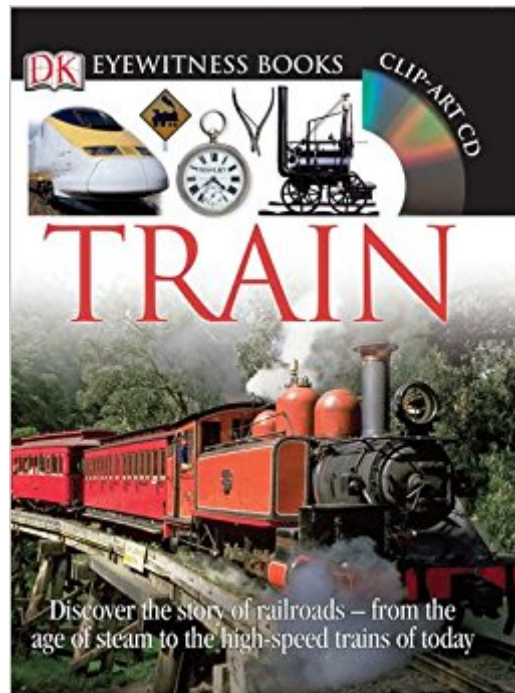




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# Train (DK Eyewitness Books)



## Synopsis

The most trusted nonfiction series on the market, Eyewitness Books provide an in-depth, comprehensive look at their subjects with a unique integration of words and pictures. Eyewitness Train is DK's classic look at railroads and the trains that move along them, now reissued with a CD and wall chart.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 8 - 12 years

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## Customer Reviews

Grade 4-8-- Arranged in approximate chronological order, each of the two-page chapters has the same busy format. Many feature large full-color photos across the bottom of the spread and all have a single paragraph of text on the top of the left-hand page. Numerous small, full-color and black-and-white photos and reproductions with lengthy, small-print captions abound. This haphazard arrangement may cause confusion for some readers as there appears to be no pattern for the eye to travel across or down the page. In addition to the general historical information, topic treatments include the signal tower, royal trains, record breakers, station operation, monorails, model trains, and trains of the future. Because of the book's British origin, readers may find the single chapter on the American railroad inadequate. Consider this for train enthusiasts and casual browsers who enjoy the series.- Eldon Younce, Harper Elementary School, KS  
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"This format captures the flavor and spirit of it all, from the engineering feats of blasting tunnels through mountains and building the rail system to the never-to-be-seen-again opulence of train travel for the wealthy."--Science Books & Films.Ã Â Ã Â

I bought this book for my son who, like his dad, loves trains. The pictures and information is incredible. However it's a bit much for a child. I get bored reading it all and my son doesn't enjoy it as much as I had hoped.

Absolutely Amazing!!!!The details, the quality, its just an fantastic book. My son is 5 and he is just in love with it!

A favorite book with tons of train pictures, perfect for a train fan.

perfect book fore my train obsessed 12 year old son

How do you keep a car load of boys happy on a 28-day road trip?My answer is: BOOKS. Lots and lots of books.I have been reviewing the books that got us through our summer vacation, and I almost forgot TRAINS.My kids are visual kids, and DK Eyewitness books just feed the information into their visual brains. Each two-page spread holds lots of photogrpahs and text blurbs -- not a daunting amount of reading, by any means. This text has a British flavour. My book came with a poster and a CD of clip art -- never looked at the clip art, but the poster is cool.I liked this book for a road trip, because if you are waiting in a retaurant for the food to come, this is the kind of book you can read a little of this, a little of that -- anybody can pick it up and find something interesting.I like the nice big size of the book, and apparently it is indestructible -- still in great shape despite HOURS (days) of engrossed reading.

My 7 year old loves reading this and there are so many great pictures to look at. He doesn't read all the words on every page but he has spent hours flipping through and reading the things that look most intersting to him. Great book full of train knowledge.

My 7 year old love Eyewitness books. This one about trains is amazing. I tells you about the history of trains, how they work, what they can do, etc.... If your kid loves trains, this book is a must!

I got this for my son for Christmas. He was 8 at the time with a special interest in trains. Yes it is a boring bedtime story but that's what he wanted me to read him at night. The Cd is only a slide show that wasn't very nice. Its for your computer. Idk why I thought it was a movie. The book is awesome though :)

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