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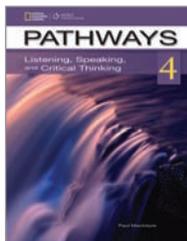
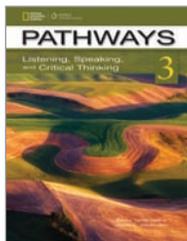
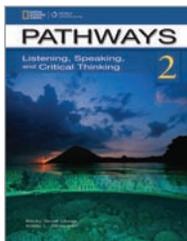
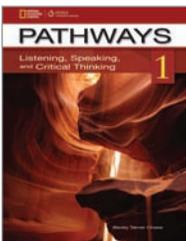
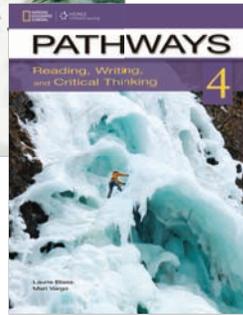
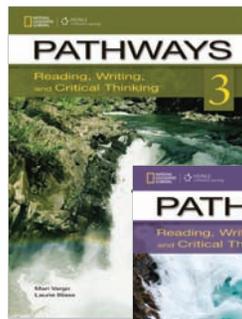
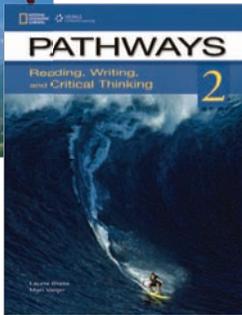
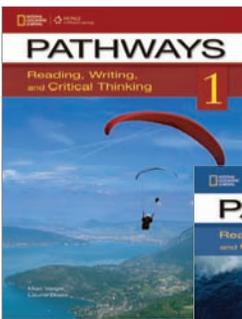
## PATHWAYS 1-4 Reading, Writing, and Critical Thinking

Laurie Blass, Mari Vargo

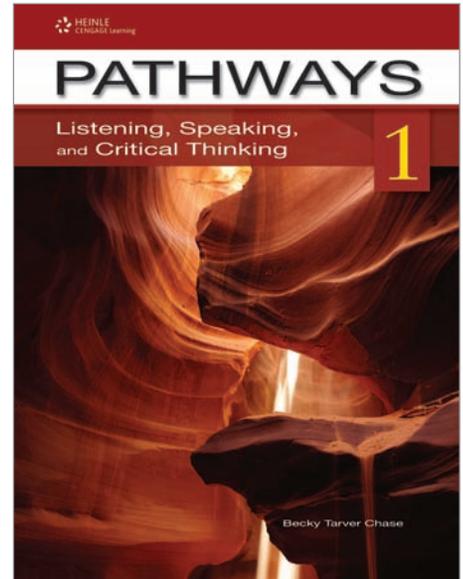
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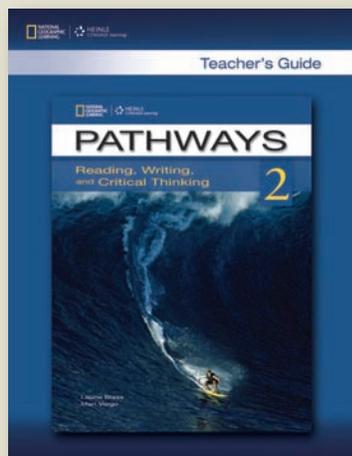
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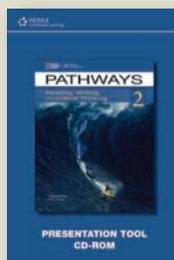
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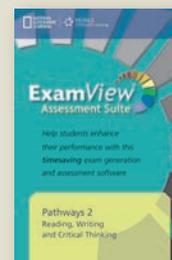
## STUDENT AND INSTRUCTOR RESOURCES (For every level) For the Teacher



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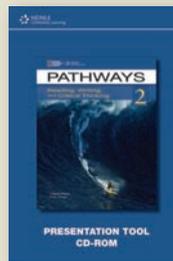


◀ **Classroom Presentation Tool CD-ROM** featuring audio and video clips, and interactive activities from the Student Book. These can be used with an interactive whiteboard or computer projector.



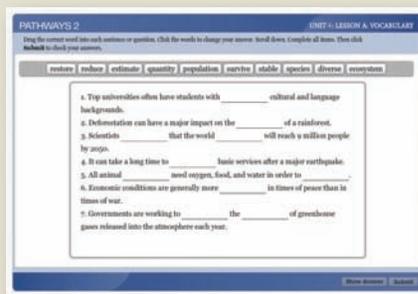
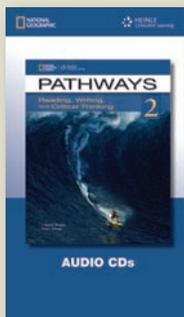
➤ **The Assessment CD-ROM with ExamView®** is a test generating software program designed to allow teachers to create tests and quizzes quickly and easily.

**Video DVD** with authentic National Geographic clips relating to each of the 10 units.



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◀ **Online Workbook**, powered by MyELT, with both teacher-led and self-study options. This contains the 10 National Geographic video clips, supported by interactive, automatically graded activities that practice the skills learned in the Student Books.

