# Library and Supplementary Resources

Grades R-7 Catalogue



# Welcome

At Pearson, we believe that learner performance can be improved when both teachers and learners are equipped with quality learning resources filled with relevant and engaging content.

We are proud to present the Pearson South Africa Grades R – 7 Library and Supplementary Resources catalogue. We aim to help your learners make progress through this important learning phase where critical-thinking skills and application of knowledge become the focus of attention.

To support you in the classroom, we continue our strong tradition of excellence in teacher training. These workshops are run across the country by our dedicated and passionate team of trainers whom are trained teachers. If you require more information about our workshops, please contact your local Pearson representative.

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# Key to symbols



This title is also available in eBook format.



Features one or more digital resources, e.g. CD, DVD, Online Support.



Resources with audio components.



This title is also available in Afrikaans.



Additional information.



This title is also available in isiXhosa.

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The challenge for education is not just about providing access, but also ensuring progress.

For Pearson, providing great products and services is just the beginning. It's important for us to know that they are working. Everything we do is driven by its measurable impact on learning outcomes.

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# Our strategic partners

Our dedication to creating positive social impact shapes everything we do, from our products and strategies to the way we engage with our millions of learners, partners, and communities around the world.

# Sphere Holdings (Pty) Ltd

Sphere is committed to positioning Pearson South Africa, not just as an educational supplier, but to partner with government as a responsible citizen and leverage Pearson's capabilities to address some of these seemingly intractable challenges in the country; literacy and unemployment.

We are fortunate to have found B-BBEE partners who share our passion and commitment to education and will enable us to continue to positively impact many thousands of learners across South Africa.

Sphere Holdings is excited to be part of an enterprise whose key focus is on improving knowledge and education in South Africa. The relationship with Pearson South Africa aligns this imperative with their passion for delivering meaningful interventions for change.

MET is a SACE accredited provider and works to support the Department of Basic Education and its policies by focusing on building capacity within the education system to enable and support the meaningful implementation of the Department of Basic Education's learning-centred, participatory, problem-solving approach to teaching and learning.

In the past two years, the team's work, led by Trust Director Dr Veronique Genniker and Research and Development Manager Dr Nadeen Moolla, has received three global awards, and are being recognised locally and internationally. The Department of Basic Education issued a letter acknowledging MET as a valuable partner and endorsed the importance of its work and valuable assistance in providing quality professional development and support to deep rural schools.

# **Marang Education Trust**

We work to identify and remove barriers to education for those most in need to enable learners to reach their full potential.

Through research, engagement and development at the coalface of education, the school and the classroom, the Marang Education Trust (MET) in partnership with Pearson South Africa, has focused on best practice as an approach to improving the quality of teaching, learning and school management in South Africa.

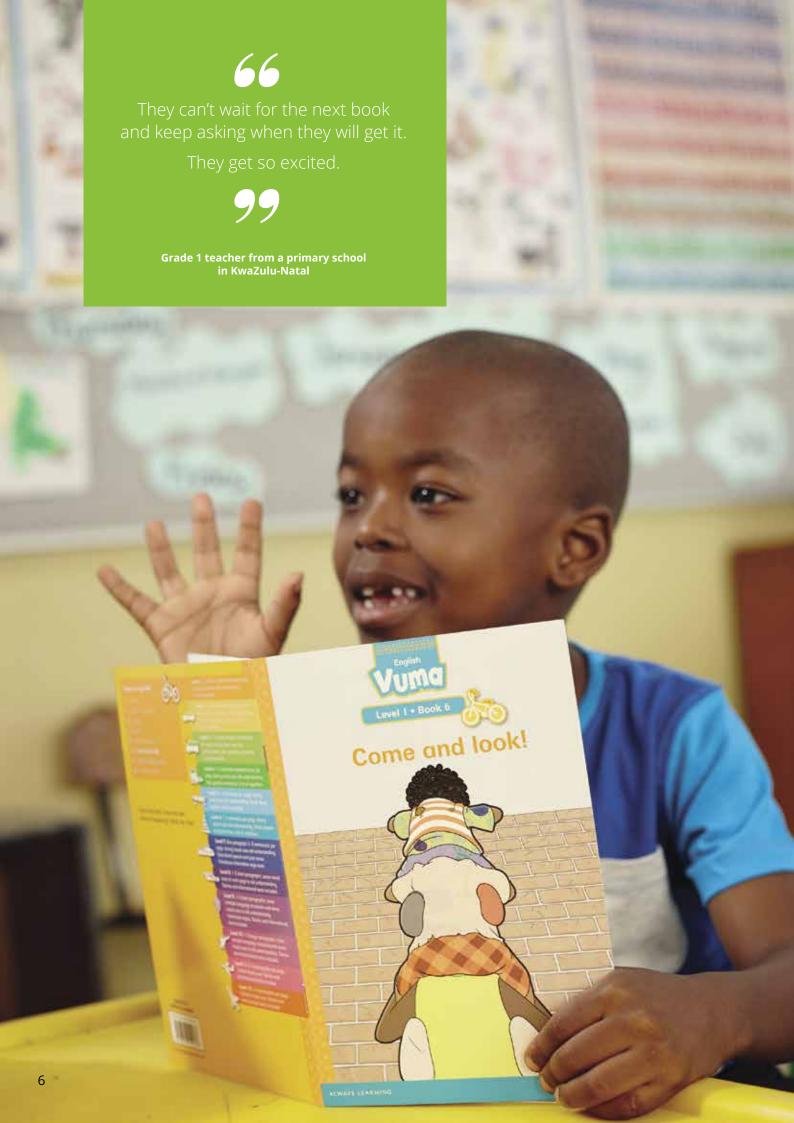


We look forward to working with Pearson to adapt their unparalleled global education expertise, content and services to meet the needs of South African learners, teachers, education departments and schools.

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Marang Denalane, Sphere director and Pearson SA board member







Vuma is a carefully levelled, South African reading instruction programme that will inspire a love of reading from an early age. The programme will enable teachers to assess, monitor and support reading and comprehension progress easily and effectively.

The Vuma Reading Instruction Programme has a number of different resources that work together to offer a comprehensive reading solution and is available in the following languages:











English FAL

**Vuma levels** 

The number of readers at each level gives learners enough practice to consolidate what they have learnt before moving to the next level.

Each story has been planned and written in the language in which it is published so that the natural patterns and rich expression inherent in each language is captured.



Level 1: 1 word or 2-word phrases per page; strong visual cues aid understanding. Lots of repetition.



Level 2: 1-2 phrases/short sentences per page; strong visual cues aid understanding. Introduces question sentence structure. Lots of repetition.



Level 3: 1-2 longer phrases or sentences per page; strong visual cues aid understanding. Has question sentences. Lots of repetition.



Level 4: 1-2 varied phrases/sentences per page; strong visual cues aid understanding. Has question sentences. Lots of repetition.



sual cues aid understanding. Some direct speech. Lots of repetition.



Level 6: 1-4 sentences per page; strong visual cues aid understanding. Direct speech and past tense. Lots of repetition.

Levels 1 to 4: Suitable for Grade 1 Levels 5 to 8: Suitable for Grade 2



Level 7: One paragraph (1-5 sentences) per page; strong visual cues aid understanding. Uses direct speech and past tense. Introduces information-style texts.



Level 8: 1-2 short paragraphs; some visual cues on each page to aid understanding. Stories and informational texts included.



Level 9: 1-2 short paragraphs; more complex language structures and some visual cues to aid understanding. Varied text styles. Stories and informational texts included.



Level 10: 1-2 longer paragraphs; more complex language structures and some visual cues to aid understanding. Stories and informational texts included.



Level 11: 2–3 paragraphs per page. Limited visual cues. Stories and informational texts included.



Level 12: 2–4 paragraphs per page. Limited visual cues. Stories and informational texts included.

Levels 9 to 12: Suitable for Grade 3

# **Core resources**

## **Readers and Big Books**

- Readers are carefully levelled according to a detailed gradient.
- Real stories introduce controlled vocabulary while still following natural language patterns that are familiar to children.
- All readers are available in Big Book format for use during Shared Reading.
- Additional pre- and post-questions on the back cover encourage engagement and reading comprehension.





Sample pages taken from *Vuma* English First Additional Language Reader, *Our Party*.



