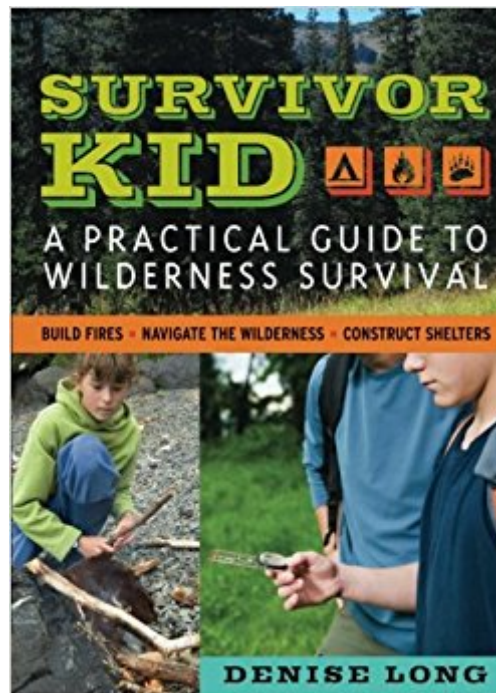




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Survivor Kid: A Practical Guide To Wilderness Survival



Synopsis

Anyone can get lost while camping or on a hike and Survivor Kid teaches young adventurers the survival skills they need if they ever find themselves lost or in a dangerous situation in the wild. Written by a search and rescue professional and lifelong camper, it's filled with safe and practical advice on building shelters and fires, signaling for help, finding water and food, dealing with dangerous animals, learning how to navigate, and avoiding injuries in the wilderness. Ten projects include building a simple brush shelter, using a reflective surface to start a fire, testing your navigation skills with a treasure hunt, and casting animal tracks to improve your observation skills. For ages 9 and Up.

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Customer Reviews

This practical book by a veteran search and rescue volunteer offers excellent tips on coping with potentially dangerous situations in the backcountry...a great book for anyone, young or old, who spends time in remote areas. --Denver Post and Minnesota Parent

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My 9yo son LOVES this book. Great practical advice in an easy to read language. He was inspired to fill a backpack with 'survival gear' (knife, compass, water, fire starter, banana, cereal bar, flashlight, spare batteries and this book in a ziplock bag! Not bad for a kid!). He also learned about tube tents and shelter building. I love that this is practical and keeps him adventuring and exploring instead of being glued to a screen. Great book!

I gave this to my adventure-minded 9 year-old girl for Christmas and she was glued to it for at least a month. She learned a ton from it and has had a great time experimenting with her new knowledge in the woods. I believe this will be a book she will return to again and again in years to come.

I bought this for my daughter. She LOVES it. I wasn't sure how informative it would be, but she keeps dropping survival facts that I didn't know! She's got an emergency kit that she's taken upon herself to put together with the aid of the book. Great for a beginner survival enthusiast.

I'm teaching a survival skills class, and I can basically go chapter by chapter with this book... Short and concise explanations and good information... Overall a great resource!

My 12 year old grandson loved the book, started reading it as soon as he opened it. Lots of good information for someone interested in the outdoors. Glad I bought it for him!

another handbook that our 11 yr. old loves.

Kids love it, great read and skills

My grandson, who is eight, was thrilled with this book. He hikes in Washington with his dad, who has taught him much of this. Nevertheless, the book is well-written in a straight forward, easy to understand manner. And it never hurts for a kid to have safety education reinforced by someone other than a parent-always seems to verify that Mom and Dad actually do know what they are talking about! I strongly recommend this book for all kids who will be out in the wilderness.

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