Welcome to the Pearson South Africa Dictionary catalogue. We are proud to bring you our wide range of dictionaries in various languages that cater for all ages and learning levels, across a range of needs and skills.

Longman has led the way in English dictionaries. Based on long-term research, the dictionary team aims to provide the best dictionaries that will help learners communicate confidently in English. All our key dictionaries come with CD-ROMS which provide a wealth of extra material.

Our education business combines 150 years of experience in publishing with the latest learning technology and online support and we present to you our online dictionaries and language portal.

Pearson is the proud publisher of the leading Afrikaans dictionary, the Handewoordeboek van die Afrikaans Taal (HAT). In 2015 we launched the new HAT6 that includes 1 636 pages of revised words, semantics, expressions and examples, as well as access to HAT6 online.

For ease of reference and to help you find the right dictionary for you and your learners, categories are colour-coded and feature boxes are provided to highlight key attributes.

At Pearson, our vision is to help young children and school learners to reach their learning potential and prepare them for future success in further education and in the workplace.
Longman Children’s Picture Dictionary

The Longman Children’s Picture Dictionary presents words in a variety of richly illustrated and photographed topics. The dictionary is designed to appeal to young learners and can be used at home or in class. Each of the topics comes with a song or chant which is included on the two CDs.

Wordpower Foundation Dictionary

The Wordpower Foundation Dictionary introduces core vocabulary used most frequently by learners in the Foundation Phase. Pictures, definitions and sentences are combined to establish meaning of words and develop visual literacy. Essential dictionary skills are practised throughout. The companion Wordpower Foundation Fun Book provides fun activities to promote learners’ vocabulary.
Smart-Kids Read! Picture Dictionary

The Smart-Kids Read! Picture Dictionary has been created specifically for South African children. It has been designed by South African education specialists to introduce children to key, age-appropriate word sets within appropriate, familiar contexts. The beautiful, colourful illustrations and fun educational activities will grow a child’s vocabulary and make learning fun. The dictionary has two main sections:

• The first section has beautifully illustrated everyday scenes with word labels according to each theme. Along the top of each page are activities which develop the child’s word recognition, concept association and counting skills.
• The second section has an alphabetical list of all the words in the first section and more.

Features

Grades R to 3

• Colourful illustrations with word labels
• Encouraging activities
• Alphabetical word list

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297 mm x 210 mm, 128 pp
Longman South African School Dictionary

The Longman South African School Dictionary will help learners understand all the vocabulary they need for school and help to improve their grammar. It includes subject-specific words, covering all learning areas including English, Mathematics, Natural Science, Social Sciences. Thesaurus boxes help learners to expand vocabulary and spelling, grammar and usage notes help them avoid common errors.

The Longman South African School Dictionary includes a useful Workbook section at the back of the dictionary with lessons and activities to help teachers teach dictionary skills effectively.

Features
Grades 4 to 9, also relevant for Grade 12

- 40 000 words, phrases and examples
- 3 000 subject-specific words
- 300 illustrations and photographs
- Colour headwords for easy access
- Includes 500 specific South African words

Longman South African School Dictionary with CD-ROM

The Longman South African School Dictionary with CD-ROM will improve pronunciation by listening to all the headwords on the CD-ROM. Video clips and photos help learners understand difficult concepts and activities and word games provide extra skills practice. A handy pop-up dictionary mode stays on your desktop when browsing the Internet or using Microsoft Word documents.

Features
Grades 4 to 9, also relevant for Grade 12

- Video clips and photos
- Activities and word games
- Pop-up dictionary mode
Longman Active Study Dictionary

The Longman Active Study Dictionary is the perfect tool for students who need to improve their English and increase their vocabulary. Clear definitions are provided, written using only 2,000 common words. Phrases with natural examples explain how typical idiomatic expressions are used and an integrated thesaurus help learners expand their vocabulary. An academic word list is highlighted, showing the most important words to know.

Features

Grades 7 to 12

- 100,000 words, phrases and meanings
- Over 40,000 examples
- 20,000 collocations
- 6,000 synonyms and antonyms

Longman Active Study Dictionary with CD-ROM

Longman Active Study Dictionary with CD-ROM helps learners build vocabulary faster. Pronunciation is improved by listening to all the headwords on the CD-ROM. The Longman Vocabulary Trainer tests your knowledge of a word – its meaning, grammar, collocations and usage – then remembers how well you know that word. The word is the recycled and retested at different intervals so the word is never forgotten.

