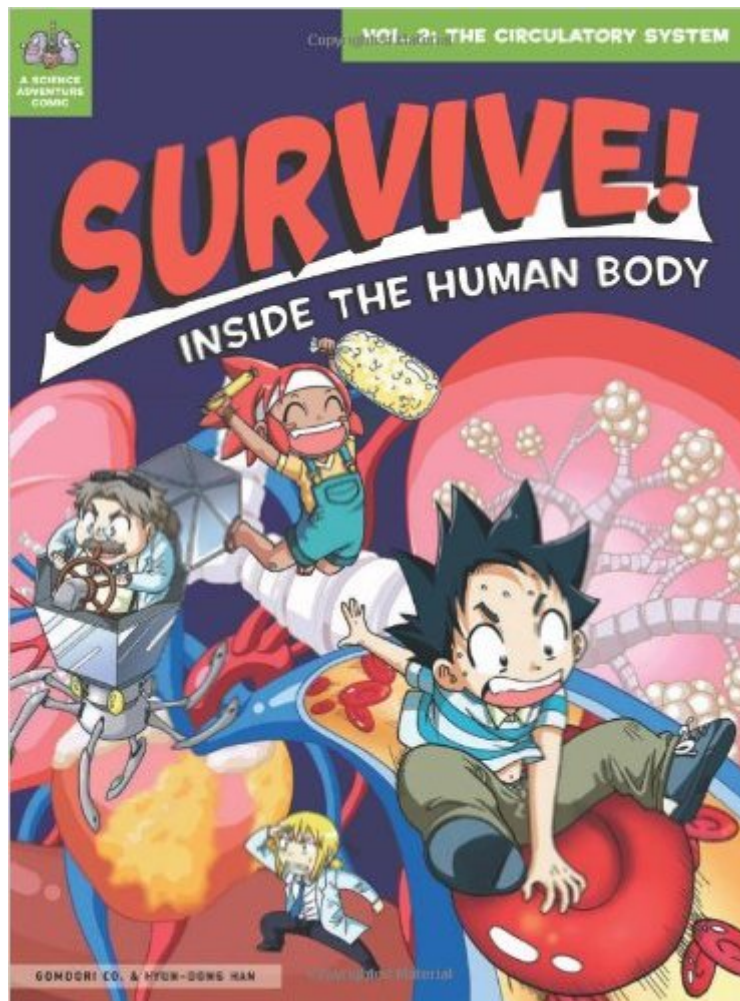


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Synopsis

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Customer Reviews

OMG, this book is awesome! Homeschoolers and others will definitely want to check it out. I learned things I didn't know (more than I'd care to admit--I learned a lot), and my kids (who had both flipped through this unprompted earlier in the day) actually requested it as their bedtime story. And we stayed up later than we should have to read an extra chapter or two. It's a comic translated from Korean, and it's all about the body--they get inside a machine and shrink to go down inside the body, then have adventures. For example, in one chapter they get eaten by a white blood cell... which then pops because apparently that's what white blood cells do when they die / have eaten too many viruses. Then it's off to the liver for the next adventure with a macrophage. In general it errs

on the side of explaining more rather than explaining less, but just when you think your kids will lose interest, something exciting happens so you remain engrossed. Of course, just when they're about to start the next adventure, the comic book cuts to the outside scene, where Phoebe is having adventures of her own. So you can see the interaction between some of her behaviors, and what's happening inside her body. At the end of each chapter they have a two-page summary that looks a little more like a textbook, and is a traditional-style review of what you just learned... which I really appreciate, though we skipped those during our bedtime reading :-P Super fun, and super educational. My kids who are 6 and 9 both enjoyed it thoroughly, and I confess I did as well. On , if you click under the book cover (where it says "view all 6 images") it gives you a sense of the art style, the adventures, and it even has part of the two-page chapter-end summary so you can see one of those as well.

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