### Workbooks

• Engaging practice material for every story helps strengthen reading skills.

### **Teacher's Guide**

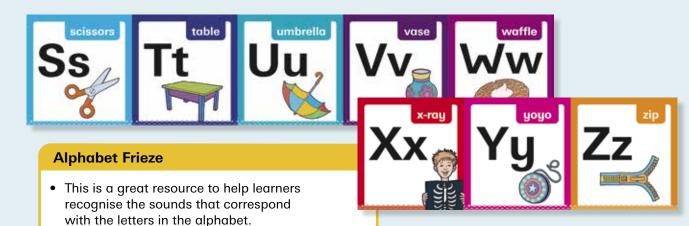
A user-friendly reference that covers what you need to know, including:

- · how to teach reading
- how to manage your reading programme in the CAPS environment
- planning and assessment tools
- tips, additional ideas and resources to enhance your reading lessons.



Reading Instruction Programme Teacher's Guide

# **Additional resources**



# Tension Series DVD

### **Instructional DVD**

 Practical demonstrations of effective reading instruction, assessment and classroom management in real South African classrooms.

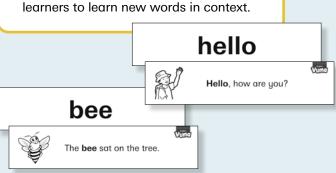
### **Audio stories**

 Narrated by professional South African storytellers, the Vuma Audio CDs include all the stories within a level. This resource has been developed to help with pronunciation and intonation.



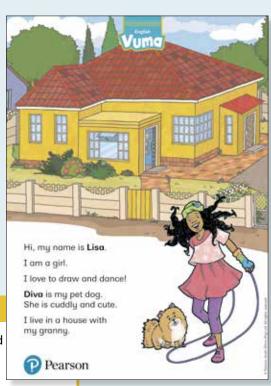
### **Context Cards**

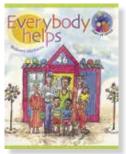
Durable, double-sided flash cards allow learners to learn new words in context.

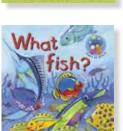


### **Posters**

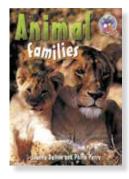
 A set of 11 full-colour posters introduces the characters and their homes. Children can learn about, and relate to the diverse South African characters and home environments in a fun way.











# **Stars of Africa**



This is an exciting reading series for learners from Grade R to Grade 7, which will expand their knowledge and increase their reading pleasure.

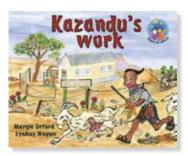
Course components include Story Books, Information Books, a Dictionary Activity Book and Teacher's Guides. The series is available in English and isiXhosa.

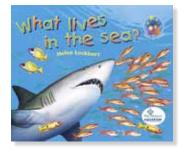
### Learner material

- Story Books: These books are beautifully illustrated and set in urban and rural environments in countries all over Africa to appeal to every child.
- Information Books: These books introduce concepts, as well as content from all learning areas, and are illustrated in full colour to stimulate reading and learning.
- A personal Dictionary Activity Book allows learners to compile their own word lists for each letter of the alphabet.
- The Classroom Library offers multiple sets of the readers and copies of the Big Book versions of the readers.

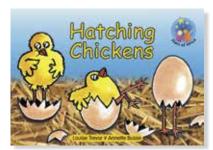
# **Teacher support**

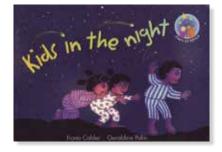
- The Teacher's Guides show teachers how to use the Stars of Africa readers to cover all the requirements for English First Additional Language.
- They also provide guidelines on teaching English and assessment activities.
- The guides have been prepared in the form of a file, which enables teachers to extract photocopiable learner's worksheets with ease.











# The Story Books and Information Books

Each reader belongs to one of three themes:

- **Me and my place:** The trials and triumphs of growing up, going to school and family life.
- **Numbers and wonders the natural world:** Our world, how things work, animals and the environment.
- **Words and wings:** The power of language, rhythm, rhyme, storytelling myths and legends.

The readers are graded into four levels to help learners acquire language and concepts gradually:

- Starting for Grades R and 1
- Practising for Grades 2 and 3
- Improving for Grades 4 and 5
- Independence for Grades 6 and 7

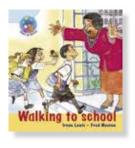
### Readers for all levels

- Letters to Madiba
- What's love in your language?

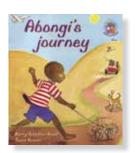
See the price list for the full range for Grades R to 3.

### Teacher's resource material

- Reading in the Primary School
- · Grades R and 1 Teacher's Guide
- Grades 2 and 3 Teacher's Guide
- My Dictionary Activity Book





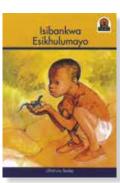






# Eleven Yellow Jerseys





# **Junior African Writers Series**

High-quality supplementary readers, *Junior African Writers Series (JAWS) Starters* are beautiful, simple, interesting stories that aim to encourage children to read for pleasure.

Carefully controlled language makes reading easy. Activities are also included.

The Junior African Writers Series is also available in isiXhosa and isiZulu.

### **Level 1 Starters**

- Suitable for Grade 1 children who have just begun to read on their own.
- Vocabulary and grammar are simple.
- The pictures tell the stories.

### **Level 2 Starters**

- Aimed at Grade 2 learners, these readers include more difficult words and varied grammar.
- Direct speech is introduced.
- The pictures give a clear idea of the story.

### **Level 3 Starters**

- These books suit readers at about Grade 3 level.
- The vocabulary used is wider and the grammar is more complicated.
- The pictures illustrate rather than tell the story.



Lindiwe sees a taxi in the road. 'Stop! Stop!' she shouts.

'There is a jersey on your roof!'



'Ouch!' says Ben. He is pulling two jerseys off a cactus bush.

Junior African Writers Series Level 2 Starter: Eleven Yellow Jerseys

# Kagiso Readers

A colourful and beautifully illustrated, graded reading scheme for the Foundation Phase. The *Kagiso Readers* series can be used to support reading skills and as a complete literacy learning programme. It enables learners to develop literacy skills incrementally and with confidence.

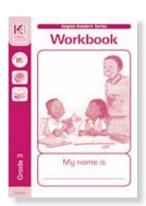
Each reader uses the vocabulary that was used in the previous book in the series and adds a few new words. The series integrates reading with other aspects of language, thus developing listening, speaking, writing, thinking and reasoning skills, as well as structure and usage.

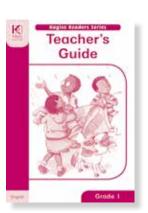
Kagiso Readers series is available in all South African languages.

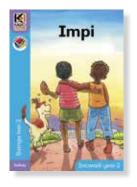
- **CAPS-approved:** English Home Language, Afrikaans First Additional Language, Sesotho Home Language and IsiZulu Home Language.
- CAPS-aligned: IsiNdebele, IsiXhosa, Sepedi, Setswana, Siswati, Tshivenda and Xitsonga.

### Components of Kagiso Readers series:

- Readers are beautifully illustrated and the stories present a range of situations and contexts authentically.
- **Big Books** enable shared reading and can be used to facilitate group reading in the classroom.
- **Reader Workbooks** include activities to give learners further reading practice to ensure that they develop essential reading skills.
- Teacher's Guides provide guidelines for activities, highlights learning outcomes and assessment standards for each activity and provides suggestions for continuous assessment.











# Smart-Kids/Slimkoppe



Children love learning with *Smart-Kids* and *Slimkoppe*. The Grades R–3 range includes Workbooks, Skills Books, Practice Test Books and Readers.

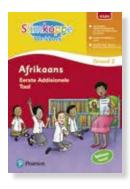
- The series is written by experienced South African teachers.
- All the books feature fun activities that develop key skills and reinforce what is being taught
  in the classroom.
- The series is aligned to the current South African curriculum, and is available for English and Afrikaans Home Language, as well as English and Afrikaans First Additional Language.

