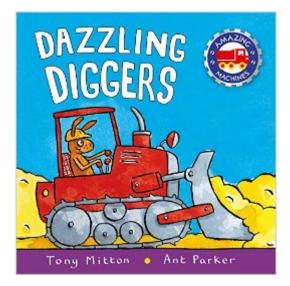
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# Dazzling Diggers (Amazing Machines)





## Synopsis

Dazzling Diggers (Amazing Machines) by Tony Mitton and Ant ParkerDiggers are noisy, strong, and big. Diggers can carry and push and dig. Diggers have shovels to scoop and lift, blades that bulldoze, shunt, and shift. Sloshing and squelching, and smashing and bashing, the construction machinery does its work - manned by a friendly animal gang - in this lively picture book. Young children will adore it as will the adults who get to read aloud these irresistible rhymes!

## **Book Information**

Lexile Measure: 400 (What's this?) Series: Amazing Machines Paperback: 24 pages Publisher: Kingfisher (September 15, 2000) Language: English ISBN-10: 0753453045 ISBN-13: 978-0753453049 Product Dimensions: 7.6 x 0.2 x 8 inches Shipping Weight: 3.2 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.8 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (90 customer reviews) Best Sellers Rank: #48,348 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #24 in Books > Children's Books > Science, Nature & How It Works > Heavy Machinery #367 in Books > Children's Books > Cars, Trains & Things That Go #1070 in Books > Children's Books > Activities, Crafts & Games > Activity Books Age Range: 3 - 5 years Grade Level: Preschool - Kindergarten

#### **Customer Reviews**

I purchased this book for my curriculum at school for my 4 year olds. But my grandson loves it so much that it hasn't made it to school yet. It is one of his daily favorites that we have to read multiple times. I love the informational components (he now knows what tracks, pistons, jacks, etc. are and what they do). I also love the rhyming component. It is a wonderful story especially if your child loves machines.

Clear, simple pictures accompanied by short, descriptive rhymes puts this book in the top ten for my 2 year old. It helps give a child a feel for language, particularly for synonyms and rhythms. There is

sufficient detail for curious questions and bold statements ('a RED digger'). The book playfully teaches the child to match implements to actions.

We have a lot of the books in this series now and my son would love to have them all. Unlike other "franchise" type series, each one of these books is as creative and fun as the last... there's not one that my son doesn't like. He's three now and does prefer longer stories, but they're really good filler books that he never turns down, and I really enjoy reading them as the rhymes and images are a lot of fun. There's also a very cool glossary at the end that gives insight into what the parts of the vehicle are and what they do, that might actually be the most fun for my little guy. Really love this entire series, we've had a lot of fun with them!

I bought this book for my two year old son. He loves it, but I notice his little 4 month old sister loves it also because of the colorful pitures. The pictures of animals working is very cute. There are extra things in the pitures, like workers carrying lunch boxes that I can discuss with my son. Also the pages are more durable than normal paper. He wanted to take a tractor book to bed for a nap and I felt comfortable letting him read (flip through) this one alone before he fell asleep. However, my wife didn't like the idea of any book in his crib!

Its not bad, my 21 month old does like it, but not as much as some of the other construction books he has. One drawback is most things are referred to just as generic diggers in the book. My son will ask about each one when I'm reading the page and sometimes I kind of have to fudge it "...yeah buddy I think that's another excavator" because its hard to tell what it is. It deserves the 3 stars, but I was hoping for a 5 star story for my little guy when I bought it.

My daughter couldn't afford to buy my grand kids books and they love reading. I am not able to do a lot of "extra spending" either but want the children to love books like I do and have the opportunity to have some. I was so glad to find these and at such a wonderful price. I was able to get the kids each several books of their own and they were so glad to get them to! Go Nanny!!! I will be buying some more for them too!!

Tony Mitton's books are factual and the rhyming is catchy. My grandsons and granddaughter love all of the amazing machines titles by Mitton. Love Ant Parker's illustrations, also, which are amazingly accurate in depiction of the machines. I just bought 3 of the amazing machines books to give to my brother to read to his young grandson. I think I have their whole series now for my grandchildren.

These "Amazing Machine" books are so much fun. My grandson loves them all and I have bought him almost all of them because they are so much fun to read with him. You won't be disappointed. They have a silly rhyme that runs through each story and the book teaches many facts in a fun and colorful way. Buy them.

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