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Introducing Vuma

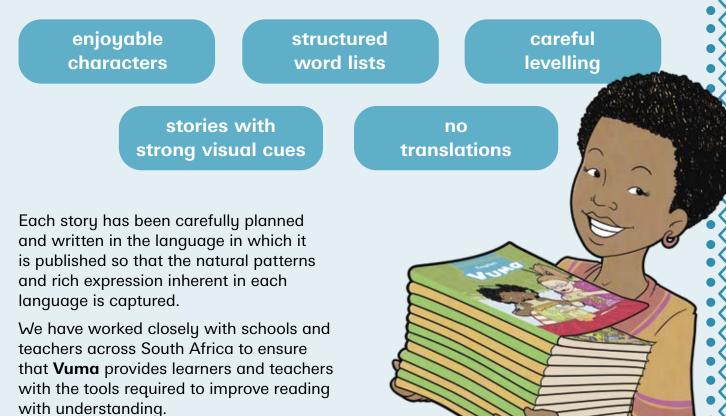
Vuma is a carefully levelled, South African reading instruction programme that will inspire a love of reading from an early age. The programme will enable teachers to assess, monitor and support reading and comprehension progress easily and effectively.



The Vuma programme is available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu and Sepedi Home Languages, as well as English First Additional Language.

Why choose Vuma?

The Vuma Programme features:



Vuma reading levels

The **Vuma** reading instruction programme is divided into twelve reading levels.

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

The increase in complexity from one level to the next is very gradual so that learners are able to experience success and remain motivated to continue reading.

Each level is defined by:

- the number of words or sentences
- the types and complexity of language structures and artwork
- the text features and the predictability of the text.

The levels will help you to match each learner to the correct level to build their vocabulary, grammatical understanding, confidence and enjoyment when reading.

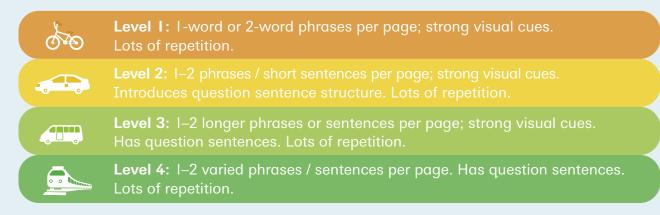
Developing reading strategies

CAPS recommend a variety of reading strategies that learners need to develop through focusing on different aspects of the reading process. These reading strategies are listed in the table below, together with the ways in which they are included in the **Vuma** Reading Instruction Programme.

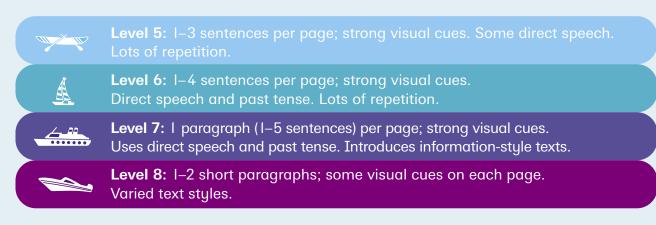
Different aspects of the reading process	Vuma Reading Instruction Programme
Developing learners' phonemic awareness and phonetic knowledge (phonics)	Vuma Workbook activities offer the learners opportunities to develop their phonemic awareness and phonetic knowledge. Where appropriate, activities included in the Group guided reading lessons also offer these opportunities.
Developing a sight vocabulary	New words are introduced in each Vuma Reader and then used again in later readers for reinforcement. The more learners come across a word used in context, the quicker it becomes part of their sight vocabulary. The Context Cards and Workbook activities also help to develop the learners' sight vocabulary.
Reading with understanding (comprehension)	The Readers in the Vuma Reading Instruction Programme use story texts at first and then add information books later. The readers have been developed to tell a story or to communicate information.
Completing literacy activities that are based on the books that the learners read	Each Workbook activity provides reading practice, often together with other literacy activities such as drawing, writing, handwriting, vocabulary development and phonics. The Lessons Plans also offer other literacy activities related to the readers.

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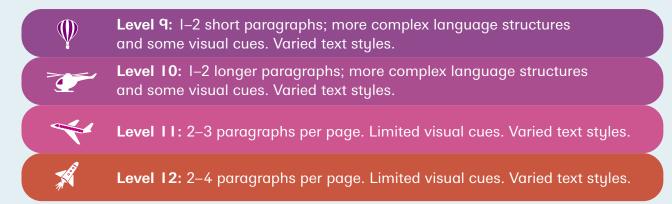
Level I to 4 stories make use of everyday situations that have a simple storyline.