# **Language Workbooks**

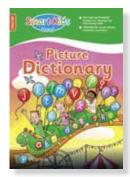






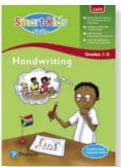


# **Dictionaries**



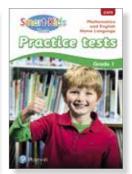














# **Smart-Kids Read** (Also available as eBooks)











Online support and activities available on: **smart-kids.pearson.com** 

# **Letterland** - Child-friendly phonics

**Letterland** has a complete range of products to take children from the very first stages of learning to full literacy. It is fast, fun and highly effective!

- **Letterland** is a phonics-based approach to teaching reading, writing and spelling. The **Letterland** characters transform plain black letters into child-friendly pictograms.
- Simple stories about the *Letterland* characters encourage children to listen, think and learn. Children progress quickly to word building, reading and writing.

# ABC (Book and Audio CD)

This best-selling book is a perfect introduction to the *Letterland* characters. Children will enjoy the 26 beautifully illustrated scenes and accompanying stories. It is ideal for promoting phonemic awareness, developing vocabulary and teaching listening skills.

# Living ABC Software

In this award-winning software the A-Z characters explain themselves and their sounds. It includes an animated alphabet song, handwriting song, character story and interactive scene for every letter. There are also assessed activities for letter shapes, letter sounds and regular word building.

# **Story Phonics Software**

Use this exciting *Letterland* software to listen to the sounds, build words on screen, blend and segment words, and share animated versions of the stories that explain all the key spelling patterns.

# **Early Years Handbook**

This book is packed with over 200 phonics activities, teaching ideas and discussion topics. Each double page introduces the letter sound, letter shape and handwriting stroke with help from the *Letterland* characters.

### **Letterland Stories**

A selection of *Letterland Stories* designed for Guided and Shared Reading.









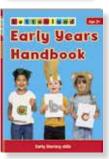
To view the full range, visit www.letterland.co.za







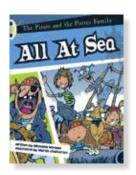


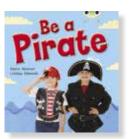




**Also available:** *Letterland* CAPS-approved Packs for the Foundation Phase. For more info refer to the Grades 1–3 CAPS-approved Catalogue.











# **Bug Club**





**Bug Club** is a whole-school reading programme that hooks children into a lifelong love of reading through stunning books and an incredible online reading world, that is filled to the brim with characters who are sure to become kids' favourites.

Combining rigorous pedagogy with fantastic design and cutting-edge technology, it's a fresh and modern take on traditional English reading programmes.

# Why choose Bug Club?

- Offers print Books and eBooks
- Finely levelled by book band
- Matched to reading recovery levels
- Matched to phonic phases
- Includes variety of genres fiction, non-fiction, comics, plays

- Audio narrations of eBooks
- Ideal for independent reading
- Teacher resources whiteboard activities, interactive games, activity sheets, lesson plans, assessment tools, guided reading tools

There are over 500 *Bug Club* books and eBooks and more than 100 Phonics Bug decodable books and eBooks.



**New from Pearson Global Schools:** *Science Bug* – a new and exciting hands-on science programme designed for today's curious kids. For more information about *Science Bug, Bug Club* and *Rapid,* visit **www.pearsonglobalschools.com** 



# The Rapid Family



The complete reading, writing and maths solution that is perfect for English Language learners.

# What the Rapid Family offers:

- Motivating and engaging texts, games and assessments to build confidence.
- Age-appropriate resources for 7–11-year-olds with fun characters and cool illustrations that make learning easy.
- Scaffolded success through gradual, spiral progression and strong assessments.
- Ground-breaking software that gives children that all-important repeated practice they need to make progress.



Age-appropriate readers that are perfect for encouraging reading fluency and comprehension.

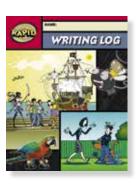
# **Rapid Writing**

Books and practice software to scaffold children's writing and build confidence.

# **Rapid Phonics**

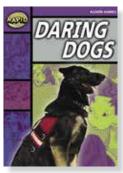
100% decodable readers and fantastic software for fun phonics lessons.





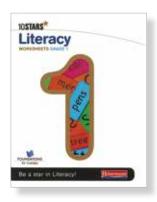


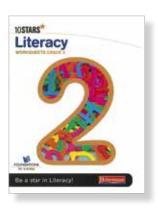


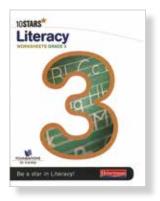












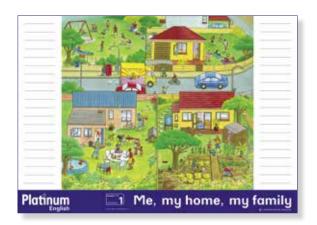
# 10Stars

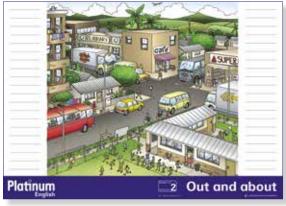
**10Stars** Literacy is a series of workbooks that reinforces reading, writing and phonics skills in a fun approach to English.

- They have been written by experienced South African teachers.
- The books contain entertaining worksheets that reinforce important English concepts.
- Each worksheet takes no longer than 20 minutes to complete.
- Clearly structured fun activities make independent practice stress-free for teachers and parents.
- Answers at the back of each book help teachers and parents to assess learners' work, and track their progress.
- These books are ideal for use in the classroom and at home.

# **Platinum English Wallcharts Grades 1-3**

There are 12 attractive, large-format colour posters that are laminated so they can be written on.





# **Platinum Mathematics Wallcharts Grades 1–3**

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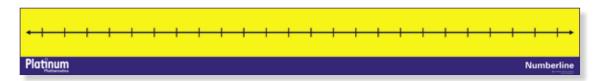


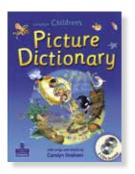




# **Platinum Mathematics Numberline**

The large write-and-wipe Numberline allows the teacher and learners to work with numberlines in an interactive way during whole-class and group activities.



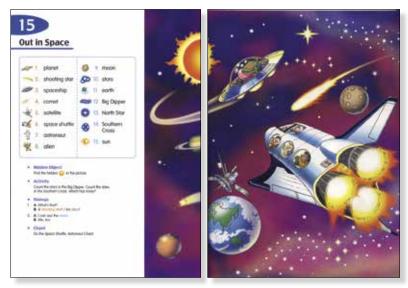


# Longman Children's Picture Dictionary

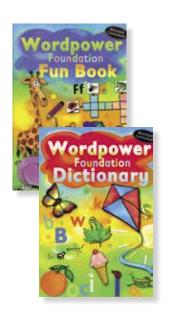




The *Longman Children's Picture Dictionary* presents words in a variety of richly illustrated and photographed topics. The dictionary is designed to appeal to young learners and can be used at home or in class. Each of the topics comes with a song or chant that is included on the two CDs.

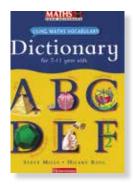


Longman Children's Picture Dictionary



# **Wordpower Foundation Dictionary**

- In this dictionary, suitable for Foundation Phase learners, pictures, definitions and sentences are combined to establish the meaning of words and develop visual literacy.
- The content is based on extensive research into language needs and vocabulary acquisition in southern Africa, and the language level and style of presentation match learners' developing language skills.
- Essential dictionary skills are practised throughout.
- The **Wordpower Foundation Fun Book** is also available.



# **Using Maths Vocabulary Dictionary**

This is a child-friendly dictionary to help develop the range of vocabulary needed for success in Mathematics.

# 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.





A sample page from My eerste Hat

# 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*.



- 300 prettige volkleur-illustrasies
- 300 dink-en-doenaktiwiteite
- · Wenke vir ouers en onderwysers
- Stimuleer taalontwikkeling

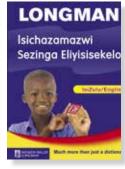




# **Foundation Phase Bilingual Dictionaries**

These dictionaries combine traditional picture dictionaries and alphabetical dictionaries. Learners get two dictionaries in one!

