reviewer

Looking for a clever, easy to understand book to teach kids about space and the universe they live in? Look no further! SPACE, part of the "Information Graphics: Understand the facts in the blink of an eye" series, is the latest and greatest non-fiction book. Loaded with information, the latest in the Information Graphics series from Big Picture Press will blow you away. Everything you ever wanted to know about objects in space, how the universe works, the solar system, space exploration and observation, and more is right here in an easy-to understand and fun, colorful format. While it would benefit from a glossary and index, the convenient tabbed format still makes it easy to find the information you're looking for. The writing style is clear and concise, with just enough detail to get the point across and lead you searching for more information in the rest of the book. The book has been very well researched, and is up-to-date with planetary definitions and space exploration missions. The design is spectacularly fun and innovative. There is so much color, and it actually aids in the organization of information on the pages. Each tabbed section, The Universe, The Sun, The Earth and the Moon, Observing Space, etc, is assigned its own color. Within each section the pages stick to that color scheme, but feature a rainbow of other colors to help illustrate points and make learning more interesting. Innovative and fun, the latest Information Graphics title from Big Picture Press is bound to lead young readers into their own personal, creative exploration of SPACE.

This is the perfect book to get a youngster interested in space related material. The eye arresting colors and information laden graphics cover a number of topics. Once the young reader is hooked he/she can find other books that will provide greater detail on the many subjects presented here. Teachers and home schooling families will definitely want a copy of this book and every library should order two or three of them because the book will fly off the shelf! Frankly I'm not a real "space person" but I found this book fascinating so if you get a copy for your child or grandchild

thumb through it yourself...you'll learn some interesting facts!

Great graphics and interesting book

Great Book !

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