## ACTIVE SKILLS FOR READING

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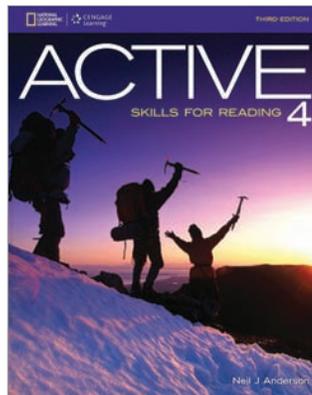
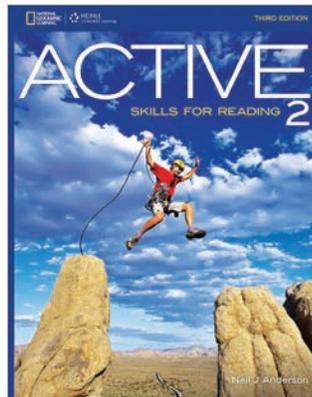
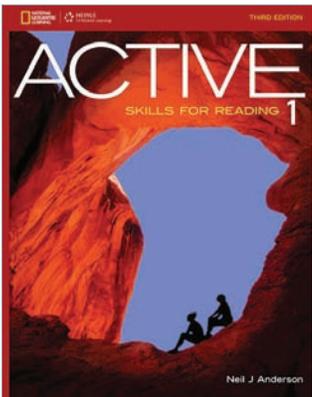
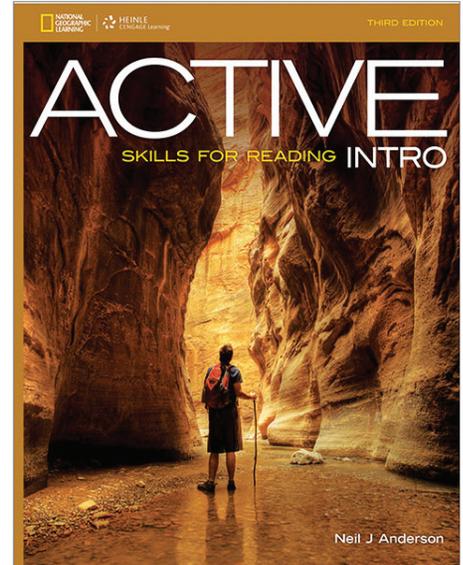
Neil J. Anderson

LEVEL: low-beginning to high-intermediate

The new, third edition of *Active Skills for Reading* maintains the Active approach, developed by reading specialist Professor Neil J. Anderson, defined on this page. The following enhancements to this new edition encourage learners to become more confident, independent, and active readers:

- ▶ **New Motivational Tips!** Each chapter contains a motivational tip box with Neil Anderson's advice on increasing student motivation
- ▶ **New reading passages** cover contemporary topics and a variety of text types, including articles, journals, blogs, and interviews
- ▶ In the later levels of this new edition, readings are based on **authentic content from National Geographic**
- ▶ **Full color-design** presents the series' content in an attractive and accessible format
- ▶ **New Assessment CD-ROM with ExamView® Pro** reflects the needs of learners preparing for standardized tests.

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#### Author Neil J. Anderson's ACTIVE Methodology

- A**ctivate Prior Knowledge
- C**ultivate Vocabulary
- T**hink About Meaning
- I**ncrease Reading Fluency
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**The World's Most Mysterious Manuscript<sup>1</sup>**

In 1912, book dealer Wilfrid Voynich bought a number of books in Italy. He bought so many that he didn't look very closely at the books he was purchasing. When he got home, he discovered he had bought a very strange handwritten manuscript. It was written in a language he had never seen before. It was also full of pictures of plants.



Since then, the book—now known as the Voynich Manuscript—has become known as the world's most mysterious manuscript. It has been studied by many people, including professors, codebreakers, and language experts. However, no one has ever discovered its meaning or author.



There are many ideas about who wrote it and why. Some people say that a famous scientist like Francis Bacon wrote it. Other people think it could be a religious text.<sup>2</sup> Some other people think the manuscript is a great hoax and doesn't mean anything at all.

Scientists have learned that the manuscript was made between 1404 and 1438. However, this only tells us how old the paper is, not when the book was written. But there's still hope that the manuscript is real and that there's meaning to its words.



The Voynich Manuscript remains a mystery today, but the pages are on the Internet if you would like to try to crack the code.

<sup>1</sup> A manuscript is an unprinted book.  
<sup>2</sup> A religious text is a book about a god or gods.

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➡ New **Reading Topics** engage and motivate learners.

**Reading Comprehension**  
Check Your Understanding

- A Choose the correct answers.**
- Why is the manuscript mysterious?
    - a No one knows if Wilfrid Voynich is real.
    - b No one understands the manuscript.
    - c No one can find the manuscript now.
  - What is in the manuscript?
    - a pictures of plants
    - b pictures about religion
    - c pictures of famous scientists
  - When was the manuscript's paper probably made?
    - a 1348
    - b 1404
    - c 1912
  - Why do we call it the Voynich Manuscript?
    - a Wilfrid Voynich wrote it.
    - b The author uses the word Voynich a lot.
    - c It was found by Wilfrid Voynich.

**B Are these statements about the Voynich Manuscript true or false? Check (✓) true (T) or false (F).**

	T	F
1 Wilfrid Voynich bought the manuscript in China.		
2 The manuscript is written in a strange language.		
3 Many people today want to know what the manuscript means.		
4 Experts say that Wilfrid Voynich wrote the manuscript.		

