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## Book Review

# Look Again: Secrets of Animal Camouflage

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### Rating

Excellent

### Level

Primary

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### Pages

40

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Clarion Books

To survive in the wild, many creatures go to amazing lengths to conceal themselves. Discover how animals make themselves nearly invisible to avoid falling prey to predators or to prepare for an attack on an unsuspecting target. Some, like the trumpetfish, nuzzle in close to the coral reefs that shield them; others, like the tulip-tree beauty moth, transform to blend in with the tree bark on which they settle. Still others, like the orchid mantis, immerse themselves in the petals of flowers where they stand in wait for a tasty bite to eat.

This is a fascinating kaleidoscopic look at how animals disguise themselves in the battle to stay alive. It will spark readers' curiosities and intrigue their senses with facts woven into a plethora of detailed and brilliantly hued illustrations. Written with brevity suitable for young learners, the contents are well organized and aesthetically pleasing. Bold font is used to identify each species, and some of the print appears in soft warm colors to match the photos. At the end, there is additional information that will prove useful for research projects and individual personal interests. This is an ideal resource for upper-elementary school science classrooms and libraries. It's also perfect as a coffee table centerpiece due to its eye-catching qualities and overall allure.