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WOW IN THE WORLD: WOW IN SPACE

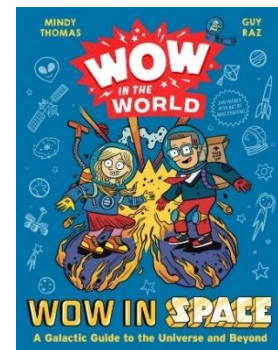
A GALACTIC GUIDE TO THE UNIVERSE AND BEYOND

BY MINDY THOMAS and GUY RAZ, illus. by MIKE CENTENO

“This **eye-catching graphic exploration of outer space** comes from the creators of the Wow in the World podcast series. **Pages are filled with goofy illustrations, silly jokes, photos, lists, definitions, and lots of solid science** about non-earthly entities: the universe, galaxies, stars, planets, asteroids, comets, alien life, and space exploration and explorers.”—*Booklist*

Based on their #1 podcast, *Wow in the World*, in this companion to the #1 NYT bestseller *The How and Wow of the Human Body*, Mindy Thomas and Guy Raz take readers on a funny, fact-filled tour of outer space.

Calling all space cadets! Are you ready to explore the solar system, see the stars, and experience life in a world beyond ours?! Blast off with bestselling authors Mindy Thomas and Guy Raz, hosts of the mega-popular podcast *Wow in the World*, as they take you on an intergalactic tour of outer space.



Zip through astronaut training school! Slip into a black hole! Apply for a job as a NASA astronaut! Meet the animals who made it to space! And that’s just the beginning! Jam-packed with eye-popping illustrations, jaw-dropping facts, jokes, quizzes, comics, and everything else that makes up our universe, this is your one-stop shop for all things space. The who, what, when, where, why, how, and WOW—all in one place! **To request a review copy or discuss interview opportunities, please contact John Sellers (john.sellers@harpercollins.com).**



Mindy Thomas, co-author of the #1 *New York Times* bestseller *The How and Wow of the Human Body*, has been living out her childhood radio dreams for almost two decades by creating radio and audio programs for kids. She’s the cocreator, cohost, and head writer of the award-winning *Wow in the World* and *Two Whats?! and a Wow!* podcasts. She is also a Gracie award-winning host of the *Absolutely Mindy Show*. Mindy believes that childhood thrives at the intersection of imagination and curiosity and finds that her best work does too. She lives in northern Virginia with her husband and two kids, and has no plans of ever growing up.



Guy Raz, author of the *New York Times* bestseller *How I Built This* and coauthor of the #1 *New York Times* bestseller *The How and Wow of the Human Body* and *Two Whats?! and a Wow! Think & Tinker Playbook*—has been called “one of the most popular podcasters in history” by the *New York Times*. He is the co-creator and cohost of *Wow in the World* and *Two Whats?! and a Wow!* and is the host and creator of NPR’s *How I Built This* podcast and *Wisdom from the Top* on Luminary. Previously, Guy cocreated and hosted NPR’s *TED Radio Hour* and *The Rewind* on Spotify. He’s been

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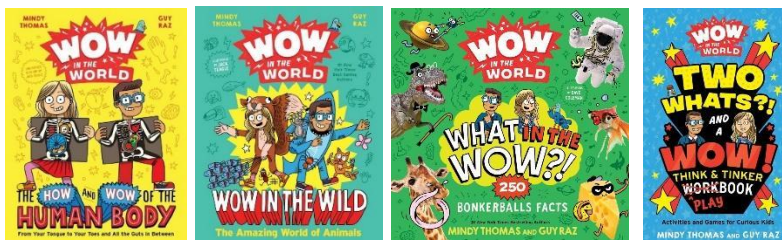
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on the radio for more than two decades and has served as a foreign and war correspondent and as a host of *All Things Considered*. Guy is the father of two boys and lives in the Bay Area where he can often be seen riding his bike in red pants.

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PRAISE FOR THE WOW IN THE WORLD BOOKS!



“With lively illustrations, *Wow in the World* provides a funny, frank tour of the human body” — *Wired*

“This super funny, punny, and fact-filled book about bodies will have kids cracking up as they learn.”
— *Common Sense Media*

“Kids won’t even realize how much they are learning.” — *We Are Teachers*

“So! Much! Information! Fun format, great art, and such engaging breakdowns of topics.” — *Teen Librarian Toolbox*

“A clever, high-energy crowd pleaser well founded in facts—the grosser the better.” — *Kirkus Reviews*

“Much like the *Wow in the World* podcast, the book is fast-paced and lighthearted yet informative and intriguing.”
— *School Library Journal*

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