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Owls Details

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From Reader Review Owls for online ebook

Mandy Robek says

Love this series for nonfiction readers! Great use of nonfiction features and interesting information is presented.

Karen Arendt says

This is an awesome series for younger readers. The photographs are large and close up- check out the owl's talons. The text is informative; I learned that owls have four toes, one that can move either front or back. Activities are included in the back to review what students learned.

Kristine says

Great book about owls.

I'd like to use this as a mentor text for text features and to inspire kids to write their own nonfiction book.

Heather says

Curricular Tie: Science and Language Arts

How it can be used to enhance instruction:

Owls can be used as part of a study about animals or birds in science. It is also a great read aloud in language arts class. Students can explore the well-organized text features and identify main idea and detail. The amount of text would be good as a read aloud for all ages, as a group read for 2-4 grade, and as an independent read for 4-6. Students can create graphic organizers to sort the information. They can also generate research questions of their own to pursue.

Rationale:

Owls is a level 1 reader published by National Geographic. They have a wide variety of books organized in a similar fashion making it easy for readers to build confidence and nonfiction reading skills. The information is accurate, the many pictures and text features are detailed and interesting. Although, on some pages there is information overload. This is something that can be discussed with students to evaluate nonfiction writing.

Angie says

Synopsis: *"In this level 1 reader, young readers will explore the feathery world of adorable owls. Follow these curious-looking creatures through their wooded habitats, learn how owls raise their young, hunt, and*

protect themselves. Beautiful photos and carefully leveled text make this book perfect for reading aloud or for independent reading."

My Review: This is a great level one reader for those who are curious about the owls they hear at night or that maybe they saw at the zoo. The sentences and words are simple and it is full of facts that are easy to understand and remember for those young animal lovers. The pictures are all photographs and each one is a different type of owl.

Jennifer Margeson says

perfect for my owl lesson, though we only read parts of it