Features

Grades 7 to 12

- Vocabulary and pronunciation trainer
- Exam preparation
- Pop-up dictionary mode
The Longman Dictionary of Contemporary English helps learners become fluent in English. Frequently spoken and written words are highlighted and it includes corpus-based examples based on real, natural English from the Longman Corpus Network.

**Longman Dictionary of Contemporary English with DVD-ROM**

The Longman Dictionary of Contemporary English with DVD-ROM provides the ultimate active learning tool. Learners can listen to words pronounced in British and American English – then record and compare themselves with the native speaker. Learners are able to develop a natural language skills and improve their English through practice with interactive exercises.

The Longman Vocabulary Trainer tests your knowledge of a word – its meaning, grammar, collocations and usage – then remembers how well you know that word. The word is the recycled and retested at different intervals so the word is never forgotten.

**Features**

- Additional 40 000 words, phrases and meanings
- Additional 1 million corpus examples
- Additional 30 000 synonyms
- Additional 16 000 collocations
Longman Francolin Illustrated School Dictionary

The Longman Francolin Illustrated School Dictionary is an indispensable tool for non-mother tongue English learners in the Intermediate and Senior Phases. It meets the requirements of the National Curriculum and can be used in conjunction with the Longman Francolin Intermediate Phase (9780636062979) and Senior Phase Dictionary Skills Workbook (9780636068508).

Features
Grades 4 to 9
- 500 entries
- A logical design and illustrations for easy reference
- 5 000 example suggestions of each word in context
- Colloquial South African English

Longman Basic English Dictionary

Younger learners will find this dictionary a simple and fun introduction to monolingual dictionaries. Simple definitions and examples are given, accompanied by illustrations. A workbook filled with exercises to practice vocabulary is available.

Features
Grades 4 to 9
- 12 000 words and phrases
- 16 full-colour topic pages
- Illustrations
- Workbook

Longman Primary Dictionary

Specifically written for primary school learners, the Longman Primary Dictionary includes vocabulary which learners at this level will need. Clear and concise definitions are provided, example sentences show how words are used and illustrations aid comprehension.

Features
Grades 4 to 9
- Over 8 000 entries
- Attractive easy-to-read design
- IPA pronunciation at each entry
- Over 250 black and white illustrations

Longman WordWise Dictionary

Learners can improve their English faster by focusing on the 2 000 words that make up 80% of English used. The Longman WordWise Dictionary helps learners learn the meanings, phrases, grammar and collocations of these 2 000 words. Example sentences are pronounced in British and American English. Photos and videos help learners understand difficult concepts and exercises give them extra skills practice.

Features
Grades 4 to 9
- 38 000 words, phrases and meanings
- 8 000 example sentences
- Photos and videos
- Exercises
- Pop-up dictionary
Longman Mini English Dictionary

The Longman Mini English Dictionary is published in a small and handy format that is easily transportable, whilst still containing all the important features. The dictionary contains up-to-date vocabulary with easy definitions using only simple, basic words. There are thousands of examples of how words are used and exercises to learn how to use a dictionary.

Features
Grades 4 to 9
- 12,000 words and phrases
- Over 300 fun illustrations
- Language usage notes
- Examples of how words are used
- Exercises to learn how to use a dictionary

Longman Handy Learner’s Dictionary

The Longman Handy Learner’s Dictionary is an easy to use, quick reference guide that comes in a handy pocket-size, for learners to use in the classroom or at home. It includes up-to-date coverage of words from newspapers and the Internet. Clear definitions written using the Longman 2,000-word Defining Vocabulary.

Features
Grades 4 to 9
- Over 28,000 words and phrases
- Up-to-date coverage of words
- Clear definitions
- Useful grammar notes

Longman Exams Dictionary with CD-ROM

Help learners improve their exam performance with the Longman Exams Dictionary. The dictionary covers key academic study areas and 3,000 most frequent words in spoken and written English are highlighted so learners know which words are most important to learn. It includes over 1,000 study notes on vocabulary, grammar and common areas. Examples show natural usage and are taken from academic reports and essays.