**Critical Thinking**

- C 1** Are mysteries like the Voynich Manuscript interesting to you? Why or why not?  
**2** Why might someone create a book in a language no one understands?

**Learning new vocabulary can be fun.** Learning new vocabulary can be one of the most enjoyable parts of becoming a good reader. In addition to the vocabulary that is explicitly taught in this chapter, are there other words related to the topic that you would like to learn?

**Vocabulary Comprehension**  
Words in Context

- A In each sentence, circle the best answer. The words in blue are from the passage.**
- If you discover something, you \_\_\_\_\_ it.
    - a find
    - b look for
  - A mysterious person loves to \_\_\_\_\_.
    - a tell jokes
    - b keep secrets

➡ New **"Motivational Tips"** section helps engage and motivate learners.

“**Reading Skill**” sections in every unit provide clear explanations of target academic reading strategies.

**UNIT 6 CHAPTER 1 Table Manners**

**Before You Read**  
Mind Your Manners

**A Think about answers to these questions.**

- Do you ever eat food from other countries? Which countries?
- Read the sentences below. What is another example of good and bad manners?
  - “Don't eat so fast. It's bad manners.”
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- Look quickly at the passage on the next page. What examples of table manners do you think it will give?

**B Discuss your answers with a partner.**

**Reading Skill**  
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**B Read the passage again. How are the countries the same? Write two answers in the Both part of the chart in A. Then answer the questions on page 72.**

**Reading helps you in the world.** Being a good reader in both your first language and in English is useful to you and your community. You will benefit as a citizen of the world as you read more about events happening in different parts of the world. Your knowledge of the world can help you as a citizen of the community you live in.

Answers to quiz on page 69  
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*A world of reading adventures!*

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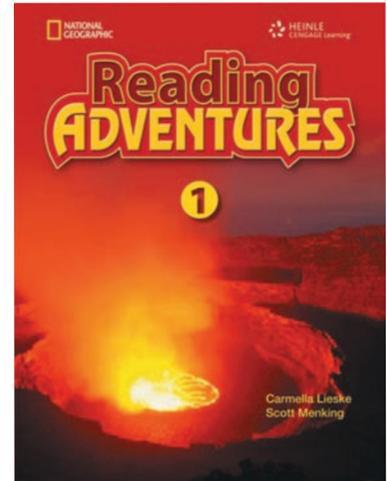
## READING ADVENTURES 1-3

Carmella Lieske, Scott Menking

LEVEL: Low-Beginning to low intermediate

*Reading Adventures* is a low-beginning level reading series which uses age-appropriate text, images, and video from National Geographic Digital Media to develop reading and vocabulary skills for learners of English.

- ▶ **Reading passages** feature cross-curriculum topics such as science, history, technology, and literature.
- ▶ **Reading Comprehension** activities include question types commonly found on high-stakes standardized exams.
- ▶ **Video from National Geographic Digital Media** motivates learners and aids in visual learning.
- ▶ **Vocabulary Practice** activities and **Vocabulary Builder** boxes teach the high-frequency academic vocabulary needed to succeed in the classroom.
- ▶ **Language Focus** sections offer students an opportunity to practice the grammar structures found in the reading passages.

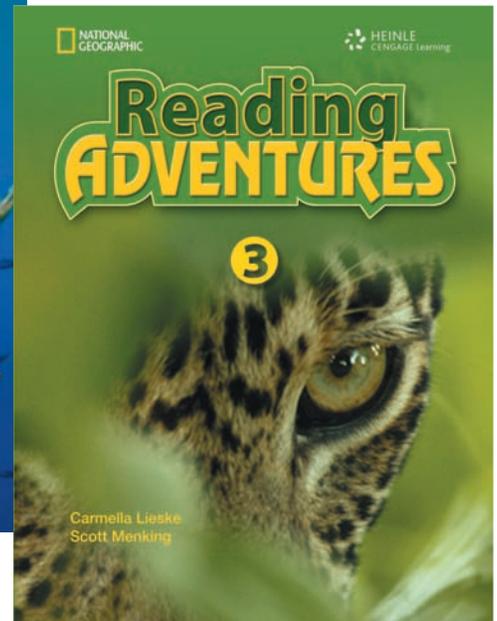
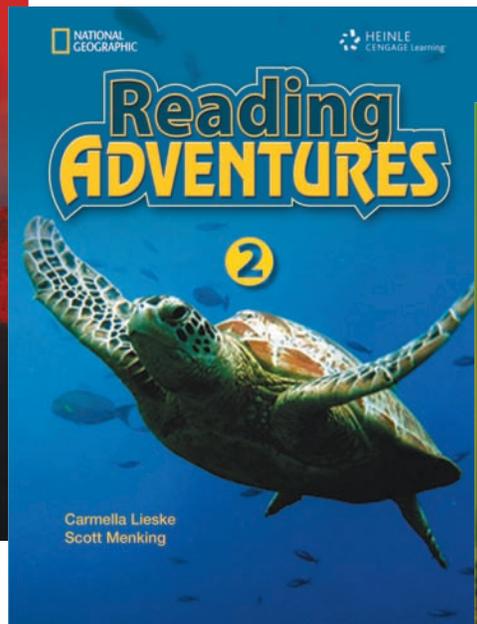
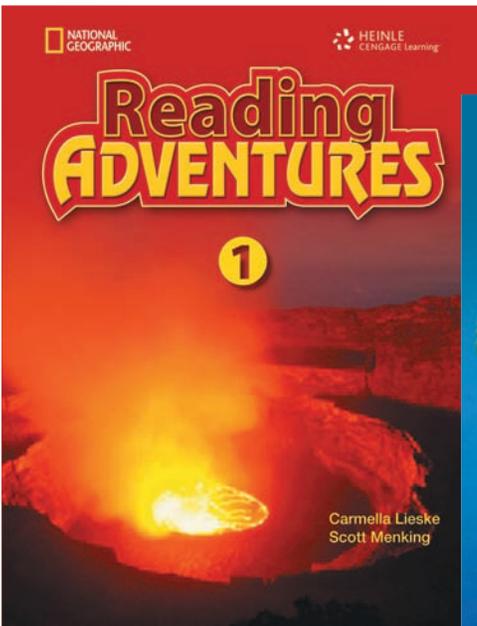


