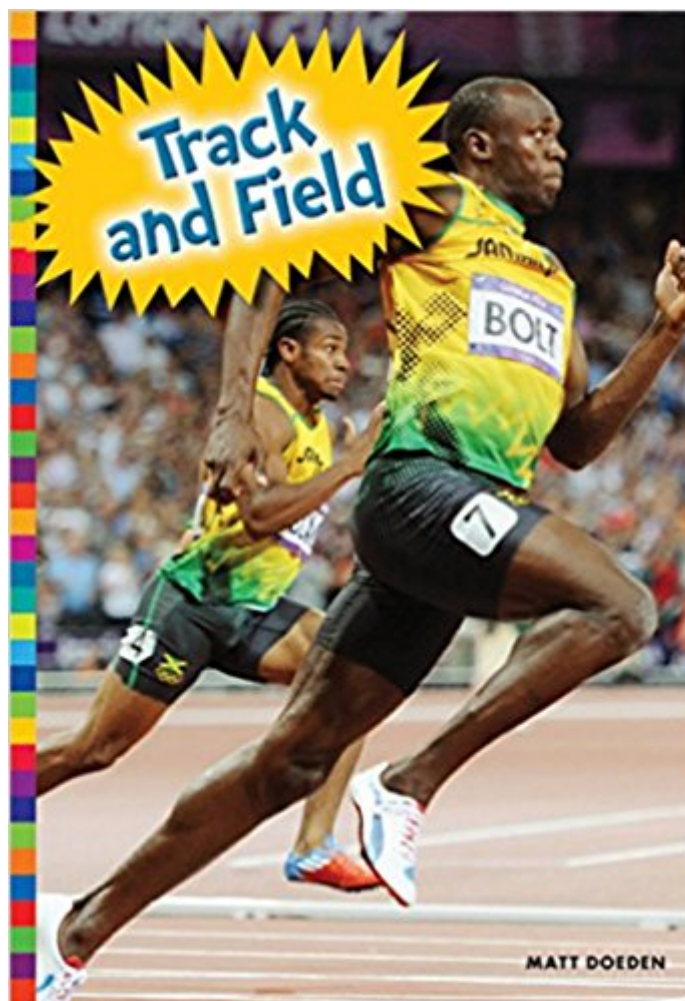


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# Track And Field (Summer Olympic Sports)



## Synopsis

Once every four years, the best athletes gather at the Summer Olympic Games in tests of speed, strength, and teamwork. Learn about the most popular events and how they captivate audiences around the world. High-impact photography will engage readers, while the carefully leveled text will help struggling readers be successful. Presents information about track and field in the Olympics including events such as relays, hurdles, pole vault, javelin throw, and shot put.

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

Gr 2-4-Bold colors and exciting scenes will attract beginning readers to these introductions to Olympic sports, including trampoline, the newest gymnastic event. Track and Field covers running, jumping, and throwing, as well as all-around events, such as the men's decathlon and women's heptathlon. There is a good deal of oversimplification, but short sentences and interesting factoids will hold readers' attention. Men's and women's events are discussed; the cover of Combat Sports captures a fierce contest between women wrestlers. Swimming and Diving notes that many regard swimmer Michael Phelps and Chinese diver Guo Jingjing as tops in their sports. VERDICT With the approach of the 2016 Olympics, these strong books will be welcome additions. (c) Copyright 2011. Library Journals LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Media Source, Inc. No redistribution

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My grandson who is a low level but very talented runner for cross country and track loved this book. The pictures are great and he liked figuring out the test. He is adopted from out of Ethiopia so language and reading is challenging. Tears came to my eyes when I saw him trying to read this book.

Don't waste your money. Rip-off, bought it for my 11yo looks more like a book for a 3yo. Most I would pay for it is 99c. 32 pages barely any writing.

Good primer for younger students. Nice pictures.

Good information and explanations for young fans

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