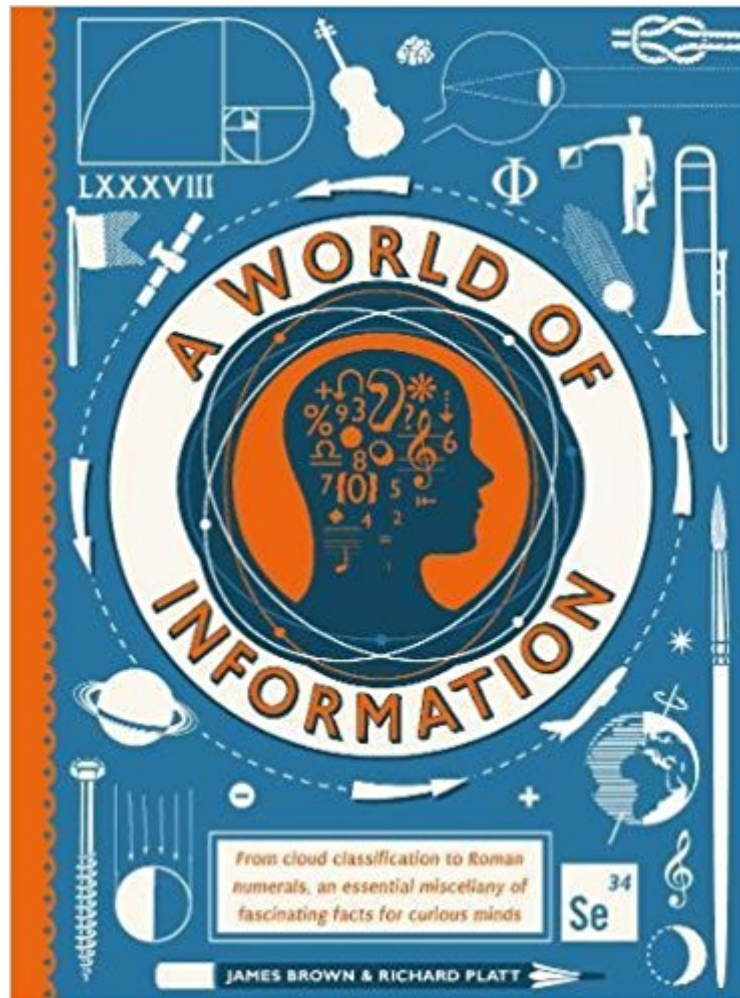The book was found

# A World Of Information

## Synopsis

A visually stunning collection of facts and figures for all the family to enjoyThis visually stunning miscellany from the effortlessly stylish print-maker James Brown is a collection of incredible facts and figures. Do you know how many bones there are in the human body or how clouds form? Or about different types of knots or how Morse code works? Each illustration is both beautiful and enlightening, and is accompanied by an engaging fact-filled explanation by celebrated author Richard Platt. Covering more than 30 diverse and fascinating topics, there is a world of information at your fingertips in this book, which is perfect for all the family to enjoy.

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## Customer Reviews

Super-stylish miscellany of facts and figures in a large-format hardback. Topics include the Periodic Table, tides, clouds and the Fibonacci sequence. * The Bookseller * Every two pages offers something different, and readers can dip in and out as they see fit. The clean, clear lines of the illustrations provide a perfect balance to the short blocks of text. * The Irish Times *

Richard Platt is the author of Pirate Diary, which won the Kate Greenaway Medal, the Silver Smarties Book Prize and the Blue Peter Award for Best Factual Book, and Castle Diary, which was Highly Commended for the Kate Greenaway Medal and shortlisted for the Kurt Maschler Award. He has written over 70 books and has appeared widely on TV and radio, talking about his children's writing. He lives in Kent.James Brown is an illustrator and printmaker living and working in London.

Trained as a textile and surface print designer, he worked in textiles for ten years. He then branched out into illustration and has worked with the V&A and Guardian.

A World of Information is a big, quite heavy book, that contains lots of factual information on a variety of subjects. From the Solar System, to The Human Eye, Organs of the Body to Roman Numerals, this book will have children eager to impress with the facts that they have learned.On each double, differently coloured page of the book you will find a different subject. On one side is all the factual information. On the other is the illustrations which include captions. The pictures visually show you what the factual information tells you.I particularly liked the Flag Semaphore section. We had fun trying to spell out words to one another using our makeshift flags, and performing the poses for each letter.It has been well documented that children take in and remember information if it is told in a fun, engaging manner. The use of illustrations has also been recognised as helping a child to remember. So with the combination of the two in this book, I hope children will pick up a variety of knowledge that they will remember for a long time to come.Reviewed by Stacey at Whispering Stories Book Blog**I received an arc copy of this book which I voluntarily reviewed**

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