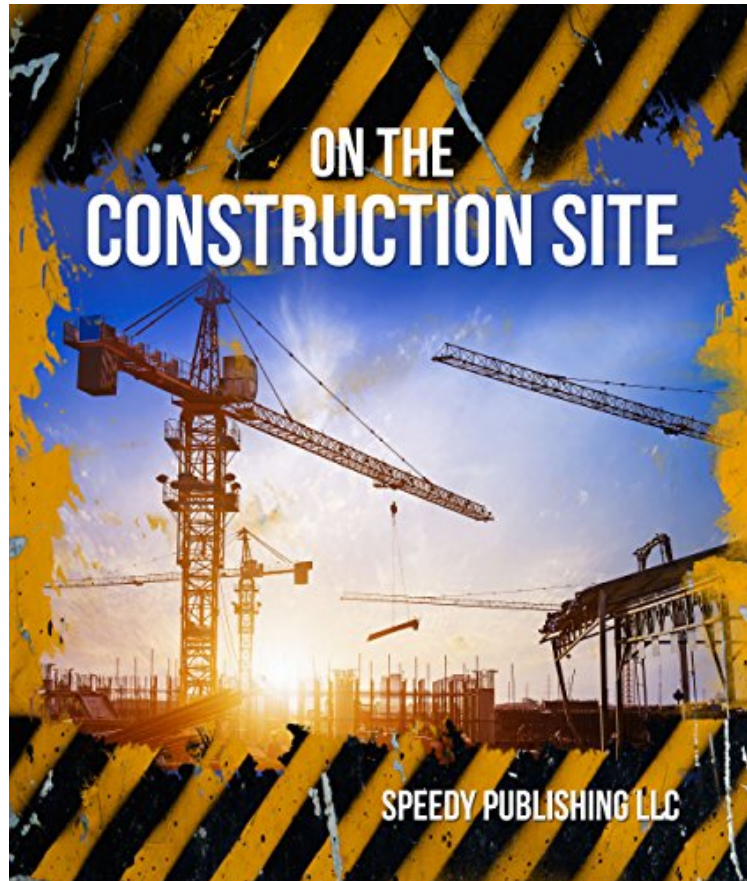


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Speedy Publishing : On The Construction Site: Fun Facts and Pictures for Kids before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised On The Construction Site: Fun Facts and Pictures for Kids:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. So many inconsistencies make this a difficult book to read with a child. By Diana H. Maine I received ON THE CONSTRUCTION SITE published by Speedy Publishing in exchange for an honest review. This is an E-Book, published in 2014. My thoughts: I don't enjoy the E-Book format when working with/reading with younger children. The E Reader, itself, is a distraction and I don't feel a completeness or wholeness with this format. Part of the reading experience with younger readers is the anticipation of turning the page; the orderly progression of pages. I feel adrift with an E-Book. What age group/grade level is this title aimed at? The pictures (which are stunning) led me to assume it was a picture book aimed (generally) at a preschool through 1st grade audience. Yet the vocabulary doesn't fit with these groupings. And if it is aimed at a higher grouping (say 2nd through 5th grades), then the format doesn't fit - too many pictures, no captions or descriptions, no access points such as Table of Contents, Index, Notes or Maps or bibliography. Vocabulary words that I found hard to understand (looking at the words from a child's point of view) are: good-paying (What does that mean to a child?); vertical columns, horizontal

girder beams and diagonal beams - all used in the same sentence (Im dizzy!); ensures integrity (What does that mean?); landmark; staggering; triple-digit; expression of notification; required adherence. These are poor vocabulary choices for young children, especially in a non-fiction book format. The pictures of machinery and construction sites were very clear, crisp and interesting. But where are the captions? There are many construction fact pages, but no maps or pictures used to illustrate these facts. ex. 20,000 workers helped build the Taj Mahal in Agra, India. Show me a picture, please, and a map. The same with the Pentagon (picture?); the Chrysler Building (picture?); Petronas Towers (picture?) I need a map. Where is Lumpur, Malaysia, again? So many inconsistencies make this an extremely difficult book to read with a child or use with a student at school. I cannot give this E-Book a high recommendation.

A child would enjoy an On the Construction Site Picture Book because many children find construction machinery interesting. Some children have seen construction trucks and construction workers in person by merely passing by a construction site. An On The Construction Site Picture Book would allow a child to relate what they see in the photos with what they may have seen before or will see in the future. Learning information about the construction vehicles and workers will help them to understand what construction is and what results from construction. An On the Construction Site Picture Book will bring any child joy through learning.

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