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National Geographic Readers: Weather



Synopsis

What causes thunder and lightning? How do different clouds form? What makes a tornado twist? Kids will discover the answers to these questions and more in this colorful, photo-packed book. In this inviting and entertaining format, kids will discover what causes the weather they experience every day. This level 1 reader is written in an easy-to-grasp style to encourage the meteorologists of tomorrow!

Book Information

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Age Range: 4 - 6 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 1

Customer Reviews

This introduction to weather is aimed at level 1 readers and addresses the basics of clouds, wind, lightning and thunder, etc. The first chapter invites readers to [Look Up at the Sky](#) and makes the point that if you're peering out the window to see if it's raining or sunny, then you are checking the weather. [Flat, gray clouds](#) means it's likely to rain, but white, fluffy clouds indicate a beautiful day. Glossary terms are defined in boxes throughout (a [droplet](#) is a [very small bit of liquid](#)) and each of the short chapters includes a joke ([What did the cloud say to the lightning bolt?](#))

Bright backgrounds feature crisp photographs and a concluding quiz invites readers to identify weather-related images. Cheerfully designed and with large typeface throughout, this will draw beginning readers who enjoy nonfiction. As an added incentive, the title is part of the National Geographic Super Readers program, which allows kids to download prizes and extras as a reward for reading. (*Ã¢âÅ“YouÃ¢âÅre shocking!Ã¢âÅ”) Preschool-Grade 2. --Ann Kelley

In her 16 years of writing for young readers, KRISTIN BAIRD RATTINI has explored subjects ranging from Star Wars to Stonehenge, from funny money facts to amazing animal pals. She's a frequent contributor to National Geographic Kids magazine.

My 2 year old LOVES this entire series of Nat. Geo Readers... I have purchased about 25 different titles, "pre-readers" as well as Level 1 & 2 readers. She loves them all & will ask for certain ones. The "pre-readers" level books are extremely simple & great because she memorizes the words & can "read" it herself. We love the more advanced ones too, because there is more information to talk about. I have learned quite a few facts, myself!) What a great series. The price is reasonable & pictures are great. These are really getting her interested in nature, animals & science... I will continue to buy these as they are released, for our collection!

My 6 year old daughter loves these nat geo books!

Son really enjoys this

Answered four year old' questions, including names of clouds. She loves the book!

Great Quality Great Product

My 4 year old son is very interested in tornados. The picture on the cover caught my eye. There isn't specific information on any type of weather. This is more of an introduction (Level 1) to what weather is. The information and pictures were well worth the price and it is also a good beginners book to reading. I would recommend it if you aren't looking for a detailed book on weather.

Great book for teaching kids about weather. My second grade students enjoyed it.

Great party favor.

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