



other books, the illustrations featured in this book remind me of the 1950s-era Scandinavian and European books of my childhood. Simplified, charming images that I felt were perfect for my 3 1/2 year old. We read this several times per week - she insists! 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Definitely recommend this book By K. OBrien I bought this for my soon-to-be-2-year-old granddaughter. She LOVES it. She can find the mouse (and anything else requested of her) so fast! And wants to read this book over and over. Definitely recommend this book!!

Find out what one thousand really looks like in this visual encyclopedia of first words to see and say. Search-and-find Little Mouse on every page and discover new words with every turn of the page. Stylishly laid out, the book is arranged by theme and features fully illustrated collections of "things", each clearly labeled and easy to recognize. This value-packed 80 page book covers everything from space, to the human body, to the world around us, bringing contemporary appeal to a classic subject.

From School Library Journal PreS-Gr 1 This visual encyclopedia introduces a variety of first words and concepts to preschool audiences. The content is organized into sections such as "First Things to Learn," "Things to Do with You," and "Things Around the World." Each spread shows a scene focused on a different theme with parts of the picture clearly labeled. Visually, the book works well, with all caps text that is large and easy to read. The digitally created illustrations are minimalistic and have an appealingly vintage feel. However, the organizational structure is not exactly intuitive. For example, "Things Around the World" includes pages about the seasons and weather, while "Things in Nature" contains a page called "What's in the Fruit Bowl?" Also, children will have difficulty distinguishing between the blue, light blue, and dark blue hues on the color spread. Despite the drawbacks, this book does have a lot to offer: the illustrations are eye-catching, and youngsters will enjoy searching for the mouse hidden on every page. VERDICT A serviceable addition for children discovering and exploring the world around them for the first time. Kimberly Tolson, Medfield Public Library, MA "This book does have a lot to offer: the illustrations are eye-catching, and youngsters will enjoy searching for the mouse hidden on every page." - School Library Journal