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This handbook provides everything needed to become the world's greatest Pokemon trainer, or master. Every character is detailed with their statistics, techniques, secret facts and training tips."

### **The Official Pokémon Handbook Details**

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### **Tara says**

Essential for the first generation Pokémon lover in your life ;)

But really, a fun little resource if you're at all interested in Pokémon, and its art.

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### **Abby says**

Neat... :) Very awesome, as well as very inspiring, too. Plus, I must say, when it comes to things in the category of Pokémon, this book can be a very big help — especially when it comes to looking for a new Pokémon in the video games as well.. :)

Plus, from my perspective, Togepi, being a baby Pokémon, is quite cute, as well as very neat to take care of, too. :)

Also, just as taking care of a pet teaches responsibility to kids, in the Pokémon world, taking care of a Pokémon helps a Pokémon Trainer to grow and learn themselves.

Another thing is that TM27, aka Return, can be bought in Pokémon HeartGold and SoulSilver, and that if you have enough prize money to buy more than one TM27, you can teach it to more than one Pokémon in your party as well. :)

Finally, the game of Pokémon is a good one, because when you take care of a Pokémon in the games, you're actually learning lessons without even knowing it.

Basically, I give this book two thumbs up, as well as five stars. Plus, this book is one I highly recommend for all those fans of Pokémon out there.. :)

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### **Ben Myers-petro says**

Nary a Pokemon related problem this book book couldn't solve.

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### **Kimberly Fitzgerald says**

Gotta learn them all.

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### **Sophie says**

This book is pure gold. It is the bible for any original pokemon master.

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### **Capsguy says**

My bible.

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### **Tasia says**

When I was younger and there were only 151 pokémon, I would sit and draw from this book. Reading about all my favorites would trigger my imagination, and I'd be dreaming about all the adventures I'd have with my team. 15 years later, and I'm still a pokémon fan.

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### **Louis says**

When I was 7 this was my bible. Probably still would be if my copy hadn't completely disintegrated.

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### **Nate says**

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This handbook helped me a lot. Especially when playing Pokemon Red, Blue, and FireRed!

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### **Kiley says**

Kanto <33333

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### **Aleina says**

This is definitely a dorky, child-ish hobby I kind-of do and don't have. I haven't seen my copy since just now actually, but I remembered how much I just liked to page through to look at all the pokemon and circle my favorites. ^\_^ That was probably around 2nd or 3rd grade. This really for people into pokemon and/or totally hard core gamers, fans etc.

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### **Kirsten says**

When I was in middle school I bought this book while on holiday in Wales just when Pokemon was getting popular. I would read it and re-read it every day drawing my favourites and coming up with random poke adventure stories with my sister. It was a great little introduction to the franchise for kids like me and my sister who were dreaming of finally getting the game for birthday/christmas or for intrigued parents wanting to know what all the fuss was about. Lots of fond memories

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### **Jaguar says**

This is a nice handbook for anyone who is looking to become a Pokémon master...literally. It has every single Pokémon with tons of information on each of them like their powers, weaknesses, strengths, etc., as well as pictures and other cool stuff! This is a fast read, but also an in-depth one. It's the perfect length, and because of the layout, it's a nice book to be able to quickly look through for reference. For those who really like Pokémon, this is a good handbook to have on hand.

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### **Paige says**

This is one of the coolest Pokemon books to this day.

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### **Kayla says**

So y'all remember those bookfairs we had in elementary school? Those were the greatest man. They were like paradise for little book-loving me. We got cataglogs and I'd just go "OMG I WANNA BUY EVERYTHING!" But the thing I wanted most--at least when I was seven--was this freaking book. I was so happy when I first go it, I literally spent hours pouring over it trying to find out stuff about my favorite Pokemon, and then me and my sister would play like we had real Pokemon--that or pick up tall sticks and pretend to be at Hogwarts...

GOD, this is so nostalgic I don't even know what to do with myself.

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