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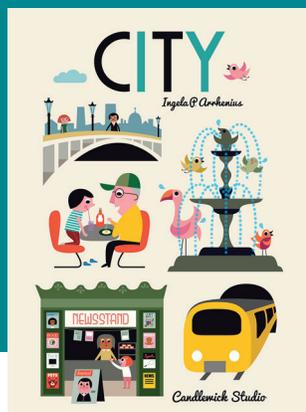
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## Book Review

# City

### Author

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### Rating

Outstanding

### Level

Toddler, Preschool

### Pages

40

### Year

2018

### ISBN

9781536202571

### Publisher

Candlewick Studio

City takes the reader along for a colorful and comprehensive tour of town. Stops include the bookstore, the zoo, the train station, and the city pool, among others. On the way, readers pass city landmarks such as bridges, crosswalks, streetlamps, and fountains. Readers also see animals and people around town like birds and dogs, construction workers and cyclists. At the end of the tour, readers end up at one of the most important buildings of all: the school.

City is a noteworthy book for several reasons. The size of the book is eighteen inches by thirteen inches! Its large size alone will appeal to and spike the curiosity of readers. Each page spread pulls readers in and captivates them with colorful, bold graphics. The detail and number of the graphics will capture a reader's attention at length. Another noteworthy element is a scavenger hunt game to play with children. Inside the front cover is an assortment of people, animals, and objects to look for in the pages. This book is an interactive, playful, whimsical look at iconic city scenes that young children will surely enjoy.