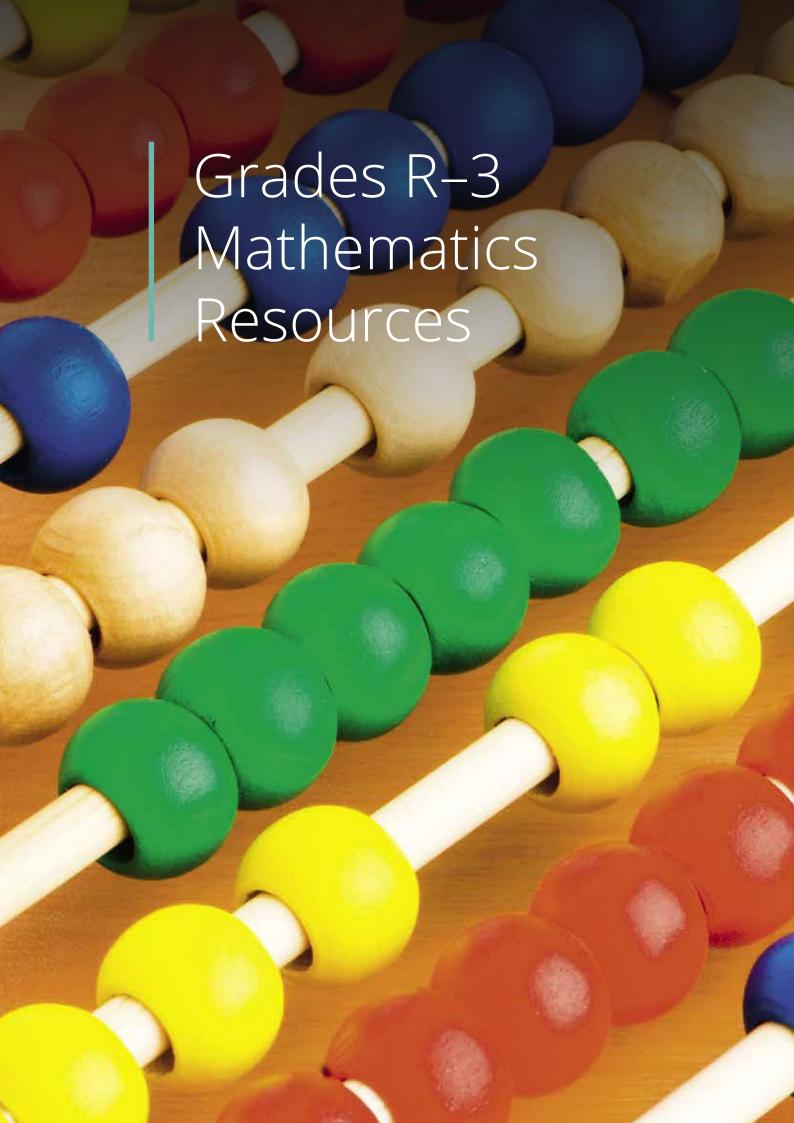












# Platinum Instamaths



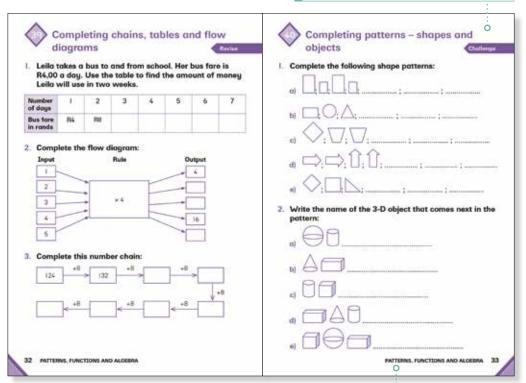
**Platinum Instamaths** is a solution for teachers who want their learners to have a clear and confident understanding of Mathematics. The workbooks feature essential Mathematics exercises that promote and consolidate problem-solving skills for learners.

- It contains fully CAPS-aligned exercises to practise the key Mathematics skills.
- Serving as a resource for teachers and learners, it is a fun and easy way for learners to do revision.
- All the answers are provided as a pull-out section in the middle of the book.
- It is available in English and Afrikaans for Grades 3–7.





Tabs to identify the challenge, revision and free online exercises



Platinum Instamaths Grade 3 Workbook

Exercises can be linked to content areas outlined in CAPS



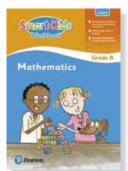
# Smart-Kids/Slimkoppe

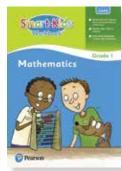


Children love learning with *Smart-Kids* and *Slimkoppe*. The Grades R–3 range includes Workbooks, Skills Books and Practice Test Books.

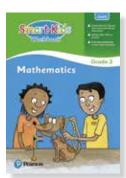
- The series is written by experienced South African teachers.
- All the books feature fun activities that develop key skills and reinforce what is being taught in the classroom.
- The series is aligned to the current South African curriculum, and is available for Mathematics in English, and Afrikaans.

### **Mathematics Workbooks**









## **Mathematics Skills Books**







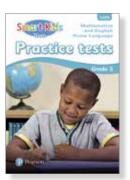




# **Mathematics Test Books**









Online support and activities available on: **smart-kids.pearson.com** 

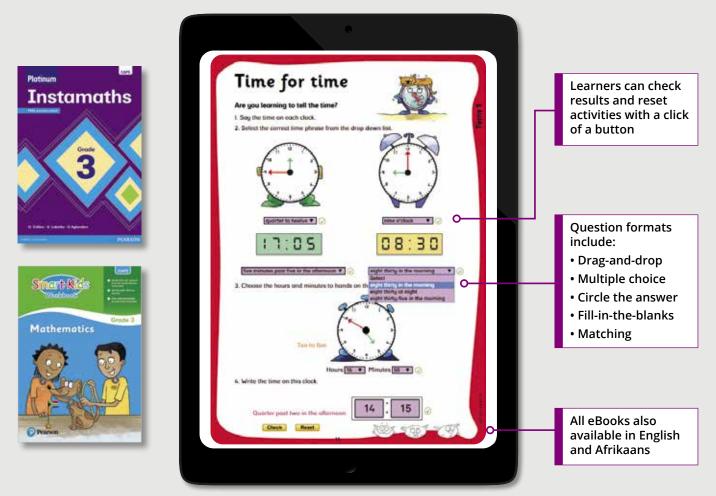
# Approach Primary School Maths from a fresh angle

# Interactive Mathematics eBooks for Grades 1-7

To help learners develop a clear and confident understanding of Mathematics, we've adapted a selection of our favourite Maths resources into interactive eBooks.

This means that your learners are now able to:

- work out and answer questions directly into their eBooks
- get immediate feedback while completing an activity
- complete CAPS-compliant Maths activities on a desktop computer, notebook or tablet.









Make the smart choice for a brilliant future!



# Smart-Kids makes learning to study fun

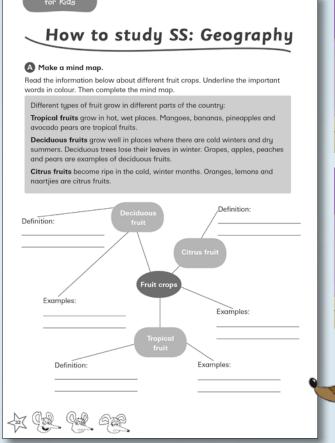
Brand new!

**Smart-Kids Study Skills**, written by specialists, helps learners practise essential studying skills and lead them to academic independence. This handy guide also helps parents support their child through the changes from Foundation Phase to Grade 4.

