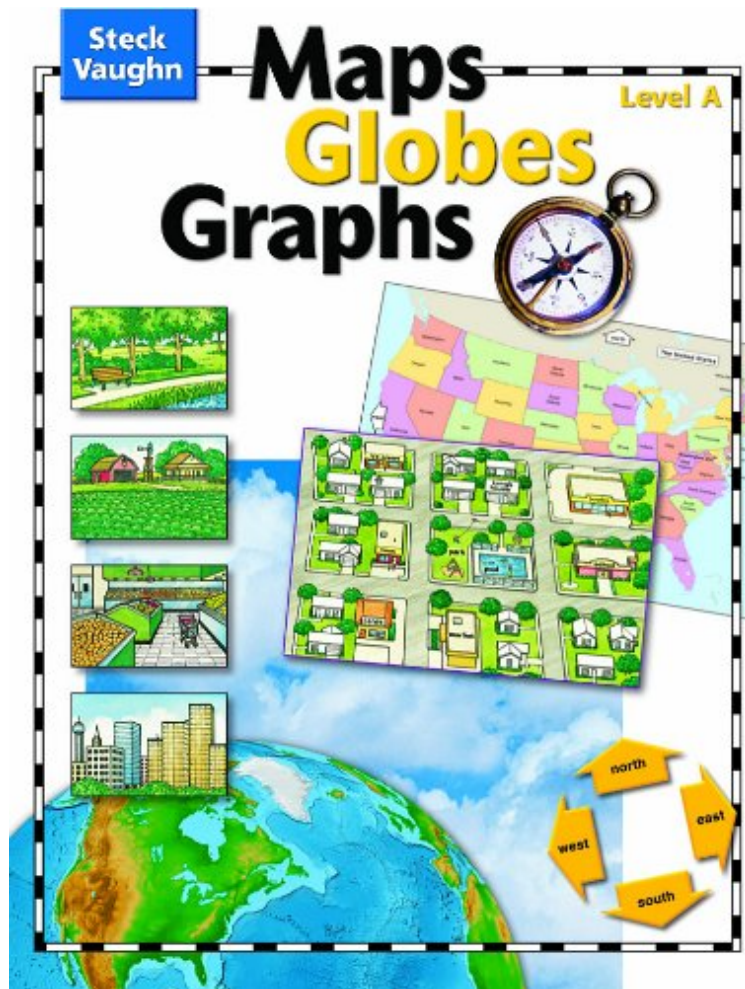


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STECK-VAUGHN : Maps, Globes, Graphs: Student Edition, level A before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Maps, Globes, Graphs: Student Edition, level A:

3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Great way to learn basic geographyBy R. BoulwareWe have been using this series of books with our home schooled children for years. They are a comprehensive and interesting way to teach them geography. They like the bright colors and activities I like the comprehensiveness of the material presented. I would recommend as a basis for geography instruction or a supplement to public school instruction.14 of 14 people found the following review helpful. Awesome Map Introduction, Globes section OkayBy BykyMaps, Globes, Graphs Level ATable of Contents:Geography Themes..... 41*Pictures..... 8Geography Themes Up Close: Movement...142*Looking Down from Above.....163*Maps.....22Geography Themes Up Close: Place.....284*Four Sides.....305*Four Directions.....36Geography Themes Up Close: Regions....426*Symbols and

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There is no "graphs" section in the Level A book. I bought this as an aide in helping my 7 year old son (autistic) grasp the concept of maps globes. (We do not homeschool.) The first 15 pages of this book I skipped as too complicated for him at this point, but it was a very nice introduction into what Geography IS with simplified examples easy for children to grasp. The next 15 pages are full of actual photos a hand drawn replications and was well thought out to help children correlate real photos to their corresponding maps. The next 20 pages is my 'favorite' section of this book. They have a very easy to understand way of 'teaching' the cardinal directions and how to "find" locations on a map using those directions. This section contains mostly hand drawn images, but there are still real photos sprinkled throughout. As well as many activities to help children grasp the ideas being introduced. They simplified this so well that it has been very easy to create our own worksheets activities utilizing these concepts! In addition to this book we bought a pad of graph paper and have made our own maps of our home, and our neighborhood with the intention of slowly expanding until we hit the 'globe' category. We've had lots of fun up to this point with 'treasure hunts' utilizing our home-made maps! Page 52-62 deals with globes. We have not yet USED this section, but having looked it over I have to say that it does seem well written and easy to understand, my two complaints though is the lack of a well thought out transition between the two sections. (Which is why we've decided to pause on maps until we've mapped out larger and larger areas until we hit the globe stage before continuing on in the book.) Also, I felt the globe section was a little short, but I think that's due to the first section covering the map keys, symbols, directions etc. So overall I was well pleased with my purchase and if given the chance to change my mind, I would stick with my decision to have this book. I had been worried this would be a difficult subject to teach my son, but with the help of this book it really was much easier than I could have hoped. 1 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Five Stars By CISThank you

This is a comprehensive program and reinforces the basic skills of geography: location, direction, scale, longitude, and latitude. What is a map? Symbols, keys, and cardinal directions.