Features
Grades 7 to 12
- 212,000 words, phrases and meanings
- 160,000 examples
- 10,000 synonyms, antonyms and word families
- Over 1,000 study notes
- Over 35 hours of exam practice
- Over 3 hours of listening practice
- Academic wordlist

Longman Pocket Dictionary series

Quick and easy reference on a range of language aspects for Grades 7 to 12.
Longman-HAT School Dictionary

The Longman-HAT School Dictionary prepares learners for success using English and Afrikaans in everyday life. It provides clear definitions and natural examples, based on the Longman Corpus Network and growing HAT Corpus of Contemporary Afrikaans. An Essential Communication section provides situation-based language for immediate use and a special section with illustrations encourage vocabulary building. Appendices include a Picture Dictionary, irregular verbs and abbreviations.

Features
- Grades 7 to 12
- Over 10,000 words and phrases
- Thousands of meanings
- Essential Communication section
- Special section with illustrations
- Essential abbreviations
- Appendices

Available:

9781770257801 (PB)
210 mm x 148 mm, 656 pp

Longman-HAT Basic Dictionary

The Longman-HAT Basic Dictionary is specially compiled for beginner learners of Afrikaans and English. It provides clear definitions and natural examples, based on the Longman Corpus Network and growing HAT Corpus of Contemporary Afrikaans. Each meaning of a word begins on a new line, so learners can quickly and easily find the translation they need. A special section with illustrations encourage vocabulary building. Appendices include a Picture Dictionary, irregular verbs and abbreviations.

Features
- Grades 7 to 12
- Top 1,000 most essential and frequently used words
- Usage notes
- Special section with illustrations
- Appendices

Available:

9781775781387 (PB)
210 mm x 148 mm, 249 pp
Bilingual dictionaries

Longman-HAT Afrikaans Dictionary and Grammar for English speakers

The Longman-HAT Afrikaans Dictionary and Grammar is a basic English-Afrikaans/Afrikaans-English dictionary and a user-friendly grammar guide in one handy volume, designed for beginner learners of Afrikaans. It provides clear and simple explanations, exact translations and natural examples sentences and phrases. Thematic words increase learners’ vocabulary. The grammar guide, packed with detailed examples and translations, containing everything English speakers need to know about Afrikaans sounds, words, spelling, phonetics and vocabulary, sentences and paragraphs, listening and speaking.

Features
Grades 7 to 12
• Top 1 000 most frequent words
• Illustrations
• Thematic words
• Abbreviations and activities
• 124-page grammar guide

Longman Foundation Phase Bilingual Dictionaries

This new, innovative dictionary concept combines traditional picture dictionaries and alphabetical dictionaries in order to enhance literacy in the Foundation Phase. The Longman Foundation Phase bilingual dictionaries help learners understand, read and write in their mother tongue. It introduces English as an additional language and functions as a bridge between the Foundation and Intermediate Phases.

Features
Grades R to 3
• Vocabulary and pronunciation trainer
• Exam preparation
• Pop-up dictionary mode
My eerste HAT

My eerste HAT is ’n uitsonderlike boek vir Afrikaanse kinders en kinders wat Afrikaans wil leer. Dit bevat die eerste 1 000 woorde wat kinders kan sê, gegrond op wetenskaplike navorsing oor kindertaal. By elke trefwoord is daar ’n vrolike rympie en ’n prettige volkleur-illustrasie wat die betekenis verduidelik.

**Kenmerke**

- **Graad R tot 4**
  - Kyk, luister en lees
  - Stimuleer taalontwikkeling
  - Maak lees pret

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My HAT Storiewoordeboek

Vrolike karakters en fantasieryke stories bou woordeskat, 1 000 woorde gekies op grond van wat moeilik is om aan kinders te verduidelik, wetenskaplik nagevors en uitgesoek. *My HAT Storiewoordeboek* is ’n unieke voorlees- en saamleesboek vir kinders van vier jaar en ouer. Dit is die opvolger van die suksesvolle *My eerste HAT*.

**Kenmerke**

- **Voorlees: 4 jaar + Self lees: 7 jaar +**
  - 300 woordstories en rympies
  - 300 prettige volkleur-illustrasies
  - 300 dink-en-doenaktiwiteite
  - Wenke vir ouers en onderwysers
  - Stimuleer taalontwikkeling

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Slimkoppe Lees! Prentewoordeboek

Die Prettewoordeboek in die reeks Slimkoppe Lees! is spesiaal vir Afrikaanse kinders ontwikkel. Opvoedkunde-spesialiste het woorde uitgesoek wat by die kinders se ouderdom pas en by omgewings en situasies waarmee hulle vertroud is. Die volkleurprente en vrolike aktiwiteite maak dit lekker om die woordeboek te gebruik.