# Smart-Kids Study Skills include sections for all

Grade 4 subjects and helps learners to:

- ★ Learn how to take notes, make summaries and mindmaps and revise
- Get exam fit with fun activities and sample questions
- Acquire good study habits and homework tips
- Manage time for homework and exams
- ★ Understand roles and responsibilities for homework and projects

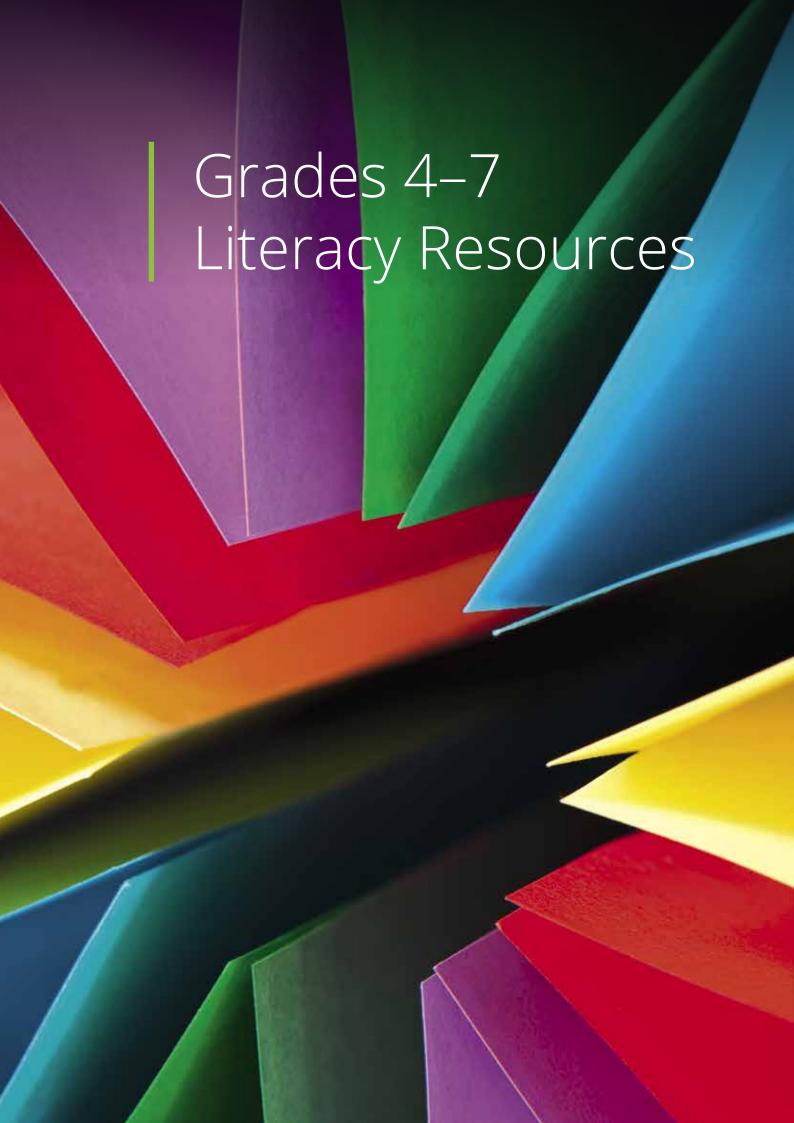


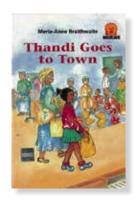














# **Junior African Writers Series**

High-quality supplementary readers, the *Junior African Writers Series (JAWS)* are beautiful, simple, interesting stories that aim to encourage children to read for pleasure. The series consists of four levels:

### Level 1

- Suited to readers who have been studying English for three to four years.
- Sentences are short and easy to understand.
- Stories are illustrated to make them easier to follow.

### Level 2

- Suited to readers who have been studying English for four to five years.
- Short sentences and a large number of illustrations combine to make these books both enjoyable and easy to read, either alone or in school.

### Level 3

- Suitable for readers who have been studying English for five to six years.
- All the stories are illustrated and divided into chapters, using slightly more complex sentences and language.
- Level 3 will offer more of a challenge for learners, but will remain a
  pleasure to read.

### Level 4

- Offers more advanced reading for learners.
- More difficult sentence structures and vocabulary will stretch readers' knowledge of English.

# **Rimpelstories**

**Rimpelstories** is 'n opwindende leesreeks wat poog om jong lesers die genot van lees te laat ontdek en hul visuele geletterdheid te ontwikkel deur boeiende tekste wat ryklik geillustreer is.

- Rimpelstories bestaan uit 88 aantreklik geïllustreerde storie- en feiteboekies.
- Die leesboeke vir elke graad is in verskillende vlakke ingedeel om voorsiening te maak vir lesers met verskillende vlakke van leesvaardigheid.







# Stars of Africa



This is an exciting reading series for learners from Grade R to Grade 7, which will expand their knowledge and increase their reading pleasure.

Course components include Story Books, Information Books, a Dictionary Activity Book and Teacher's Guides.

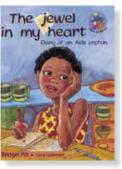
The series is available in English and isiXhosa.

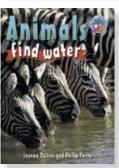
### Learner material

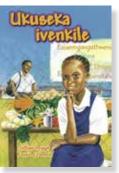
- **Story Books:** These books are beautifully illustrated and set in urban and rural environments in countries all over Africa to appeal to every child.
- **Information Books:** These books introduce concepts, as well as content from all learning areas, and are illustrated in full colour to stimulate reading and learning.
- A personal **Dictionary Activity Book** allows learners to compile their own word lists for each letter of the alphabet.
- The **Classroom Library** offers multiple sets of the readers.

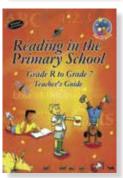
# **Teacher support**

- The Teacher's Guides show teachers how to use the Stars of Africa readers to cover all the requirements for English First Additional Language.
- They also provide guidelines on teaching English and assessment activities.
- The guides have been prepared in the form of a file, which enables teachers to extract photocopiable learner's worksheets with ease.









# **Maskew Miller Longman Novels**

The *Maskew Miller Longman* Literature Awards was launched as our commitment to develop quality literature in all official languages for young readers and encourage a love of reading in a learner's mother tongue. These award-winning novels are guaranteed to get children reading. *Maskew Miller Longman* Novels have quality writing by talented authors, accompanied by stimulating illustrations and activities.



### **Bongani's Secret**

Gail Smith

Bongani is a smart, funny, loveable young teenager who is struggling to manage his tricky life. Someone in his class discovered his secret and Bongani must find him and silence him.

— English



### **Three Blind Dates**

Pamela Newham

Jamie and Alisha have to make someone's dream come true, but every time they think they have found the perfect man for Aunty Mel, things turn out most unexpectedly as they embark on a hilarious, dramatic adventure.

English



# The Night of the Go-away birds

Bridget Pitt

Honesty is devastated when her father is shot by poachers. One night after the shooting, she wakes to find that the beaded rhino her dad got her has turned into a lifesized spirit rhino. Together they travel to her dad's game reserve to ask the animals to help save his life.

— English

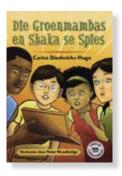


### **The Magic Bat**

Clare Houston

Mickey cannot afford a new bat and reluctantly buys one from a charity shop. The shop owner suggests that the initials 'JK' on the bat mean that the bat belonged to Jacques Kallis. Mickey finds that he plays extraordinarily well with this bat and begins to believe that it is a 'magic' bat.

English



### Die Groenmambas en Shaka se spies

Carina Diedericks-Hugo

Zuki, Alisha, Xavier en Inge is in Graad 7 en hulle was nog altyd goeie maats. Die vier beland gedurig in die middel van die een of ander avontuur. Dis dié dat hulle besluit het om hulself die Groenmambas te noem. Op 'n skooltoer beland die Mambas weer onverwags midde-in 'n avontuur.

— Afrikaans



# 'n Bosluis red die koningshuis

Jelleke Wierenga

Die koning word deur sy geliefde koningin verlaat omdat hy so outyds is. Vir 43 dae lank sit en treur die koning sonder om te was of te skeer of met 'n dooie siel te praat. En toe ontmoet hy vir Pluis die Bosluis.

— Afrikaans



# Mensekind teen monstervlieg

Jelleke Wierenga

'n Donker gedaante klim uit die stomp. Hy is nog donkerder as die donker nag. Sy oë bult weerskante van sy kop uit. Swart dorings en penne steek orals uit sy lyf en pote. Ursula krimp ineen van vrees. Sy wil weghardloop ... hardloop en hardloop en nooit terugkom nie! Maar sy móét, sy móét die Monstervlieg keer.

— Afrikaans



# Helde en boewe in die wilde weste

Alwyn Tredoux

Cor maak op 'n ongaangename manier kennis met 'n spul boewe in die dorpie Grafhout. Nadat hulle die bank beroof het, vlug hulle die woestyn in met al Grafhout se goud. Sal die Sheriff en sy manne dit regkry om die spul boewe vas te trek, of maak Cor self 'n plan?