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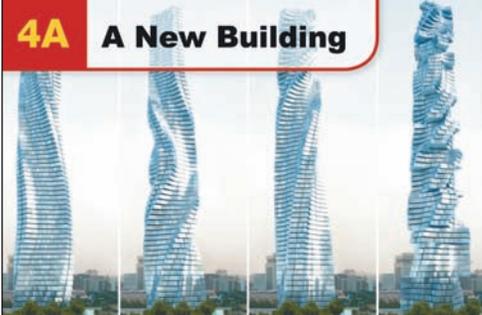
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Sample pages from Reading Adventures, Level 1

## 4A A New Building



**Before You Read**

**A Discussion.** Look at the photos of the building above. What is special about it? Discuss with a partner.

**B Definitions.** Match the words with their meanings.

1. speed	2. shapes	3. slow	4. energy
5. machine	6. sound (x)	7. impossible	8. human

a.       e. When things \_\_\_\_\_ good, they seem to be good.  
 b. something like a computer or a car      f. The \_\_\_\_\_ of something is how fast it moves.  
 c. When something is \_\_\_\_\_, no one can do it.      g. not fast  
 d. Every man, woman, and child is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.      h. the power or strength to do things

48 Unit 4 Big Ideas

**Reading**

**Strategy: Scanning.** Who had the idea for this building?

The architect wants to build the new building in Dubai. This is the view from the top of Dubai's tallest building.



## The Building That MOVES

Everyone knows that buildings don't move. They can't change the way they look. However, architect David Fisher wants to change that.

Fisher has an amazing idea. He wants to make 80-story buildings that change shape. Each floor will move around slowly. The floors will move at different speeds. Because of this, the shape of the building is always changing. "These buildings will never look the same," says Fisher.

His idea is an interesting one. However, Fisher doesn't stop there. He also wants the building to be "green." The building will make its own energy. In most buildings, only the top floor has a roof. In Fisher's building, each floor will have its own roof. The roofs each have solar panels. This means a lot more solar energy. Also, machines between each floor of the building will catch the wind. They will turn the wind into energy.

**Reading Comprehension**

**A Circle the correct answer.**

1. Another title for this reading is \_\_\_\_\_.

a. A Building for the Future  
 b. The Life of an Architect  
 c. How Green Buildings Work

**2.** In line 3, 80-story means the building has 80 \_\_\_\_\_.

a. shapes      b. floors      c. different speeds

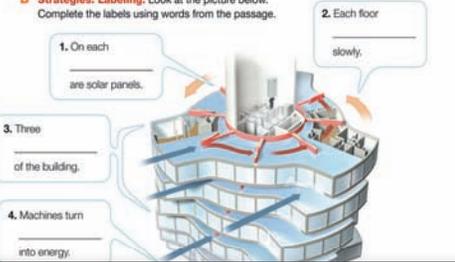
**3.** Fisher's building makes a lot of solar energy because the building \_\_\_\_\_.

a. is always moving      b. is very tall      c. has many solar panels

**4.** Why does the writer say "that's what people also said before humans traveled into space"?

a. to show why Fisher's building will never work  
 b. to show why Fisher's building is like a spaceship  
 c. to show that unusual ideas can sometimes work

**B Strategies: Labeling.** Look at the picture below. Complete the labels using words from the passage.



1. On each \_\_\_\_\_ are solar panels.

2. Each floor \_\_\_\_\_ slowly.

3. Three \_\_\_\_\_ of the building.

4. Machines turn \_\_\_\_\_ into energy.

**Language Practice**

**A Vocabulary: Completion.** Complete the sentences using a word from the box.

machines    shape    impossible    sounds  
 energy    slowly    humans    speeds

1. Bikes and cars travel at different \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Before the 1950s, only a few people knew about the \_\_\_\_\_ we now call computers.

3. The tea was heavy, so the porters carried it up the mountain very \_\_\_\_\_.

4. Solar panels can make \_\_\_\_\_ from the sun.

5. For many people, an architect's job \_\_\_\_\_ very hard.

6. Some animals can talk a little, but only \_\_\_\_\_ can use more than one language.

7. For now, living on Mars is still \_\_\_\_\_.

8. The \_\_\_\_\_ of most buildings never changes.

**Usage**

Sounds can have two meanings.  
 (a) That sounds interesting.  
 (b) Her job sounds fun!  
 (c) It is a loud sound.  
 (d) a noisy sound

**B Grammar: Using however.** Read these sentences.

a. Fisher's ideas sound impossible, but that's what people also said before humans traveled into space.

b. Fisher's ideas sound impossible. However, that's what people also said before humans traveled into space.

