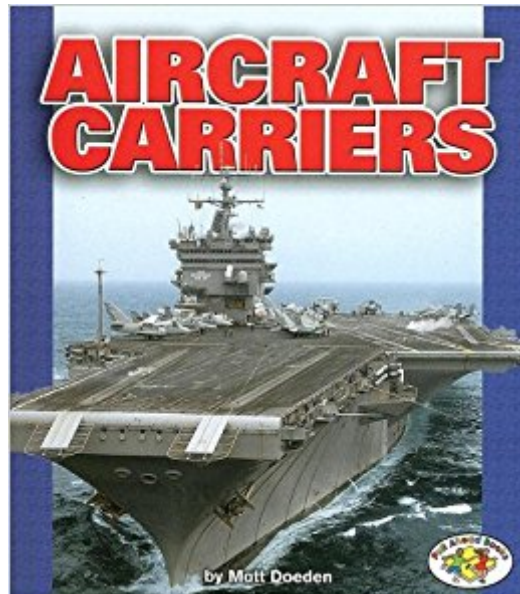




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Customer Reviews

Matt Doeden is a Capstone Press author.

I chose this book for my first grade classroom library. It was great to find a high-interest nonfiction topic written to be read by newer readers. This book has plenty of information about aircraft carriers but still remains relatively simple in vocabulary and text layout. It is Fountas & Pinnell level "N" or level 20. Children who are just learning to read will either "read the pictures" or will need some help with the words. Children who have been reading a little longer will be able to read this book independently. The book includes a few nonfiction text features: bold print, fun facts, diagram, glossary, index, and about the author. It is part of a series of books by Lerner Publications (Pull Ahead Books). I look forward to adding more titles to our library!

This is a soft cover book that has 32 pages (actual numbering). The book's odd dimension is 7" in

length, and just over 6" in width. The story content is 24 pages. Each page has one large picture, and 1 - 3 sentences explaining the picture. The order is logical and easy for young kids to understand. At the end of the book, one page is dedicated for aircraft carrier facts, one page visually identifies key area/component of the carrier, one for glossary, and one is index. Others pages are for credits. This book is useful when kids (age 4 - 7) are just getting into battle ships. Together with intro to play the Battleship game, a visit to an actually battleship (e.g., U.S.S. Midway in San Diego), and showing parts of movies that has aircraft carriers (e.g., Top Gun, Transformer 2), the kids will have long lasting knowledge and appreciation of this heart-of-the-fleets ship.

informational for kids whom ask questions. he loves it. pics in it and all

This tiny book is full of interesting and informative information about aircraft carriers. Grade school children would enjoy it. It's an easy read. The pictures are very nice. Even though the book is small, it does a great job of discussing to how an aircraft carrier works and how it is managed. Highly recommended as an introductory book.

My 4yr old loves the book. He became enthralled with aircraft carriers several months ago, and we made a trip to San Diego to see the USS Midway. (A must-see if you go there) We didn't know much about the workings of the carrier, so this book was a nice low-level overview of the operation of this ship, it's purpose, and some interaction with other ships. It's probably a little understated for older kids, but I think its great for 3-6 yr olds.

kid loves it!

Needed some more pictures and descriptions about the engineering department. By the way all poweron in service carriers is nuclear power. The picture of the sailor lighting the boiler needs to be eliminated and replaced by nuclear power pictures.

Thin and tiny. Dimensions and number of pages should be clearly stated. Nephew received it and was unimpressed. So was I.

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