— Afrikaans

### **GRADES 4–7 LITERACY RESOURCES**



### Unvanelizwe

Sivuyile Mazantsi

This fun story will absorb young readers, making it easy for them to engage with the moral and social values it addresses. "This is a fantastic story, simply told," – Sindiwe Magona. — *IsiXhosa* 



### Icebo Likamalusi

Sipho Richard Kekezwa

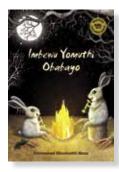
Malusi has to walk to school and he faces bullies like Slexe who pickpocket him. Malusi designs a plan to protect his money. Slexe could not find Malusi's money and that was only part of the plan. — *IsiXhosa* 



### Saphela isizungu kuZingi

Zukiswa Pakama

Zingisa suffers from severe eczema. One day she was alone at home and saw a stray dog. The dog became more than a friend to her, he helped her heal and ended her lonely days. — *IsiXhosa* 



### Imbewu Yomuthi Obabayo

Emmanuel Nkosinathi Nazo

A hungry hyena wants to eat a cunning baby rabbit. The rabbit plays a trick on the hyena. Will the hungry hyena fall for the rabbit's trick and what will his fate be? — *IsiZulu* 



### **Kgethang Nna**

Norman Mahlanya

This enthralling allegory illustrates the value of cooperation, democracy and good leadership. The brain, president of the body, decides to enlist the help of other parts of the body, and conflict follows, as the various parts are fighting for the 'better job'. — **Sepedi** 



### La fata ga le boe fela

Mabonchi Goodwill Motimele

Kholofelo is a talented goal-keeper. His mother died when he was a baby and all he knows about his father is that he was a good goalkeeper. He searches all over for his father and ends up living on the streets but then a coach sees him playing and his world changes. — **Sepedi** 



### Setulo saka, bo phelo bja ka

Maledimo Winfred Moeng

This story is about a boy who was born with a disability and instead of attending a special school, he went to a mainstream school. Due to his good performance, other schools were encouraged to register children with disabilities. — **Sepedi** 



### Ngwana sejo o a tlhakanelwa

Thatayaone Raymond Dire

Tshidiso is a 9 year old boy who has lost interest in school. Mrs Tabane, a caring teacher, consults with Tshidiso's grandmother. Together, they work out a plan to get Tshidiso interested in school again.

— Setswana



# Senakangwedi - Mohale wa dibopuwa

Bongiwe Siphesihle Buthelezi Senakangwedi brings peace between Queen Mapula of the

Sky and the animals of King Lion of the Earth. She became angry when she thought that King Lion refused to give her a beautiful flower that she loved. — **Sesotho** 



### Mveledzo na zwighevhenga

Tshifhiwa Given Mukwevho

Mveledzo witnesses a robbery. She captured the incident with her cell phone. The robbers spotted her and chased her. She had a narrow escape and went to the police. She became a young hero. — *Tshivenda* 



### **Xixima**

Masocha Conny Lubisi

Masana is an intelligent learner and is promoted to Grade 5 earlier than he should be. His father, a teacher, does not agree. He is not in favour of children skipping grades. He refuses that Masana proceeds to Grade 5. — *Xitsonga* 



### **Lembe Lerintshwa**

Conny Lubisi

Tsakani feels she missed out at last year's New Year's celebrations, so she starts preparing and saving. In the end she manages to celebrate her year end in a very special way. — *Xitsonga* 

# **Penguin Readers**





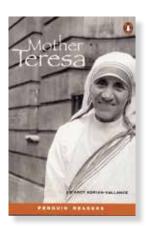


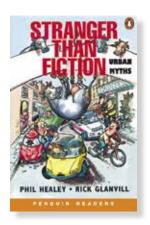
**Penguin Readers** are designed to provide an enjoyable, challenging and enriching language learning experience for children of all ages.

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- The language, vocabulary, style and content of every book is carefully graded to make sure it suits the learner's own language ability.
- Furthermore, the carefully controlled vocabulary makes the series highly suitable for learners with reading difficulties.
- Flexible in nature, can be used in the classroom and at home.
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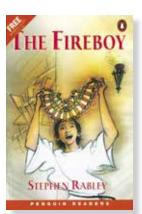












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# **Bug Club**







**Bug Club** is a whole-school reading programme that hooks children into a lifelong love of reading through stunning books and an incredible online reading world that is filled to the brim with characters who are sure to become kids' favourites.

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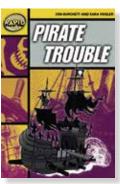
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# **Smart-Kids** Language



**Smart-Kids** Language Books are specially written by experienced South African teachers who know exactly what Grade 4 to 7 learners love to read and write about, and where they need extra language practice. All books include notes, tips and answers.

### Workbooks

- Support the latest South African curriculum and the work being done in the classroom.
- · Packed with colourful activities to practise core skills.
- · Humorous and colourful illustrations create a sense of fun while learning.

### **Skills Books**

- Develop key skills from the South African English and Afrikaans Home Language curriculum.
- Highlights the skill or concept being practised on each page so you can easily see the focus of an activity.

## **Practice Tests**

- Include six tests and answers to these tests.
- · Help learners prepare for tests and exams.
- Can be used to assess progress and diagnose problem areas.

Main skill is clearly identified on each page

Sassy sentences

Smart-Kids Grade 6

Grammar and spelling



Practical layout provides

## Reading Journal

Suitable for Grades 5–9, the *Reading Journal* allows learners to record all the different types of reading they do, as well as their responses to their reading. *Reading Journal* provides the following:

- · Guidance on simple book reports.
- Notes on plot, setting and character.
- Guidance on library classification systems.
- Activities and notes on a wide range of different types of texts.
- Practice in skimming, scanning, reading for detail and understanding visual texts.



# **Writing Journal**

This resource book provides guidelines on how to write a wide range of text types, for example, personal and business letters, poetry, stories, advertisements, forms, dialogues and reports. It offers learners the following:

- · Thorough practice in different types of writing.
- · Notes and activities to help learners plan, draft and revise their writing.
- An editing checklist to help learners correct their writing.
- Many interesting and varied creative writing activities.
- Writing frameworks to support and guide learners in their writing.



#### 10Stars

**10Stars** is a series of workbooks that offer comprehensive, independent English support.

- It uses everyday objects and events that are relevant in learners' lives.
- 10Stars contain entertaining worksheets that reinforce important English concepts.
- Each worksheet takes no longer than 20 minutes to complete.
- Fun, clearly structured activities make independent practice stress-free for teachers and parents.
- Answers at the back of each book help teachers and parents to assess learners' work and track their progress.







# Longman South African School Dictionary





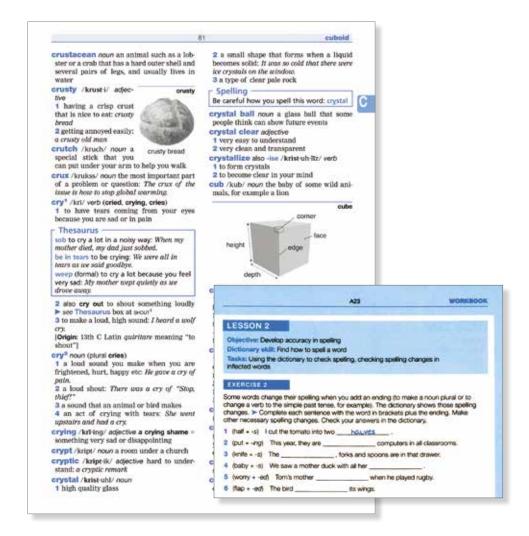
This is the first *Longman* dictionary written specifically for the South African curriculum. It will help learners understand all the vocabulary they need for school and help to improve their grammar. The dictionary comes with an interactive CD.

#### **Dictionary features**

- Contains over 40 000 words, phrases and examples.
- Easy-to-understand definitions have been written using just 2 000 common words.
- Thesaurus boxes and Synonyms and Antonyms help learners expand their vocabulary.
- 300 illustrations and photos help learners understand the meanings of words.
- A wealth of South African words, e.g. *boerewors*, *bonsella*, *indaba*, are included.