Write a second sentence to finish each idea. Use however.

1. The scientists told the people near the volcano to leave their homes. \_\_\_\_\_

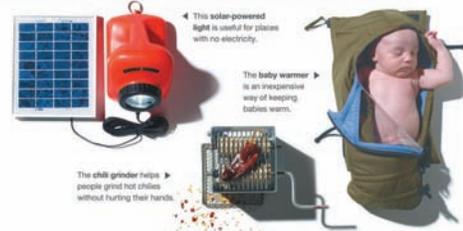
2. The Great Pyramid is more than 4,000 years old. \_\_\_\_\_

3. Fisher's building sounds very interesting. \_\_\_\_\_

4. Many people love grizzly bears. \_\_\_\_\_

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## 4B Big Ideas, Small Sizes



◀ This solar-powered light is useful for places with no electricity.

▶ The baby warmer is an inexpensive way of keeping babies warm.

▶ The chill grinder helps people grind hot spices without hurting their hands.

**Before You Read**

**A Discussion.** Some good designs can help people around the world. Look at the pictures. Why are these inventions good? Talk about your ideas with a partner.

**B Definitions.** Match the words with their meanings.

1. probably	2. both	3. clean	4. roll	5. sick	6. easy	7. last (x)	8. repeat
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a.       e.   
 b. do again      f. two things  
 c. not dirty      g. not hard to do.  
 d. When something will \_\_\_\_\_ happen, it is likely to happen.      h. When things \_\_\_\_\_ they don't stop or break.

52 Unit 4 Big Ideas

**Reading**

**Strategy: Skimming.** Quickly read the passage. Who are these inventions for? Tell a partner.

a. people without clean water  
 b. people in the U.S.  
 c. people with a lot of money

## Making It Safe

1. Do you drink water every day? Is it clean? You probably answered yes to both questions. But 900 million people around the world don't have safe drinking water. Without clean water, they get sick more easily.

2. That's why these two ideas are so great! They can make a big difference for a lot of people.

### The LifeStraw

This straw cleans water when you drink through it. It is small and easy to carry. You can get clean water anywhere you go. It lasts over six months for most people. You don't have to worry about getting a new one often.



### The Q Drum

This new container helps people carry clean water to their homes. In rural places, people often have to walk to get clean water. Then they have to carry it back to their homes. They repeat this every time they need water, but water is heavy! You don't have to lift the Q Drum. You can roll it home. No more carrying 50 kilograms of water!



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Teach reading and vocabulary through the lens of the world!

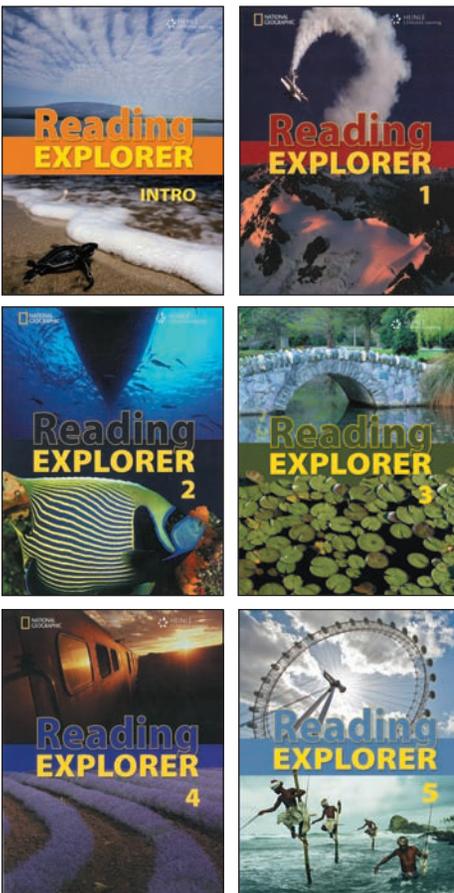
## READING EXPLORER INTRO – 5

Nancy Douglas, Paul MacIntyre

LEVEL: beginning to advanced

*Reading Explorer* is a four-level, content-based reading series featuring video from National Geographic Digital Media to help develop reading and vocabulary skills for all learners. Each unit of *Reading Explorer* contains two reading passages and an optional video activity. Reading passages cover a wide range of real-world topics related to culture, science, social studies, travel, and adventure.

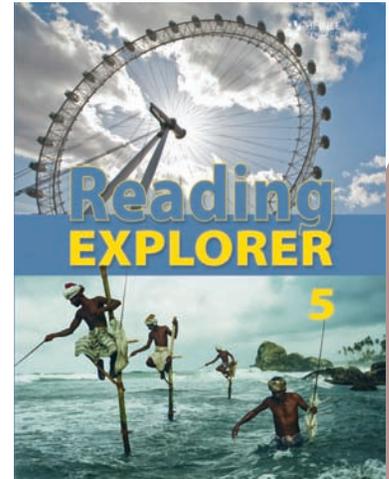
- READ** ▶ Motivating **real-world content** supported by stunning visuals help develop learners' understanding of the world.
- LISTEN** ▶ **Reading passages** develop visual literacy and incorporate graphic organizers to help learners become better readers of English.
- ▶ **"Reading Comprehension"** activities cover essential reading skills and question types commonly found on standardized tests.
- ▶ **"Vocabulary Practice"** activities and **"Vocabulary Builder"** boxes present and reinforce high-frequency vocabulary items.
- WATCH** ▶ **Audio CD** contains recordings of all reading selections to help aid in comprehension
- ▶ **Video from National Geographic Digital Media** motivates students and aids in visual learning.



