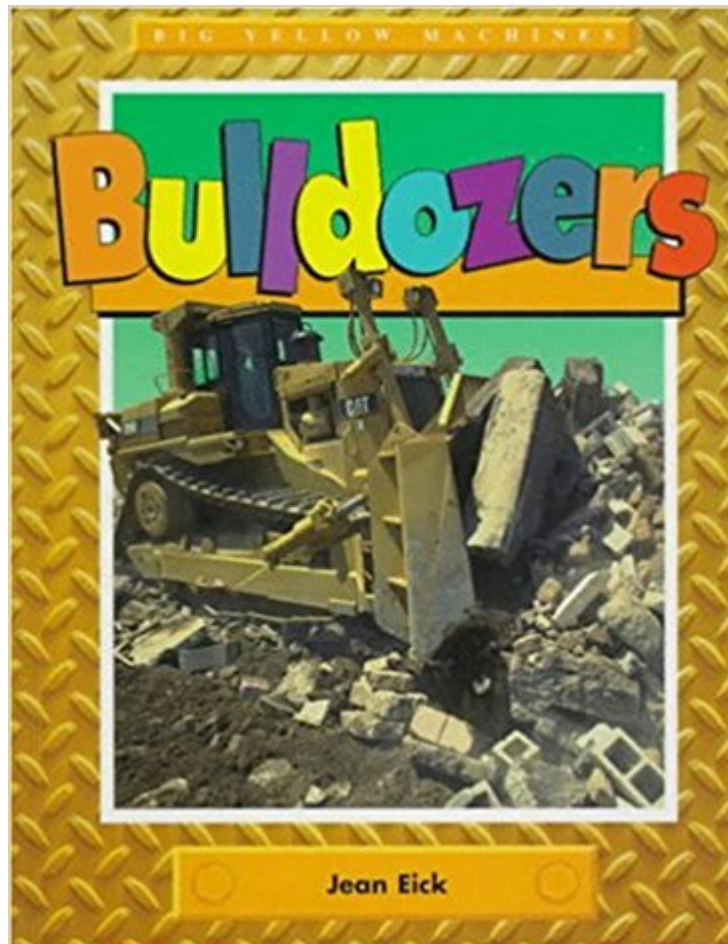




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Synopsis

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Book Information

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Written before the 'Age of dumbing kids books down' started! In this book, we learn: What a Bulldozer is * Its uses * Inside the cab * Parts * Tools of the Bulldozer * Where in the world? * Special Facts * Putting it all together * Words to remember. Each page has at least one photo of a bulldozer in action. I absolutely LOVE the way it teaches some geography too, showing a world map and telling you where in the world you can find one of these big machines. In this book it tells you about: Mountains, Forest, Desert, Volcano, Norway, Mexico and Russia. In the 'special facts' section you learn how much fuel it can hold, how tall they are, how much one weighs, and how fast it can go from the smallest to the largest. I originally found this set of books, Big Yellow Machines (Giant Dump Trucks, Bulldozers, Motor Graders and Excavators), in our local library and was SO impressed that I had to purchase them all! When I got them first I had wanted them for our preschooler but upon reading them I realized that although he would enjoy looking at the pictures now there was WAY too much information in there for him at this time. These are books that are going to grow with him! HIGHLY RECOMMENDED from our house to yours!

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