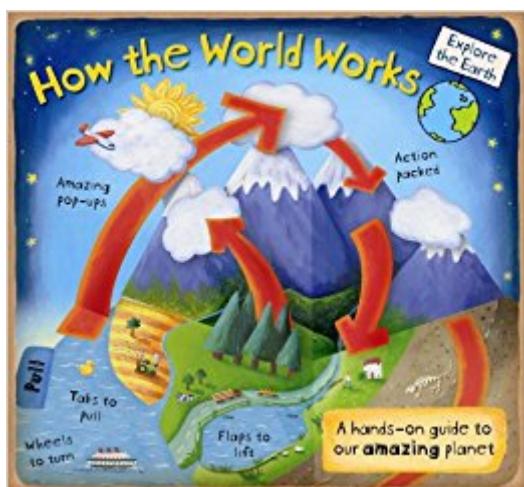


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How The World Works: A Hands-On Guide To Our Amazing Planet (Explore The Earth)



Synopsis

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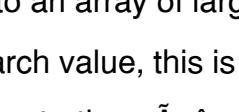
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Grade 3-5 •Limiting its purview to the physical world (alas), this pop-up survey devotes pages or spreads to Earth's history and structure, the origins of life, plate tectonics, the water cycle, weather, ocean currents, the carbon cycle, greenhouse effect, plants, and food chains. In snippets of text tucked into every available nook, Dorion provides commentary ranging from basic information on seasons and other cycles to abbreviated catalogs of cloud types and kinds of boundaries between tectonic plates. Mansfield's special effects are really the strong suit here. In contrast to small, if occasionally lively, painted illustrations and a low-key overall color scheme, the

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Soooo much information. I have a 5 year old, and she is at the "why" stage. Why is their rain and clouds... There are many tabs and pop ups. She will use it now, and for many years to come.

My 7 year-old is very into getting to the bottom of things so when Santa dropped this off for her she was excited. Obviously some of it is more advanced but there is still plenty to absorb and explore. Excellent!

GOOD

Great introductory book on the planet

Adorable pop-up. Looking forward to sharing it with the kids in our family.

Very educational yet fun and interactive, great combination.

My girls love this book! I love it too!

Great book!

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