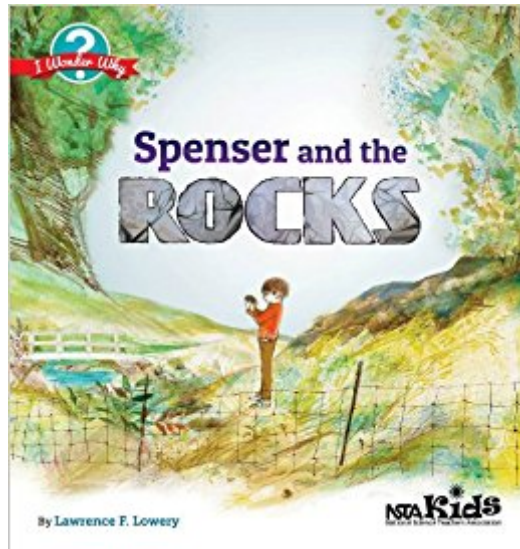




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# Spenser And The Rocks (I Wonder Why)



## Synopsis

As he begins to discover the interesting rocks all around him, Spenser has many questions about what he finds. Given the differences in the rocks—colors, sizes, shapes, and textures, there is much to learn about rocks! But that's not all the curious child learns in this tale of discovery. Spenser's fascination grows as he sorts and re-sorts his rock collection and asks questions about what he observes. For Spenser—as well as young readers—the experience is an engaging introduction to scientific procedures such as classification and research. *Spenser and the Rocks* is part of the *I Wonder Why* book series, written to ignite the curiosity of children in grades K–6 while encouraging them to become avid readers. These books explore the marvels of geology, land forms, weather, environments, and other phenomena related to science and nature. Included in each volume is a Parent/Teacher Handbook with coordinating activities. The *I Wonder Why* series is written by an award-winning science educator and published by NSTA Kids, a division of NSTA Press.

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Age Range: 5 - 8 years

Grade Level: Kindergarten - 3

## Customer Reviews

Lawrence Lowery taught in the Oakland, CA, public schools before becoming a professor of science

education at the University of California, Berkeley. He has more than 40 years' experience creating science activities and programs, developing curricula, and writing articles and books, including the NSTA Press publication The Everyday Science Sourcebook and the I Wonder Why series.

This is the absolute BEST book to use at any time when you are learning about rocks or when you are focusing on the properties of matter. Making collections encourage children to learn more about the world around them. This book also makes you think that Spencer's next book might be on learning more about bugs! I have recommended this book to every teacher and parent I know.

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