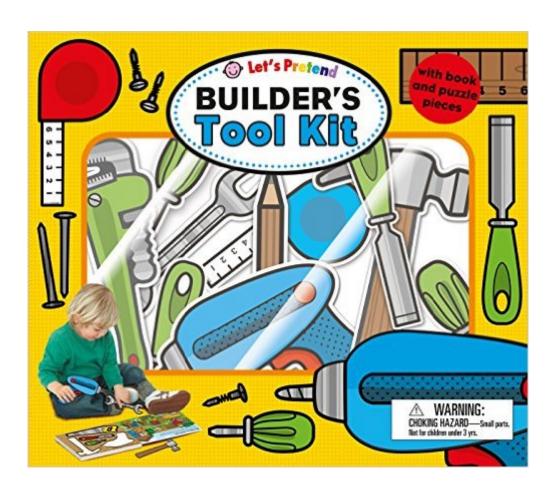
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Let's Pretend Builders Tool Kit





Synopsis

Large format board book, containing sturdy press-out pieces for hours of creative, imaginative playKit contains a full set of toolsAll pieces can be stored back inside the book

Book Information

Series: Let's Pretend

Board book: 10 pages

Publisher: Priddy Books (April 28, 2009)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 031250490X

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Product Dimensions: 9.6 x 1.5 x 11 inches

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Age Range: 12 and up

Grade Level: Preschool and up

Customer Reviews

I love all of Roger Priddy's books, and this book and puzzle is really a unique and fun toy....in theory. I actually bought it for my almost two year old to occupy him on a plane trip, and although I did bring it, it was a bit big for the carry on stash of toys, and was cumbersome to open and use in a small space. It needs a good 2+ feet of flat space to open and use this properly, so it is best suited for floor or table top use. It was incredibly appealing to him, and he could not wait to get his hands on all the tools, and unfortunately he insisted on testing them all out. I think it is impossible to expect a young child, even a three or four year old, to not want to "use" the tools in this, and therefor, the heavy weight cardboard design simply does not hold up. The narrow pieces(screw drivers, paint brush and roller) all bent almost immediately, and have since broken, even with careful supervision and direction, I found it really difficult to keep him from being too rough. The only way to solve this would be to make the pieces plastic(one of the few times I would recommend plastic), since wood would make it too heavy. The other issue that we have, and I see that others have the same issue, it

that the pieces fit tightly and are really tough to pry out...but not always. But I figured that out! The pieces that seem symmetrical, are actually not, and are very subtly different. Try to turn them around and you will see that they fit too tightly one way, and much easier the other way. But this is nearly impossible for even an adult eye to detect, and it would be impossible for a child to understand because they do indeed LOOK symmetrical.

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