Level 5 to 8 stories mainly make use of everyday situations but may in Levels 6 and 7 introduce a fantasy element or a simple version of a traditional tale by using a story-within-a-story technique. Level 5 introduces non-fiction; two of the books being non-fictional. By Level 8, five of the books are non-fictional.



Level 9 to 12 stories use a mixture of everyday situations, fantasy or imaginative stories and traditional stories. Two non-fiction titles are included in each level.



Discover the Vuma Range

The **Vuma** reading instruction programme is a comprehensive range of books and resources, designed to work together to help learners progress through each level and become confident readers.



Readers

The South African characters and settings in **Vuma** will engage your young learners with rich storytelling they can really relate to.

Each reader begins with a **new word table** and **pre-reading questions** to introduce new concepts, and ends with **closed and open-ended questions** about the story to develop and assess learners' understanding and comprehension skills. The storylines and language structures increase gradually in complexity from one level to the next.

Big Books

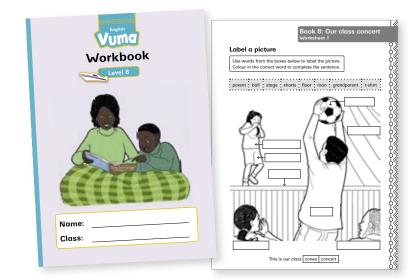
The **Vuma** Big Books have the same text and illustrations as the Readers. The questions on the outside back cover can be used during Group Guided or Shared Reading lessons.





Workbooks

The levelled **Vuma** Workbooks give your learners further reading practice to ensure that they develop essential reading skills, good sight vocabulary and appropriate phonic knowledge.





Alphabet Frieze

The **Vuma** Alphabet Frieze helps learners recognise the sounds that correspond with each letter in the alphabet. **For Grade 1–2**.

Context Cards

The **Vuma** Context Cards are ideal for developing sight vocabulary. These double-sided cards feature the word, a drawing of the concept and a sentence.

Available for Levels 1–8.



Audio Stories

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

and intonation.

Available for Levels 1–8 English FAL.

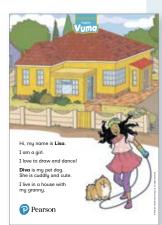


Posters

A set of 11 full-colour **Vuma** posters introduces the characters

and their homes. Children can learn about, and relate to the diverse South African characters and environments in a fun way.

For Grade 1–2.



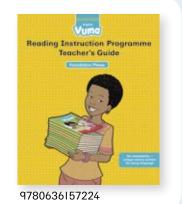
Vuma Teacher's Resources

Teachers play an important role in shaping the learning experiences of the children in their class. The **Vuma** programme has been researched and developed by experts to assist teachers in a real and practical way. The **Vuma** Teacher's Guide and Teacher Training Series DVD provide plenty of resources and step-by-step help with reading instruction and how to use the various components of the programme.

Teacher's Guide

This **Vuma** Teacher's Guide 4-ring lever arch file contains a comprehensive introduction to the **Vuma** Reading Instruction Programme.

It has space for the teacher to add each level's Lesson Plans, Assessments and Photocopiable Word Cards.



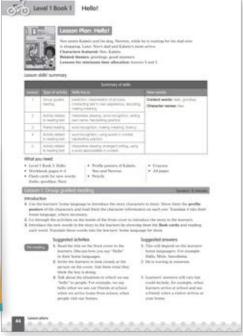
Lesson Plans, Assessments and Photocopiable Word Cards

Each level's Lesson plans and Assessment pack includes:

- a work plan that shows you how to use the Vuma Readers and Workbook
- a detailed description of the reading level
- lesson plans for each Reader that cover Group guided and Paired reading and activities related to the Readers
- assessment and record sheets for the level
- photocopiable resources
- Context cards related to the readers.

Available for Levels 1–12.





Vuma Teacher Training Series DVD

This collection of step-by-step training videos provides teachers with practical demonstrations of effective reading instruction, assessment and classroom management in South African classrooms.

The videos demonstrate:

- how to do Shared reading, Group guided reading, Paired reading and Independent reading
- how each component can be used in different situations
- how to manage the activities of different groups during the Group guided reading sessions.