### Your colleagues say...

*"I really valued using Reading Explorer while I was teaching College English because I felt that we were learning something new about the world in every class, and the interesting topics allowed me the opportunity to take very creative approaches to presenting the material that encouraged the students to produce output in English."*

*Michael Cheng, Teacher  
National Chengchi University, Taiwan*



Reading and vocabulary support through print, audio, and video.

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- ELT Advantage: *Teaching ESL/EFL Reading* by Neil J. Anderson, p. 102

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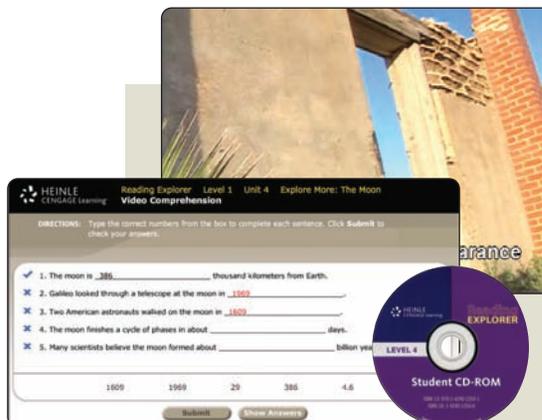
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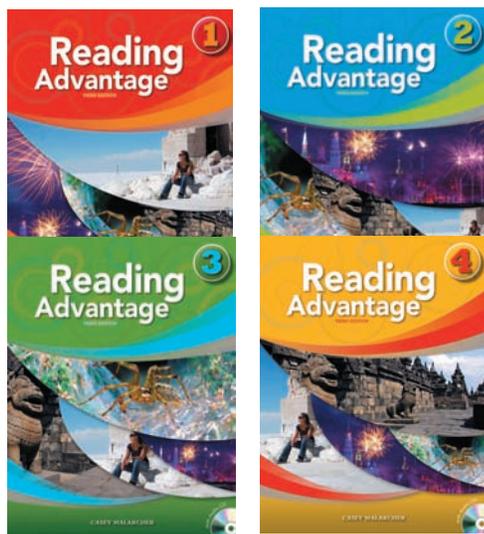
For additional reading practice and resources, see *Footprint Reading Library*, p. 43.

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Student CD-ROM contains:

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- ✓ 48 vocabulary activities with additional self-scoring exercises





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Casey Malarcher

LEVEL: High-Beginning to High-Intermediate

*Reading Advantage* is a four-level reading series for learners of English from the high beginning to high intermediate level. With a new and improved full-color design, each book in this popular series features 20 four-page units that will motivate students and require little teacher preparation.

- ▶ New topics and updated nonfiction readings that will motivate students and make reading meaningful and rewarding.
- ▶ The most commonly used vocabulary, everyday phrases, and idioms.
- ▶ Reading Comprehension and Vocabulary Reinforcement exercises that build confidence and allow learners to practice the language through speaking and/or writing.

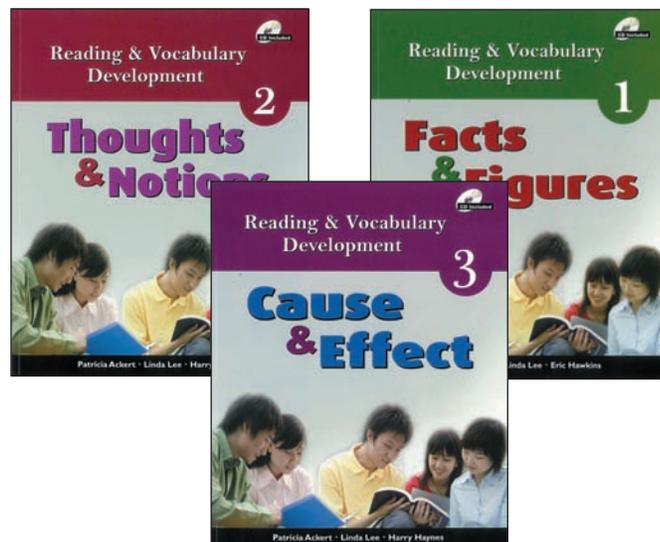
A comprehensive *Teacher Resource Package* includes:

- ▶ Teacher's Guide for each level, containing teaching tips and background notes, extension activities, unit quizzes, mid-book and final tests, and answer keys.
- ▶ Audio CD with recordings of all readings
- ▶ Assessment CD-ROM with *ExamView*®

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## READING & VOCABULARY DEVELOPMENT (ASIA EDITION)

Patricia Ackert, Linda Lee, Harry Haynes, Eric Hawkins

LEVEL: beginner to intermediate

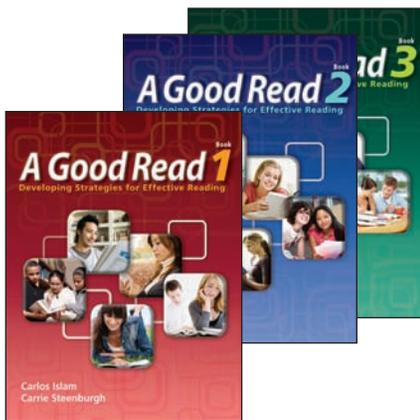
*Reading and Vocabulary Development series just got better!* The new edition of these popular books help students develop reading skills and systematically increase their active vocabulary from 300 to 2100 words.

