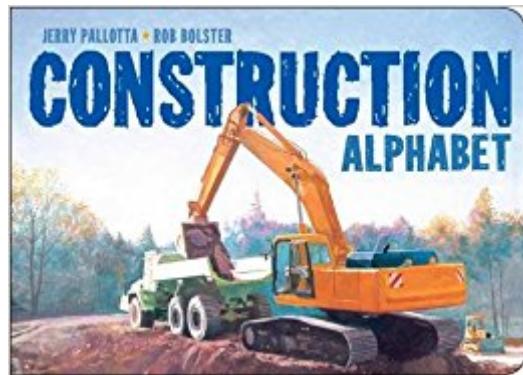


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# Construction Alphabet



## **Synopsis**

Rock crushers, jackhammers, and wrecking balls tear up the pages of this noisy alphabet book. Smash! Crash! Ka-boom! A is for Aerial lift. B is for Backhoe. C is for Cement Mixer. Jerry Pallotta's trademark humor punctuates the informative text. Vibrant oil paintings bring to life a busy construction site.

## **Book Information**

Board book: 28 pages

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Age Range: 2 - 3 years

Grade Level: Preschool and up

## **Customer Reviews**

Jerry Pallotta is an award-winning author of children's alphabet books and imaginative fiction. His books combine interesting facts, detailed research, humor, and realistic illustrations that mesmerize children everywhere. Jerry lives in Boston, Massachusetts.

We recently bought this for a 3 year old 's birthday. He is obsessed with trucks. It's a great book for the variety of trucks they include. He currently asks for it to be read multiple times a day. I love that it keeps him entertained at this age with the pictures, but he will learn a lot for years to come with all the detailed information. I'd recommend it for ages 3 on up.

I bought these for my two grandsons for Christmas. This is a beautiful, well-done, engaging book! I wish I had had it for my sons so we could correctly name the various pieces of machinery that we

saw around. "Real" books--about real life rather than some Disney cartoon--are a bit hard to find. And just try finding one that isn't dorky or girly about horses! --And that has correct information. I really don't know enough about this subject matter to know for sure that it is all completely on target, but it seems to be written by someone who actually knows. I'm really tired of books that teach children that baby horses are ponies or that horses are for girls. This book would be well enjoyed by either boys OR girls that wanted to know about all these things! YAY!!! Just a fine book. Three of my children do not have children of their own yet--but when they do, a copy of this book will be in each house! Jerry Pallotta--I'm looking for more of your books! Ooh, and I didn't check the illustrator's name--but it's a name I will look for as well.

If you have a little boy who is obsessed with vehicles and wheels and cars and sounds.... you MUST get this book. My son memorized the pages way before he could form sentences properly. I learned a lot too. We can point to construction sites and name the heavy trucks. It's impressive!

I love this book! Not just an alphabet book, but also a learning experience. Pictures are very realistic & the accompanying narratives are informative & fun. This makes the book good for non-readers & readers; and allows beginners to "grow into" the book as their reading skills progress. I purchased 2 copies for Christmas giving - one for Grandad to give 4 y.o. Grandson & (Shh- its a surprise!) one for Grandson to give Grandad. I think they'll both be very pleased.

OMG, this book is absolutely wonderful! My 4 year old grandson just loves it. He insists on it being read to him EVERY night before he goes to bed!

Wonderful book! Love the illustrations (paintings) and the writing and descriptions were spot on. Little ones love looking at all the big equipment and older ones (including me) learn many facts in a fun way. Will recommend to others :)

My little grandson loves construction vehicles! This was a great little book to add to his collection. I apparently didn't pay close attention though, and thought it was a hardback book. It is not, so it will not hold up as long.

This isn't my favorite construction book, but my two-year-old loves it. It is my own fault for not noticing the book format before ordering, but I can't believe a book for this age level is paperback. I

doubt it will last for long!

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