

Book Promo Example –Fiction (Intended to be recorded with audio or video)

Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone by J.K. Rowling

Hello I am Mr. Bosma and the book I chose is Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone, by J.K. Rowling. It is a fantasy meets reality story and is the first in a series of seven books.

What made me want to read this book was the pure interest in the world J.K. Rowling has created bringing the power of good forces to a group of kids, and as a fan of both Star Wars and Lord of the Rings, it seemed to be a fit. Also, plenty of students have recommended it.

This book focuses around a boy named Harry from just outside London England, who receives a mysterious letter addressed to him which changes his life forever. From there he meets a giant Hagrid and is off to Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. At the school Harry meets Ron, Hermione, and a cast of other students and professors (teachers). The head teacher/wizard Dumbledore helps Harry learn about his past, family and himself. If you like great adventure, action, supernatural, fantasy, humor and even some sports (not your usual one though) you will adore this book. What I really like about this book is it kept revealing secrets and was loaded in fun fantasy, but always felt like a real group of friends who know how to laugh too.

Overall, based on my and my son's reaction, I give Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone a 5 out of 5 star rating.