- ▶ **Fresh New Readings** specially aimed at Asian learners.
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- ▶ **New 'Topic-related Color Illustrations'** to bring the readings to life and inspire students.
- ▶ **New 'Speaking Hint'** boxes and discussion questions.
- ▶ **New 'What Did I Learn'** checklist at the end of each unit to monitor progress and help students take responsibility for their own learning.
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## A GOOD READ 1-3

Carlos Islam, Carrie Steenburgh

LEVEL: low-intermediate to high-intermediate

*A Good Read* is a three-level reading strategies course, intended for young adult and adult learners. The series promotes fluent and effective reading through high interest texts, extensive coverage of reading strategies, and an explicit focus on lexical development.

- ▶ Comprehensive range of reading strategies developed through clear, easy-to-read explanations and explicit practice.
- ▶ Motivating, high interest reading texts feature a wide range of topics and text types.
- ▶ Lexical phrases, such as collocations, phrasal verbs, and verb phrases, are highlighted to improve student's vocabulary, reading rate and reading fluency.

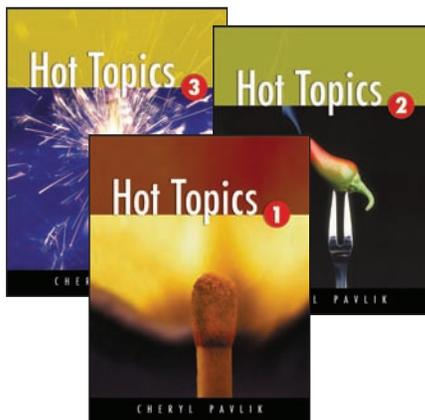
Co-authored by Carlos Islam, English Language Coordinator at the United Nations in New York, **A Good Read** uses texts based on universal human experiences including themes such as friendship, finding love, happiness, urban legends, adventures and life changing

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## HOT TOPICS 1 – 3

Cheryl Pavlik

LEVEL: low-intermediate to advanced

*Hot Topics* is guaranteed to engage readers, stimulate thinking, and provoke conversation while supporting reading skills development.

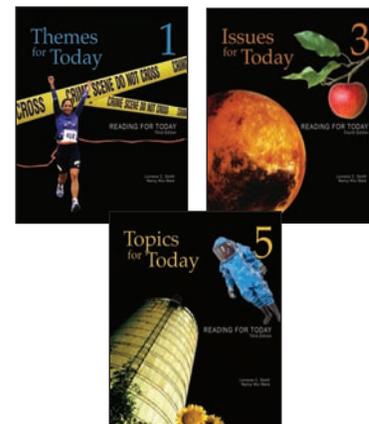
- ▶ Each unit features three readings on a related controversial topic, the last one more challenging than the previous two.
- ▶ Students increase reading fluency through pre-reading questions, skimming and scanning activities, use of context clues, vocabulary analysis, and development of critical thinking skills.
- ▶ Open-ended questions at the end of each unit allow students to voice their opinions and defend their viewpoints through discussion or in writing.

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*Reading for Today* for a better academic tomorrow!

## READING FOR TODAY SERIES 1 – 5

Lorraine C. Smith, Nancy Nici Mare

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Level 2: *Insights for Today*, Fourth Edition  
Level 3: *Issues for Today*, Fourth Edition  
Level 4: *Concepts for Today*, Third Edition  
Level 5: *Topics for Today*, Fourth Edition

LEVEL: beginning to advanced

*Reading for Today* is a five-level, academic skills program that systematically develops students' reading and vocabulary skills through engaging themes and comprehensive practice. The *Reading for Today* series teaches essential reading strategies like skimming, scanning, fact-finding, and paraphrasing, and gives students opportunities to talk and write about what they've read.

- ▶ Enhanced "Think About It" sections teach **critical thinking skills** necessary for academic success.
- ▶ **Enhanced Assessment CD-ROM with ExamView®** includes two additional readings per chapter, providing reading and vocabulary practice.
- ▶ **Updated readings** of universal interest and academic content engage readers.

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## NEWS FOR NOW 1-3

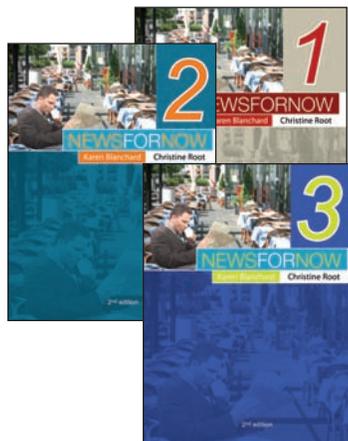
Second Edition

Karen, Blanchard, Christine Root

LEVEL: low-intermediate to high-intermediate

*News for Now* is a three-level reading series for false beginner to intermediate EFL students. It is designed to help learners read, use and enjoy English through the study of articles adapted from newspapers from across the United States. The main focus of this series is on reading comprehension, vocabulary expansion and skill-building, specifically as they pertain to reading newspaper articles. The books present a wide sampling of writing styles and topics and encourage success through a variety of exercises.

- ▶ Interesting articles adapted to meet students' needs.
- ▶ Pre-reading activities and photographs.
- ▶ Analysis of a variety of newspaper features.
- ▶ Let's Talk section provides guided dialogs.



