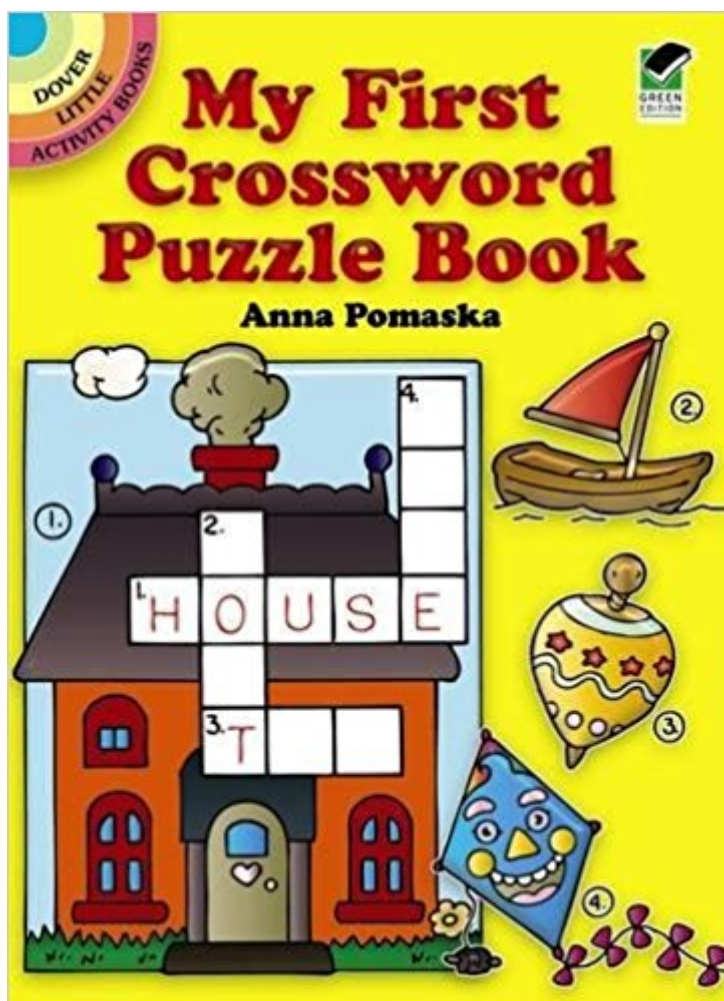


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My First Crossword Puzzle Book (Dover Little Activity Books)



Synopsis

Cool crosswords that teach kids how to spell! Here's an entertaining way for children to sharpen their word skills while they solve delightful crossword puzzles. Twenty-five charmingly illustrated crosswords feature pictures of four different subjects - from toys and animals to storybook characters. Helpful hints show little puzzlers where to write in correct letters. And when they are done, each page can be colored. It's the fun-filled way to learn how to spell!

Book Information

Series: Dover Little Activity Books

Paperback: 64 pages

Publisher: Dover Publications; Dover Little Activity Books edition (April 1, 1990)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0486262995

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Product Dimensions: 4.2 x 0.2 x 5.8 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.6 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.3 out of 5 stars 72 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #14,958 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #16 in Books > Children's Books > Activities, Crafts & Games > Games > Word Games

Age Range: 8 - 11 years

Grade Level: 1 - 5

Customer Reviews

Because I am using the book to help a friend learn English I would have preferred the pictures to be more explicit, less "cartoonish" and more true to the look of the subject. However, my friend is delighted with his little book and is doing the puzzles in pencil so that he can erase the answers after he completes the book and go back to the beginning and do them again! In this way he can learn and then test himself when he's done them all. We shall probably order another crossword book, slightly more advanced, we hope, until his English is just right - enough of an accent to be interesting and charming but good enough so that he is understood and can handle various matters pertaining to Life in general and in the United States of America in particular (one of the words slightly challenging for him)! The choice of images and words learned in doing the puzzle seems quite clever and pertains to life as lived by the average person enough that the answers come fairly easily - this gives a sense of success which encourages the worker of the puzzle to go on to the

next and then the next - very good. Thank you for the little book - I look forward to the next one!

Thicker than expected (maybe 80 pages or so). Useful as first crossword for kids (~6-8 years). Clues not written. Simply match pictures to open spaces. Each page is a sparse grid of about 6 words (not a dense grid of dozens you might see in normal "easy crossword" books from gas stations) 7-year old with good reading skills found this extremely easy. Will save for younger sister when she turns 6.

This was a very short book, only a few problems. The words are very easy. Would be good for a four year old, not much older. My daughter was about 5 when I got it for her and she finished it in about ten minutes. Definitely good for a first crossword book.

The Dover activity books are tiny, but just the right size to pop into your bag when going out to a restaurant or waiting area with your kiddo. I like this crossword book because instead of written hints, the hints are pictures, so the child can look and guess instead of your having to read every line. That is also an occasional downside, because the child sometimes might not know what an item is...but that's where guessing context from the puzzle words comes in. I bought this as part of an .com 4-for-3 sale promotion, and I thought the price was worth the time we would get out of the book.

Didn't realize this book is very small. Not usual textbook size. Not really worth the price.

It's very basic like: cat, dog, car. I bought it for my 7 year old so I was disappointed with how easy it was for her, but it would be great for a younger kid

very cute for young children

Great for kids

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