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Picked out this book as a reference for a seventh grade science project on light absorbtion/heat. It had the information we were looking for along with great illustrations. Thank-you.

Great book for classroom experience, great for in school students for homeschool students. Lots of information in colorful pages with inviting graphics and details make it a great pick for any kid

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