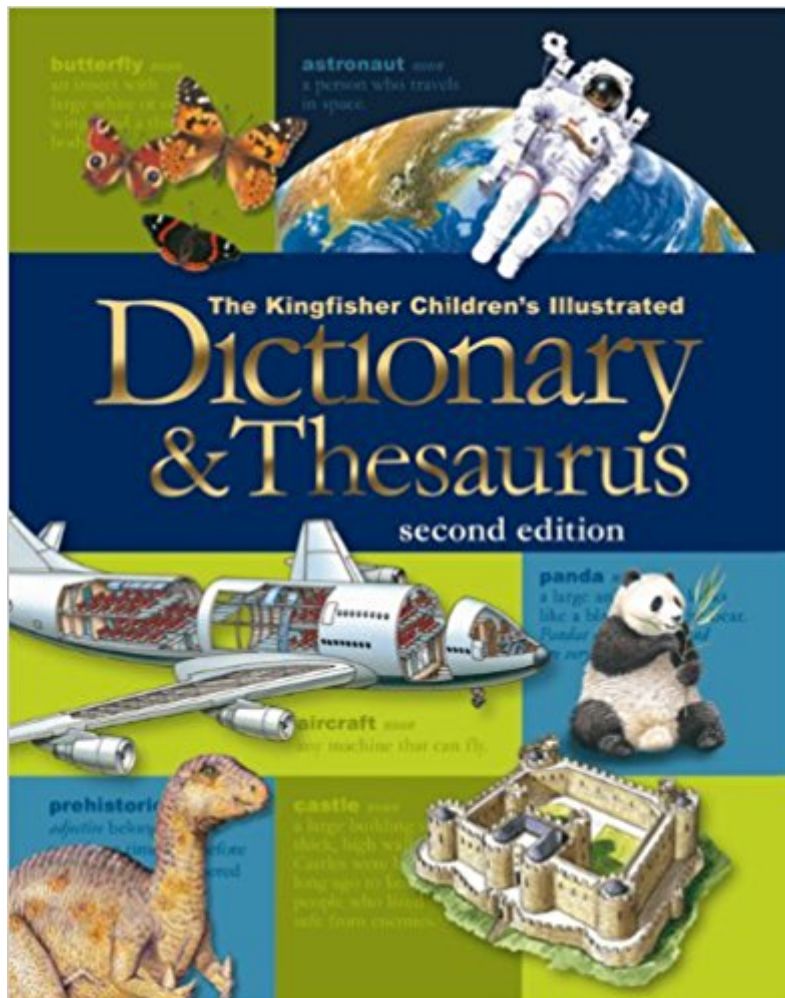




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# The Kingfisher Children's Illustrated Dictionary And Thesaurus



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- Vocabulary panels
- Definitions clearly identifying parts of speech, different word forms, and alternate spellings
- Information about synonyms, antonyms, and key language topics

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