Vuma English FAL Teacher's Pack (Level 1 to 4)

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Includes:

- Vuma Lever Arch File with Teacher's Guide and Introduction
- Lesson Plans, Assessments and Photocopiable Word Cards for Levels 1 to 4
- Vuma Teacher Training Series DVD
- II colourful A3 **Vuma** Posters

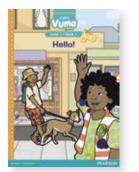


Vuma Learners' Resources

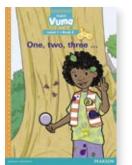
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Readers

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Workbook



Level I Workbook 9780636157217

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Lesson Plan, Context Assessments



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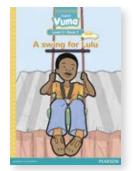
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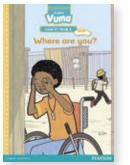
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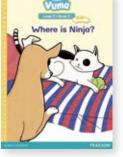
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Workbook



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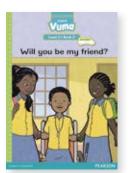
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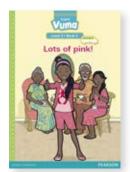
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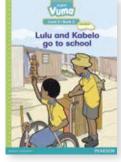
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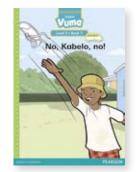
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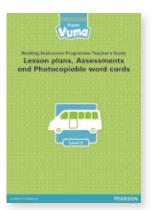
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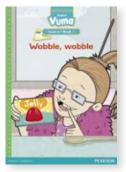
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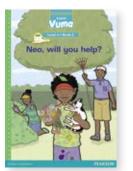
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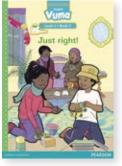
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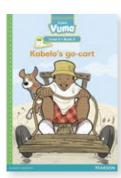
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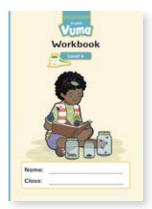


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Workbook



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Audio **Stories**



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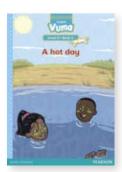
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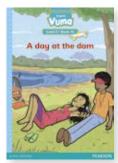
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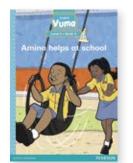
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Audio **Stories**



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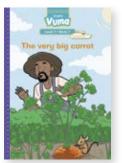
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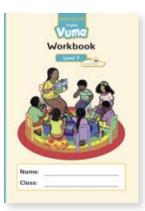


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Audio **Stories**



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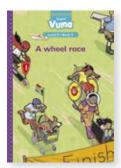
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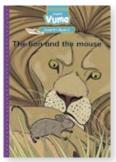
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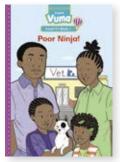


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Readers

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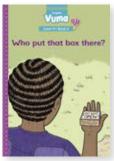
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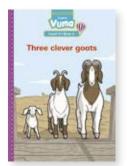
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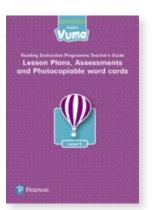
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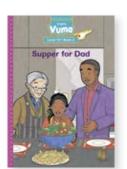




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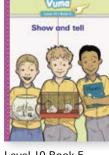
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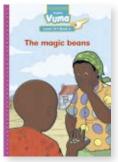
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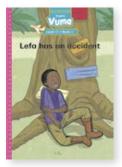


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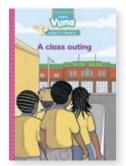




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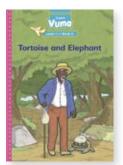
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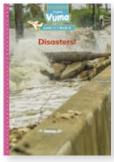
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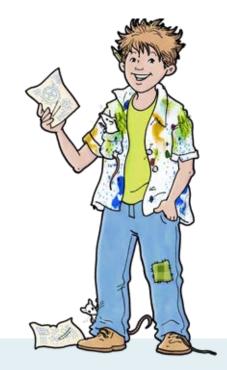
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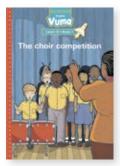


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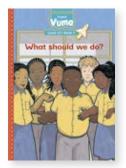
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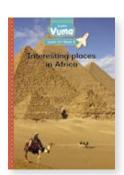
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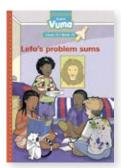
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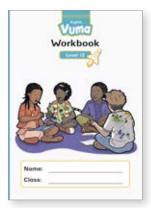


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Workbook



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Vuma Classroom Kits

The **Vuma** Classroom Kit is the perfect way to start your class on a **Vuma** reading adventure. Each Classroom Kit includes resources for teachers, learners and the classroom.



