I would suggest using this book for grades 5th and 6th, because of the large words and complex subject matter. This book is about matter, going in detail about atoms, elements, and properties of matter. A timeline and review section is given so students can find quick answers. The book includes a glossary of all terms used in the book. This book contains a lot of information; most of it was review for me, except for one section about buckyballs. I never knew what these were before I read this book. I would definitely use this book in my classroom, especially during a time when we are discussing matter. It is very easy to read and keeps students interested in the subject. A great pre-thinking activity for the section would be to use a KWL chart. As a class, fill out the "Know" and "Want to Know" sections of the chart. I would then use this book in a workstation. I would give students a worksheet to complete while they are reading the book. After all students have read the book at the workstation, we would discuss interesting information we found in the book. We would then answer the "Want to Know" questions according to our findings in the book. Jessica Santifer, ESU Elementary Education Student