#### The Interactive CD

- · Contains the full contents of the dictionary.
- Activities and word games give learners extra skills practice.
- · Video clips and photos help learners understand difficult concepts.



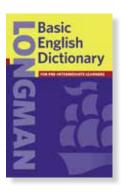
## Longman Francolin Illustrated School Dictionary

It includes 500 entries and 5 000 example suggestions of each word in context, it uses colloquial South African English, and has illustrations for easy reference.



# 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 practise vocabulary is available. It includes 12 000 words, phrases and illustrations, including full-colour topic pages.



## Longman Mini English Dictionary

The Longman Mini English Dictionary is published in a small and handy format that is easily transportable, while still containing all the important features. The dictionary contains up-to-date vocabulary with easy definitions using only simple, basic words. It includes over 300 fun illustrations and there are thousands of examples of how words are used and exercises for learning how to use a dictionary.



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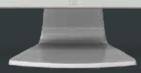
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# HAT Afrikaanse Skoolwoordeboek

Die *HAT Afrikaanse skoolwoordeboek* is onmisbaar in die klas. Dit bied die volgende:

- Duisende woorde en idiome word eenvoudig verklaar en toegelig met natuurlike voorbeeldsinne en illustrasies
- Tesouruskassies help leerders om hul woordeskat uit te brei.
- Nuttige inligting oor spelling en korrekte taalgebruik is ingesluit.
- 'n uitgebreide lys van Afrikaanse afkortings, asook 'n omvattende lys terme wat leerders vir Afrikaans Huistaal and Afrikaans Eerste Addisionele Taal moet ken, is ingesluit.





## HAT Afrikaanse sakwoordeboek

Dit is die *HAT Afrikaanse skoolwoordeboek* in 'n handige sakpasformaat.



## 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. Dit bevat 2 500 algemene gebruikswoorde wat gekies is uit die aanbevole kernwoordeskat vir leerders.

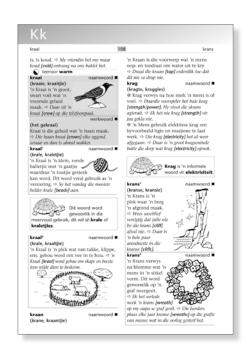
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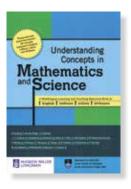






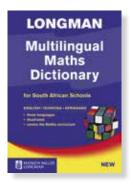
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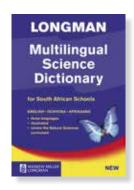
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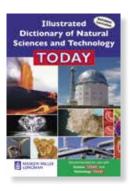
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# Illustrated Dictionary of Science and Technology Today

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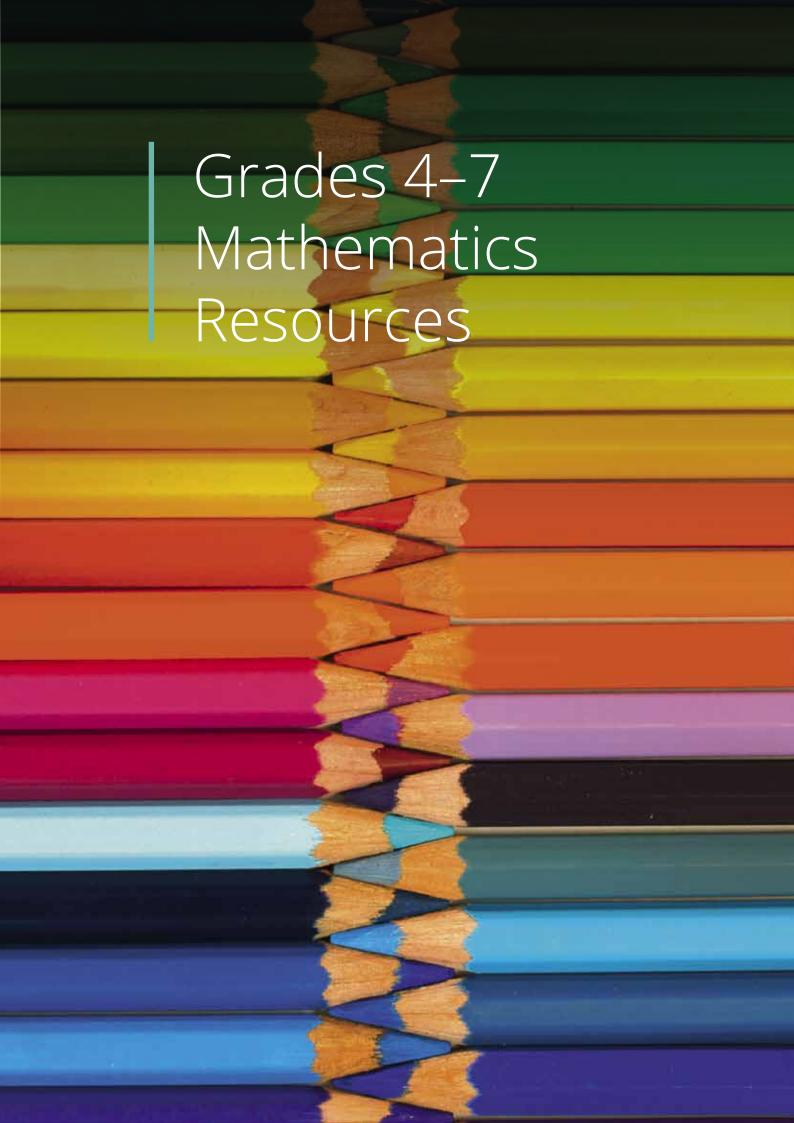




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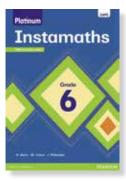


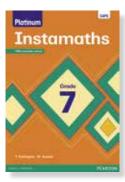
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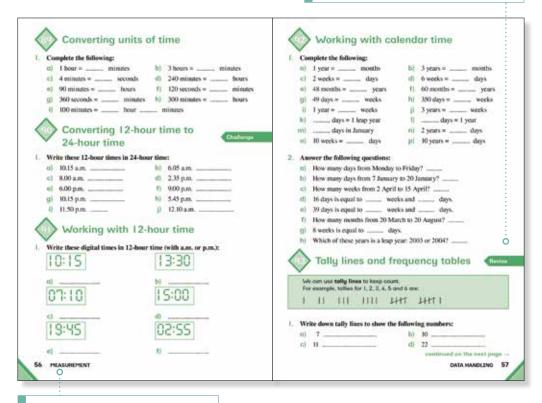




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- It contains fully CAPS-aligned exercises to practise the key Mathematics skills.
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- All the answers are provided as a pull-out section in the middle of the book.
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#### Workbooks

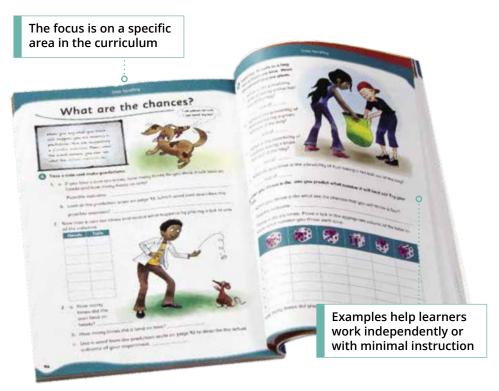
- Support the work being done in the classroom.
- · Activities provide plenty of practice in core mathematical skills.
- · Humorous and colourful illustrations create a sense of fun while learning.

#### **Skills Books**

- Develop key skills to help learners build their mathematics skills while developing a real love of learning.
- Feature the key skill or concept being practised for each activity.

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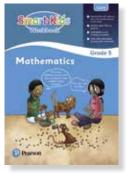
- Include six tests and the answers to these tests.
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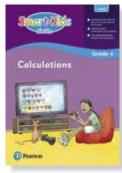
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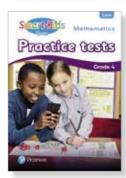




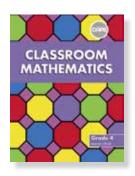


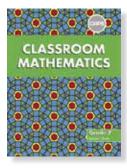






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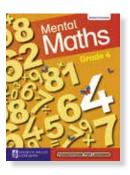


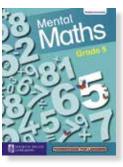


### **Classroom Mathematics**

This CAPS-aligned programme is rich in mathematical theory and at the appropriate cognitive level. It provides clear and detailed, logical explanations.

