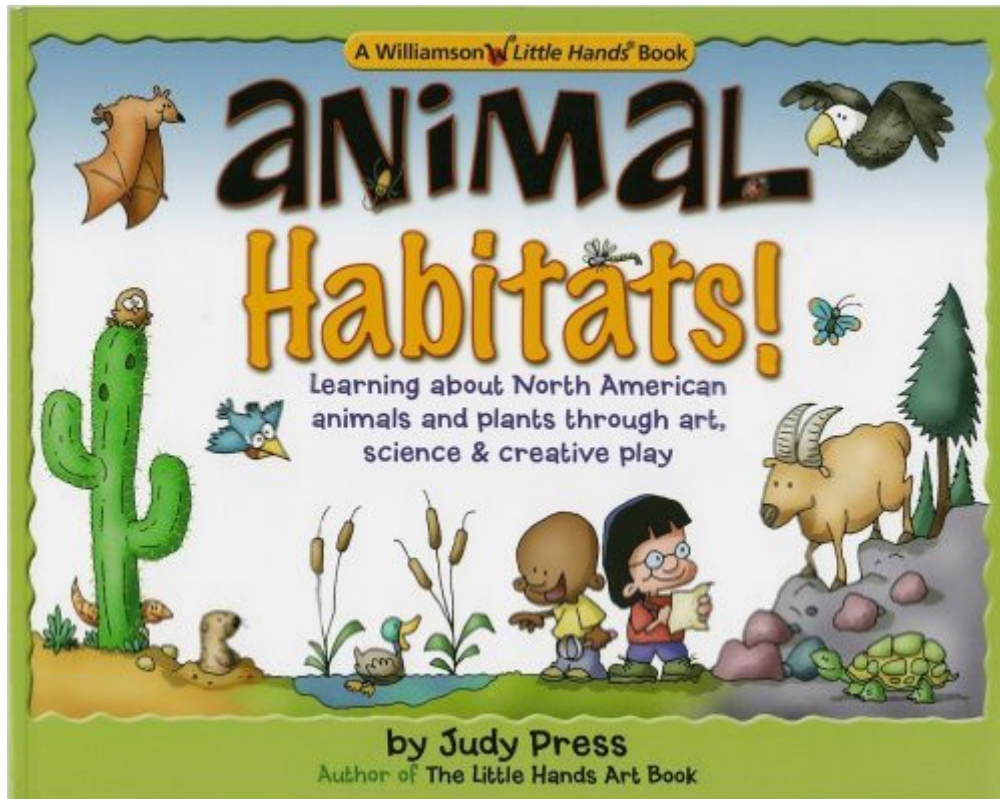


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Animal Habitats! (Williamson Little Hands Series) (Williamson Little Hands Book)



Synopsis

This book is suitable for 9 to 12 years of age. Judy Press introduces young learners to North American plants, animals, and a variety of other creatures. Children will learn that habitat is another word for 'home' and why living things appear in some geographical regions, but not in others. Fun ecological and environmental activities help children understand their individual role and responsibility in caring for the habitats they encounter, while additional games and activities reinforce science concepts to further support learning. Do-it-yourself crafts follow each topic introduced. Young readers can learn what it feels like to carry a wildlife baby around by wearing a backpack all day or how snakes move without appendages as they slither on their tummies, memorable experiences that will help learners make important connections between an animal's behaviour and its habitat.

Book Information

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Customer Reviews

This is a perfect book for young children who are interested in animals and nature. Each section has information about a particular animal and its habitat along with a fun craft project based on that habitat. The craft projects are simple and fast, and the kids can do many of the steps themselves. Most of the materials required are objects you would already have in your house.

We got this book as part of our homeschooling curriculum. It was primarily used by my

kindergartener. He loves to do crafts, and he LOVED this book! He was able to do a lot of the activities by himself, and I loved that it teaches you about animals at the same time! I feel like this book is DEFINITELY worth the cost! :)

I'm using this book as a skeleton on which to build a weekly "Biomes" class for elementary school kids. I appreciate the simple explanations of the different habitats and the way the book is organized (simple habitat explanation followed by information about the animals in that habitat w/ craft/project ideas and extra facts). The crafts are appropriate to the age advertised for the book (pre k), but also adaptable for older students (by adding more detail). The instructions for the crafts are pretty loose -- a lot of "draw a picture of animal X and then cut it out" type instructions. It would have been helpful had the book included templates for these activities. More variety in individual chapters would have been nice as well -- activities beyond animals -- perhaps plants and weather. Overall, a good book for the topic with lots of simple projects.

This is a fun biology/ecology book for very young children who are learning about North American animals. It incorporates learning with fun hands-on and visual arts and crafts, which makes it perfect for younger children. I especially liked that it looks at various ecological regions and the animals that live there. We used it in conjunction with lots of books and videos from the local library.

This book is great! It is layed out very well, which makes it great for parents/teachers to find activities for little ones. My preschooler has enjoyed the activities!

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