The **Vuma** English FAL Grade I Classroom Kit (pictured) includes I92 Readers and 32 Big Books. The **Vuma** English FAL Grade 2 Classroom Kit (not pictured) includes 240 Readers and 40 Big Books. The **Vuma** English FAL Grade 3 Classroom Kit (not pictured) includes 240 Readers and 40 Big Books.

Vuma English FAL Grade I Classroom Kit

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The Vuma Grade I (Level I–4) Classroom Kit includes:

- I x Vuma Lever Arch File with Teacher's Guide and Introduction
- I of each Lesson Plans, Assessments and Photocopiables for levels I to 4
- I x Vuma Teacher Training Series DVD
- II x A3 Vuma Posters
- 6 of each Vuma Reader for levels 1 to 4
- I of each Vuma Big Book for levels I to 4
- I of each pack of Vuma Context Card packs for levels 1 to 4
- I of each Vuma Audio Stories CD for levels I to 4
- I x Vuma Alphabet Frieze
- I x Vuma Plastic box with wheels for easy storage

Vuma English FAL Grade 2 Classroom Kit

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The Vuma Grade 2 (Level 5–8) Classroom Kit includes:

- I x Vuma Lever Arch File with Teacher's Guide and Introduction
- I of each Lesson Plans, Assessments and Photocopiables for levels 5 to 8
- I x Vuma Teacher Training Series DVD
- II x A3 Vuma Posters
- 6 of each **Vuma** Reader for levels 5 to 8
- I of each Vuma Big Book for levels 5 to 8
- I of each pack of Vuma Context Card packs for levels 5 to 8
- I of each Vuma Audio Stories CD for levels 5 to 8
- I x Vuma Alphabet Frieze
- I x Vuma Plastic box with wheels for easy storage

Vuma English FAL Grade 3 Classroom Kit

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The Vuma Grade 3 (Level 9–12) Classroom Kit includes:

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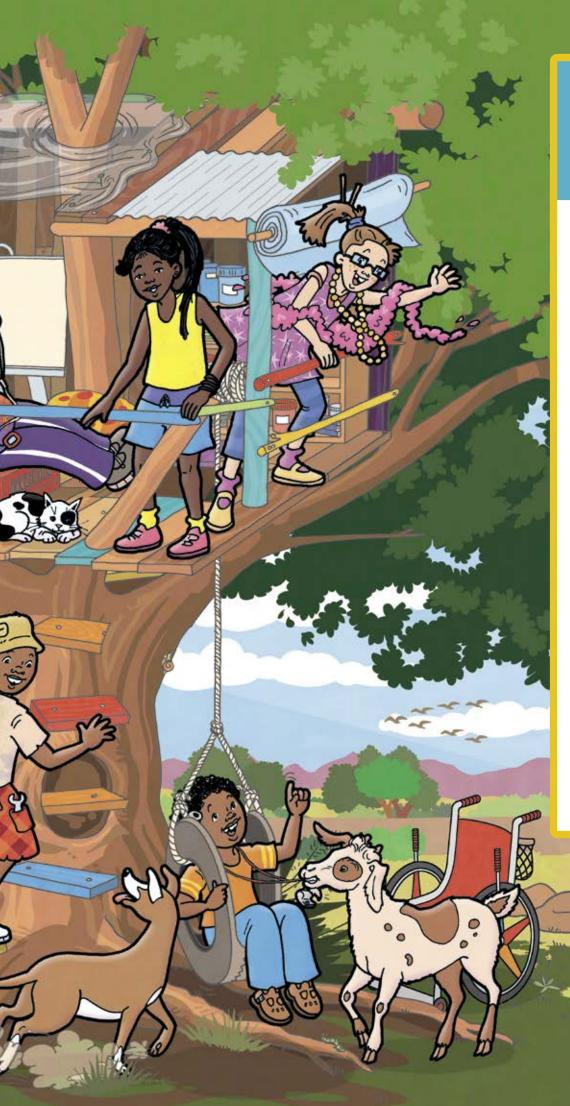
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