- In die eerste deel word alledaagse tonele uitgebeeld met woordetikette wat by die temas pas.
- Aktiwiteite boaan elke bladsy help kinders woorde herken. Die aktiwiteite help hulle begrippe verstaan en gee hulle ook kans om te tel.
- Die tweede deel van die woordeboek bevat ’n alfabetiese lys van woorde in die eerste deel en meer.

**Kenmerke**

- **Graad R tot 3**
  - Kleurryke illustrasies en woordetikette
  - Aktiwiteite wat lees aanmoedig
  - Alfabetiese woordelys
HAT Afrikaanse Skoolwoordeboek

Die HAT Afrikaanse skoolwoordeboek is onmisbaar in die klas. Dit bevat meer as 30 000 woorde en hul verbuigings, idiome en vaste uitdrukings – eenvoudig verklaar en toegelig met duisende natuurlike voorbeeldsinne en – frases en meer as 300 illustrasies. Tesouruskassies help leerders hul woordeskat uitbrei, en nuttige inligting oor spelling en korrekte taalgebruik is ingesluit. Daar is inligting oor die herkoms van woorde, sinonieme, antonieme, manlike en vroulike vorme, intensiewe vorme en vergelykings. Agterin die woordeboek is ’n uitgebreide lys Afrikaanse afkortings, asook ’n omvattende lys terme wat leerders vir Afrikaans Huistaal en Afrikaans Eerste Addisionele Taal moet ken.

Kenmerke
- Graad 5 tot 12
- Meer as 30 000 woorde en hul verbuigings, idiome en vaste uitdrukings
- Meer as 300 illustrasies
- Tesouruskassies
- Gratis woordeboekaktiwiteite en -speletjies

Nuwe Woordeboek sonder grense

Nuwe Woordeboek sonder grense is ’n vertalende woordeboek, spesiaal gekonseptualiseer en wetenskaplik saamgestel vir leerders van Afrikaans as Eerste en Tweede Addisionele Taal.

Kenmerke
- Graad 4 tot 12
- 2 500 algemene gebruikswoorde wat gekies is uit die aanbevole kernwoordeskat vir leerders van Afrikaans as Addisionele Taal
Die Handwoordeboek van die Afrikaanse Taal

Die Handwoordeboek van die Afrikaanse Taal (alom bekend as “die HAT”) is Afrikaans se bekendste woordeboek. Die eerste uitgawe van die HAT het in 1965 verskyn en in 2015 vier die HAT sy goue jubileum. Dié omvattend herbewerkte, stewig uitgebreide sesde uitgawe is die resultaat van die grondigste hersiening van die woordeboek sedert die verskyning van die derde uitgawe in 1993. Geen Afrikaanse woordeboek bied ’n akkurater beeld van eiertydse Afrikaans nie.

Die onmisbare Afrikaanse woordeboek vir huis en skool, vir werk en studeer, vir woordliefhebbers, woordspelletjie-entoesiaste en woordvrate. Pragtig ontwerp en gedruk.

Wat is ’n huis, klaskamer en kantoor sonder die nuwe HAT?

Kenmerke
Meer as
• 90 000 woorde, idiome en uitdrukkings
• 120 000 betekenisse, eenvoudig verklaar
• 80 000 voorbeeldsinne en -frases
• 10 000 etimologieë
• 3 000 akkortings
• 1 600 bladsye
• 2 miljoen woorde altesaam (25 persent meer as in die vorigeuitgawe)

Ingeslote kode bied ses maande GRATIS TOEGANG tot die nuwe onverkorte HAT Aanlyn.

Gids vir die woordeboekgebruiker

Die HAT bied gedrigeerde woordings per bladsy. Op elk teksformatiewoord (ook lexicaal genoem), is volklig relevante tedereom en gebruiksaanwijzing nader wie u gebruikskennis van die woord toon en noem wat gebruik kan word.

Tekstformatiewoord

1. Die tekste hou ’n woord, vanwoord, vanwoordgroep of alstruction. Staan se gemaak aan die basis van die uitdruk en wat spesifieke betekenis in woordeboek verouder, soos "hout en vis" en "rooi en goed.

2. Tekstformatiewoord word in die houte gebruik as woordings (gewoonlik in die alvorens-onveroudering van uitdruk en woordings wat gebruik in "hout en vis" en "rooi en goed".)
Afrikaans dictionaries

HAT Taal- en Feitegids

Die moet-hê-boek! Vir elke skool, elke huis, vir die koffietafel, wagkamer, om sommer net op te tel en deur te blaaí, om dit en dat te wete te kom of weer te onthou.

