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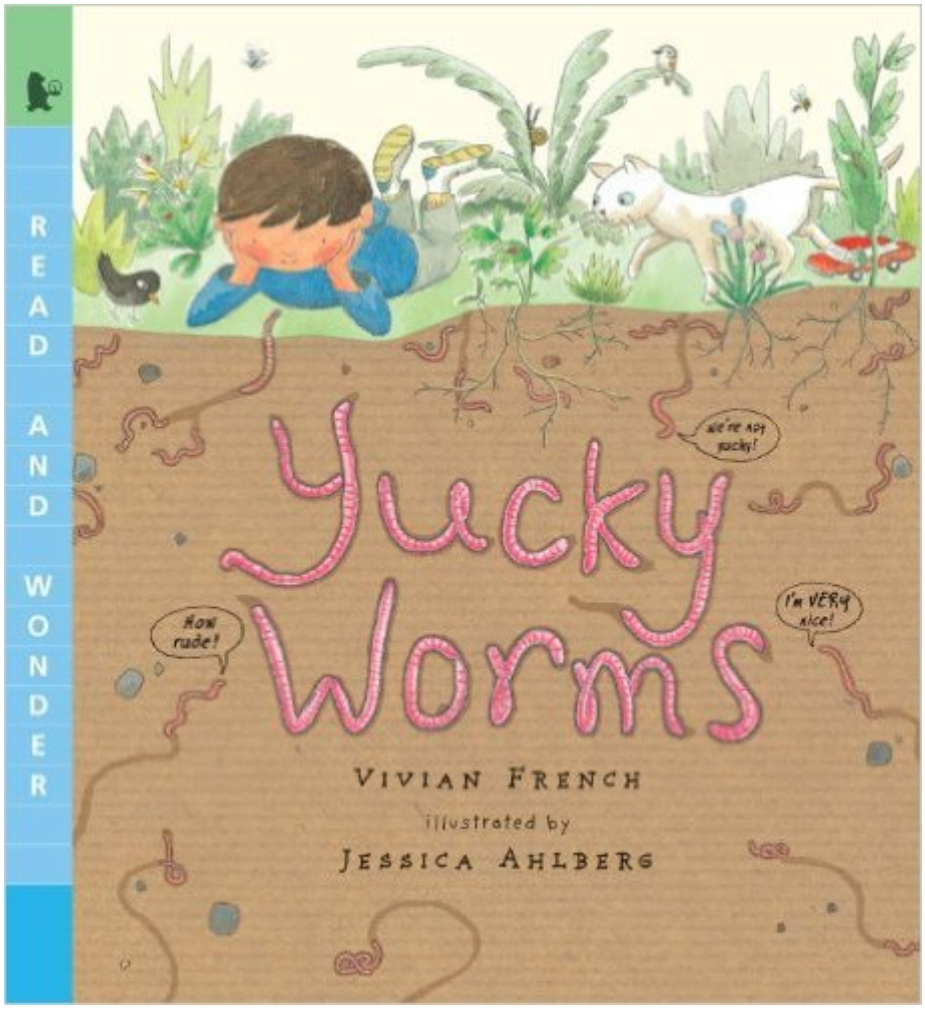
Yucky Worms: Read And Wonder



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Synopsis

Hereâ ™s to natureâ ™s recyclers! Kids will burrow right into this book about the industrious â ” and danger-filled â ” life of the delightfully yucky earthworm.Who would want to be friends with a wiggly, slimy worm? You canâ ™t even tell which end is which! But thereâ ™s more to these lowly creatures than meets the eye. Kids are invited to find out where worms live, see how they move, and understand why gardeners consider them friends with the help of this humorous and informative look at an unappreciated â ” and fascinating â ” creature.

Book Information

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Age Range: 4 - 8 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 3

Customer Reviews

This book is essentially an introduction to worms and their functions, yet all the information is embedded within the cozy and humorous narrative of a grandmother and her young grandson exploring in the garden. For this reason, it should appeal both to kids who love informational texts and to kids who prefer fiction. My children (ages 3 and 6) both enjoyed it and learned a lot. We also own Wiggling Worms at Work (Let’s Read and Find Out Science), which provides similar content but in a gentle non-fiction context. Both books are great and reinforce/complement each other.

My granddaughter read the first half with me ... we are looking forward to finishing it. She had problems with a few words, but not many. It was fun to watch her attitude change about these fascinating creatures as we worked on the book. She just turned eight, and is in third grade.

Great book. My now 3 yr young son really likes it. Any book that teaches kindness to insects and animals and encourages learning about these little creatures rather than fearing or killing or being ignorant or disgusted by them is absolutely wonderful, in my opinion. I really like this book a lot. My son and I both like worms, and I'm really glad he is learning to treat other animals and insects with respect. I know far too many people, including children, who just want to kill and maim and torture smaller animals. This book definitely instills knowledge so we can better teach our children respect and compassion and foster a genuine interest in animals and insects of all shapes and sizes.

I got this book for my 3 1/2 year old grandson. He is a little young for it, but he did learn a lot. He especially learned about how worms digest food. I explained that people digest food too. Later, after my grandson ate lunch, he moved his stomach in circles. He said that he was grinding his food. This book also talked about the boys good relationship with his grandma, which I liked a lot. I recommend this book. In fact, I bought another copy for my 2 1/2 year old grandson. He enjoyed it too, but didn't try to grind his food in his tummy.

I originally read this book at my grand children's house. It had been checked out from their school library. I found it so interesting and full of great information i ordered it for my other grandchildren and plan to order a copy just for me!

This book is entertaining and informative -- and it features talking worms commenting on the action of the book. Can't miss. This book is a keeper.

Read this book to my son's preschool class and did a lesson on worms...The kids loved the book. It is well written and illustrated!! Just wonderful!

Fantastic book about worms for kindergarteners! In fact, I'm 42 and I loved it. Clear, concise, informative and fun to read! The kids loved it!

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