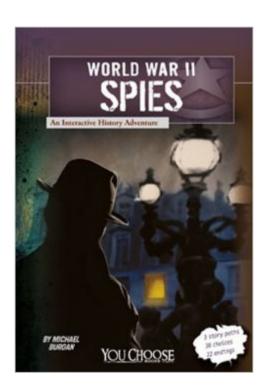
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Synopsis

Dramatic, nail-biting, true-history tales of livingor dyingas a World War II spy. Experience the war under coveras a Danish resistance fighter shuttling weapons, as a German double-cross agent keeping a complex web of secrets, and an OSS officer using high-tech gear, weapons, and poison to complete your mission.

Book Information

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Age Range: 8 - 12 years

Grade Level: 3 - 4

Customer Reviews

In this book, you start out with 3 options: to be a member of the resistance in Germany-controlled Denmark, a German agent working for the Abwehr, or an American OSS agent. Once you make up your mind, you turn to the appropriate page, and from then on, you are given an option almost every step of the way. The end of the story depends on your decisions. The book is very entertaining; it's almost like a video game, so kids are likely to spend a long time with it. It's packed with interesting facts about World War II and the roles spies played in it, so they learn while they read. They get a lot of practice turning to specific page numbers, too. The book also has a timeline at the back, but kids aren't likely to study that. One of the things I really like about the book is that the events you experience really happened in the war - like the faked sabotage of de Havilland factory, or the blasting of the Asopos bridge in Greece. A few minor things weren't completely accurate, though:

when you play the role of Eddie Chapman you start out as a man living in Berlin, when in reality, Chapman started out in prison. But I guess if they did everything exactly correct, you wouldn't have a whole lot of choices. Keep in mind that this is a book about war, so it has some violence. In general, the descriptions aren't too graphic, but you still might want to consider the age of the recipient before you buy it. For boys, I would suggest ages 10 and up. If you enjoy this book, consider trying other books in the series - like World War II Pilots.

My two boys (10 and 5) love Choose Your Own Adventure books. This one is no exception. The 10-year-old has really enjoyed it (alongside the Alex Rider series...he's into spies right now). The 5-year-old cannot really understand the historic context at all, so it seems better for at least 9 or 10 and up.

Super choose your own adventure, and a great historical version. This was a great introduction to the series for a kid that loves history and reading.

Great book for teaching. Good interest for kids with solid facts. Also had good follow up resources. A strong recommend

Great book for our 9 year old, he loves choosing his own path and exploring all the different options.

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