Die Taalgids

Sowat 1 000 artikels oor eietydse taalgebruik.

Betroubare, korrekte antwoorde op taalprobleme waarmee woordeboeke jou nie help nie.

Duidelik toegelig met werklike voorbeelde uit die taalpraktyk.

Spelling, leestekengebruik, problematiere woorde en frases, die regte woordkeuse, woorde wat dikwels met mekaar verwar word, die invloed van Engels op Afrikaans, en nog meer. Die riglyne en inligting berus op die ondervinding en praktiese kennis wat die skrywer, Tom McLachlan, in ’n lang beroepsloopbaan as dosent, onderwyser, maar veral as taalpraktisyn opgedoen het. Hy is ’n oudvoorsitter van die SA Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns se Taalkommissie en een van die voorste kenners van Afrikaans vandag.

Die Feitegids

Sowat 6 000 deeglik nagevorste ensiklopediese artikels.

Inligting oor Suid-Afrika, Afrika en die res van die wêreld.


Bykans elke land van die wêreld is opgeneem, historiese gebeurtenisse, belangrike persone, plekke, klassieke en populêre musiek, literatuur, die beeldende kunste, argitektuur, teater, rolprente, mitologie, godsdiens, sport, en meer.

Suid-Afrikaanse sporthelde van gister en vandag.

Suid-Afrikaanse skrywers, kunstenaars, musikante en akteurs.

Kenmerke

- Knap jou taalgebruik op.
- Brei jou algemene kennis uit.
- Verfris jou geheue.
- Vergewis jou van jou feite.
- Gaan jou spelling van vreemde plek- en eiename na.
- Help jou kind met skooltake.
- Stof jou opponente in triviaspeletjies uit.
- Draf blokraaisels kaf.
- Vra jou vriende vas.
- Hou op kopkrap!

9781775782438 (SB)
245 mm x 170 mm, 776 pp
The Student’s Companion

No student or teacher should be without this famous reference book. Part almanac, part dictionary, The Students’ Companion is a handy encyclopedia in one portable volume. No wonder it is a worldwide bestseller. It includes single words for phrases and sentences, as well as figurative expressions and explanations, among other great features.

**Features**

**Grades 7 to 12**
- Proverbs and quotations
- Small words for big ones
- Comparisons and similes
- Abbreviations and prefixes
- Geographical facts
- Revision notes and general knowledge

Common Mistakes in English

Common Mistakes in English takes more than 550 examples of typical errors for example, words that are often confused, misused, or used with the wrong preposition and offers a correct version and an explanation that will help students avoid making the same mistakes themselves. An invaluable book for students who are keen to ‘get it right’ every time!

**Features**

**Grades 7 to 12**
- Offers correct versions and explanations for typical errors
- Lists and summaries covering specific grammatical points
- Everyday irregular verbs in all their forms

Longman Business English Dictionary

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**Features**

**Grades 7 to 12**
- Exam practice
- Full dictionary text
- Pop-up dictionary mode
Longman Multilingual Maths Dictionary

The Longman Multilingual Maths Dictionary is an essential classroom and homework resource book for Grades 4 to 6. Clear explanations of difficult Mathematical concepts are given in English, isiXhosa and Afrikaans. Definitions are supported by examples and illustrations. This dictionary will not only help learners to learn terms in another language but will also help them prepare for tests and exams.

Longman Multilingual Science Dictionary

The Longman Multilingual Science Dictionary is an essential classroom and homework resource book for Grades 4 to 9. Clear explanations of difficult Science concepts are given in English, isiXhosa and Afrikaans. Illustrations aid in visualising Science concepts. This dictionary will not only help learners to learn terms in another language but will also help them prepare for tests and exams.

Illustrated Dictionary of Natural Sciences and Technology

Today

This classroom resource offers much needed language support to Grade 4 to 9 learners. It enhances conceptual understanding of key concepts and will help learners succeed in Natural Sciences and Technology.

Understanding Concepts in Mathematics and Science (Volume 1 & 2)

A multilingual resource for teaching and learning Mathematics and Science. Key Mathematics and Science concepts are listed and explained in English, isiXhosa, isiZulu and Afrikaans. This title will assist teachers and learners to enhance their understanding and use of core Mathematics and Science concepts.
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