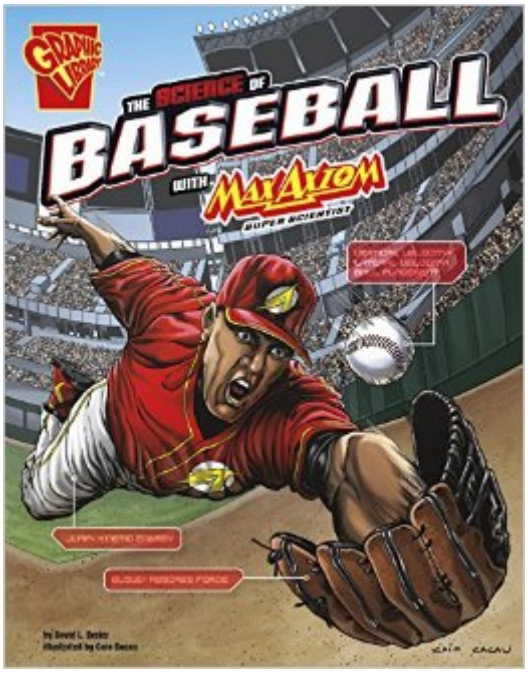
The Science Of Baseball With Max Axiom, Super Scientist (The Science Of Sports With Max Axiom)



Synopsis

A blazing fastball. A blasting hit. An amazing catch at the fence! What's behind it all? Science! Let Max Axiom, Super Scientist, explain the science behind a curveball, the fastest way to run the bases, and much, much more.

Book Information

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Customer Reviews

This is another great educational book produced by Capstone Press. Using comic book format, this collection of Max Axiom explains the physical forces behind the game of baseball. It explains the importance of the material used for a baseball, the forces behind hitting and batting, and pitching. Readers may also learn why is it better to slide on a plate feet-first instead of head-first.Capstone succeeds in its goals by combining these explanations with a comic book format. A small caveat is that this text should not replace the classroom textbook, but must be a supplement. Nevertheless, it is a great text to motivate students to learn about physics.

This is a little more advanced physics than some of the Max Axiom series. I like all of them, they condense complex concepts into easy-to-understand graphics of familiar situations. And no math. Some people complain that they are too simplistic, but I don't see that. The important thing is to

grasp the deep concepts reflexively and struggle with the math only when necessary.

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