- The books contain a progression of graded exercises in each chapter to develop and consolidate concepts, and to allow teachers and learners to assess key skills.
- Learners will develop the necessary skills to gain confidence in their abilities, while it also gives a complete set of answers to provide immediate feedback.
- A Teacher's Guide is available.
- Available for Grades 4 to 7.

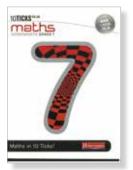




### **Mental Maths**



- The *Mental Maths* series engages learners in 10-minute daily mental maths activities and makes learning fun.
- Weekly units consisting of 32 pages are divided into four terms of work to help the teacher with pace setting for learners.
- Quick mental exercises help learners to constantly practise the necessary Maths facts
- The books provide an explanation and practice of a mental strategy to encourage mathematical thinking.
- Each unit ends with a problem to help learners apply their newly developed mental strategy in context.



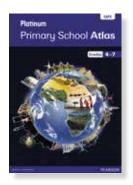
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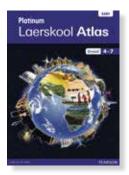
**10Ticks** Maths Workbooks are a valuable resource for teachers, parents and learners by offering comprehensive, independent Maths support for learners at home or in the classroom.

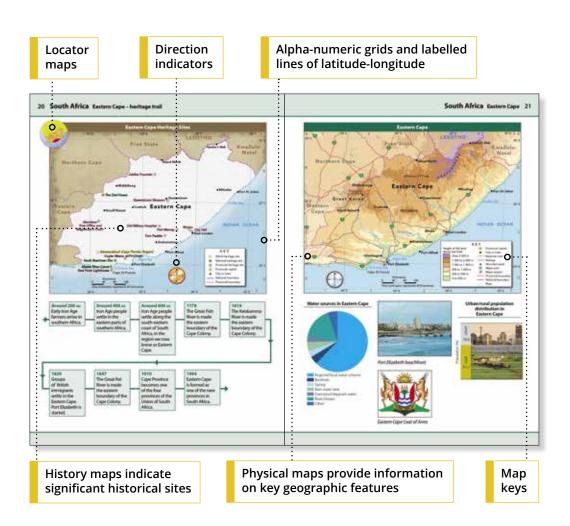
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This vibrant atlas supports the CAPS curriculum and has been developed by subject and education specialists who understand the needs of South African teachers and learners. It offers complete curriculum coverage for Social Sciences from Grades 4 to 7 and contains the following:

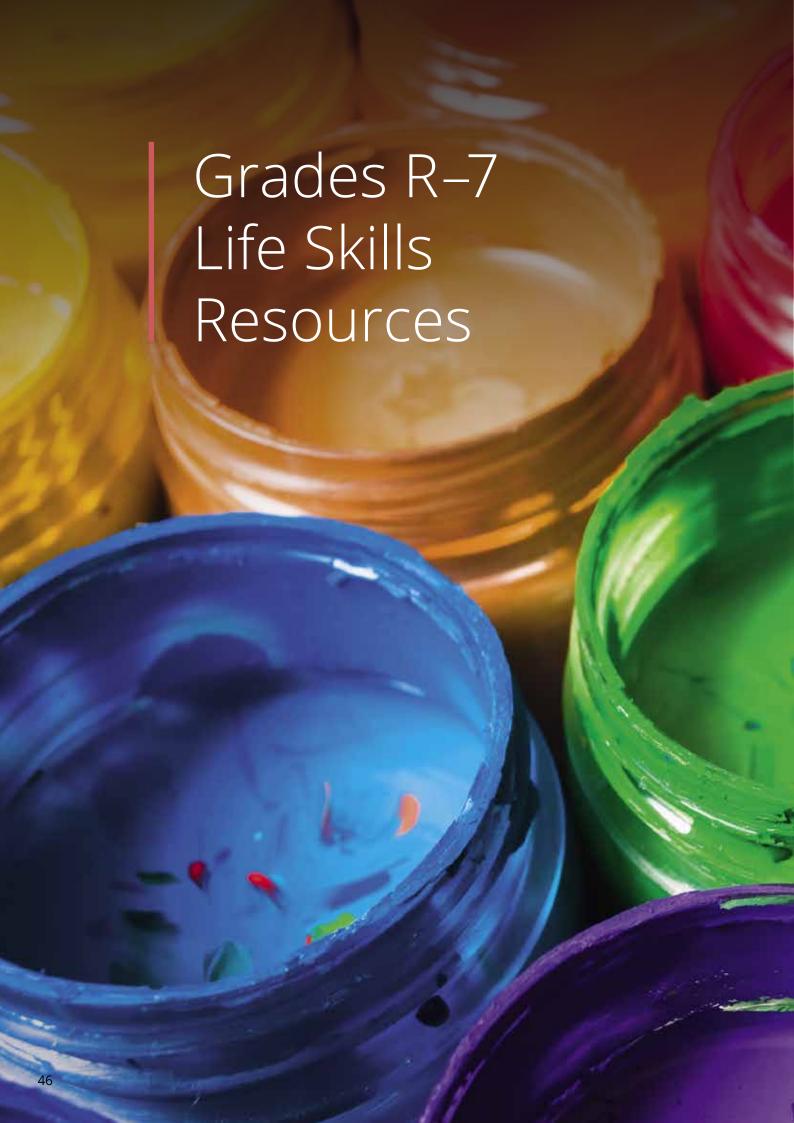
- Up-to-date information, statistics, maps and graphs.
- Key atlas features necessary for the development of mapwork skills.
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- · Locator maps that will help learners develop a geographical context.
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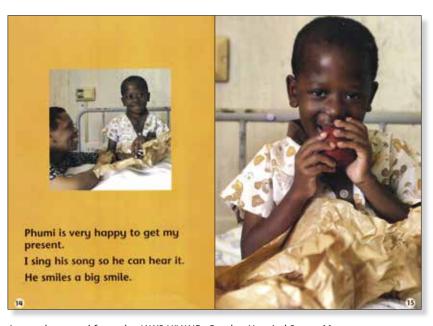
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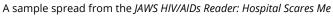


#### **HIV/AIDS and Life Skills resources**

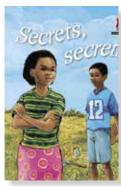
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- These are health and lifestyle readers that focus on HIV and AIDS.
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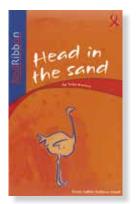
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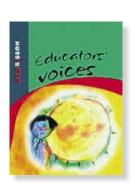
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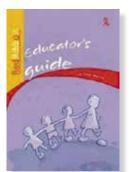
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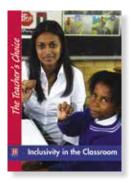
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- · Prevention and how to protect yourself
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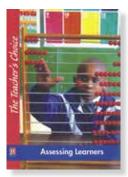
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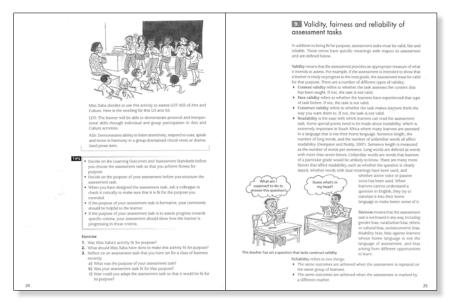






#### The Teacher's Choice

- Each book is a 'how to' guide addressing topics teachers may find difficult.
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- The simple structure, clear design and accessible language make the series easy for teachers to use in any school environment. In addition, the books are short, which is useful for teachers who don't have a lot of time.

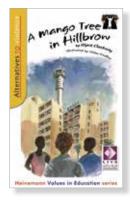


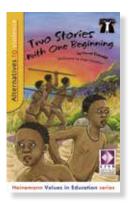
The Teacher's Choice: Assessing Learners

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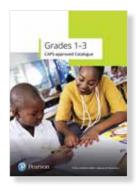
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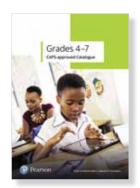
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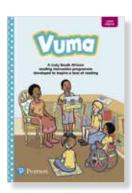
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