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## READING THE NEWS

Pete Sharma

LEVEL: intermediate to advanced

With *Reading the News*, students not only improve their ability to read newspapers in English—they gain practice that will help prepare them for TOEFL®, TOEIC®, and IELTS® exams. Authentic articles on contemporary issues from the *International Herald Tribune* encourage students to read English outside the classroom.

- ▶ Helps prepare students for exams through exercises that practice TOEFL®, TOEIC® and IELTS® exam tasks.
- ▶ Presents a wide variety of high-interest articles grouped thematically by newspaper section.
- ▶ Targets the reading, listening, vocabulary and other essential language skills learners need most for functional literacy in reading newspapers in English.
- ▶ Includes “Special Focus on the Newspaper” sections offering strategies for analyzing an article’s content and viewpoint.



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## STORIES WORTH READING 1 & 2

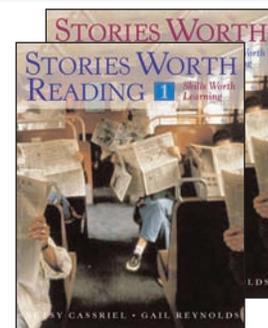
Skills Worth Learning

Betsy Cassriel, Gail Reynolds

LEVEL: high-beginning to low-intermediate

*Stories Worth Reading* uses up-to-date, multicultural readings taken from news, feature articles, and authentic literature to engage low-level readers.

- ▶ Two readings per unit explore the topic and develop vocabulary skills.
- ▶ Fun application activities encourage students to use their new vocabulary.
- ▶ Writing models support students as they produce their own writing samples.
- ▶ Research activities teach library and Internet search skills to help students find information on their own.
- ▶ Instructor's Manual offers many supplemental activities and photocopyable templates for expansion.



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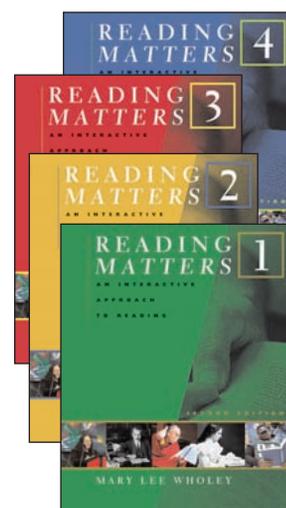
An Interactive Approach to Reading, Second Edition

Books 1 – 2: **Mary Lee Wholey**  
Books 3 – 4: **Mary Lee Wholey and Nadia Henein**

LEVEL: high-beginning to high-intermediate

Through stimulating vocabulary-rich readings and a communicative, integrated-skills approach *Reading Matters* helps students develop fluency and accuracy in academic reading.

- ▶ Paired reading selections are organized thematically and enable students to compare and contrast points of view.
- ▶ Abundant practice exercises and reading activities help students master different texts and vocabulary.



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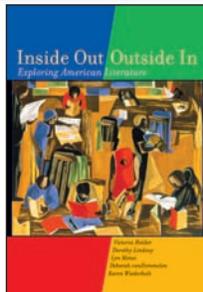
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## INSIDE OUT/OUTSIDE IN

Exploring American Literature

**Victoria Holder, Dorothy Lindsay,  
Lyn Motai, Deborah vanDommelen,  
Karen Wiederholt**

LEVEL: advanced



With a focus on literary analysis, this anthology of short stories and poems helps students develop reading skills and encourages them to read literary works for enjoyment.

- ▶ Selections, by a diverse set of authors such as Ernest Hemingway, Toni Cade Bambara, Li-Yong Lee, and Bernard Malamud, range from traditional to more contemporary works.
- ▶ Activities on basic comprehension, literary analysis, and analytical writing help prepare students for future academic success.
- ▶ Important cultural, historical, or geographical background is provided for each selection.
- ▶ Charts, sketches, diagrams, and role plays tap into students' different learning styles.

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## 20TH CENTURY AMERICAN SHORT STORIES

Revised Edition

**Jean A. McConochie**

LEVEL: high-intermediate to advanced



These classic texts introduce students to American literature through a rich selection of contemporary authors.

- ▶ Unabridged, unsimplified stories are by Sandra Cisneros, Ernest Hemingway, Toshio Mori, Richard Wright, John Updike, Raymond Carver, Grace Paley, and more.
- ▶ A strong connection between reading and writing is promoted.
- ▶ Volumes 1 and 2 include pre- and post-reading support such as biographical information, glossary, and new discussion and writing activities.
- ▶ Anthology combines only the readings and introductory material from both volumes.

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Second Edition

**Greg Costa**

LEVEL: intermediate

#### AMAZING STORIES TO TELL AND RETELL 1 – 3

**Lynda Berish, Sandra Thibau**

LEVEL: high-beginning to  
low-intermediate

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LEVEL: low-intermediate to advanced

#### FAR FROM HOME

Third Edition

#### AT HOME IN TWO LANDS

Reading and Word Study  
Second Edition

**William P. Pickett**

LEVEL: high-beginning to advanced

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America Through Academic Readings

**Cheryl Benz, Stephen Benz**

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**Linda Robinson Fellag**

LEVEL: advanced

#### TAPESRY READING 1-4

**Rebecca Oxford, Series Editor  
M.E. Sokolik, Reading Editor**

LEVEL: high-beginning to advanced

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LEVEL: intermediate

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**M. E. Sokolik**

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