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PATHWAYS 1-4
Reading, Writing, and Critical Thinking

Laurie Blass, Mari Vargo
LEVEL: low-intermediate to advanced

Pathways is National Geographic Learning’s new academic series that helps learners develop the language skills they need to achieve academic success. The series features reading & writing and listening & speaking strands, and develops learners’ academic literacy skills through National Geographic content, images, and video. This innovative series provides learners with a pathway to success!

- National Geographic articles, video, maps, and graphs engage students with academic content in a variety of genres and formats
- Clear connections between reading and writing skills help students become more effective readers and writers
- Academic reading skills and strategies, embedded in the unit tasks, prepare students to comprehend a variety of realistic academic texts
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- DEVELOP academic literacy skills
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Audio CDs with audio recordings of the Student Book reading passages.

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ACTIVE SKILLS FOR READING
Intro-4, Third Edition

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.

Author Neil J. Anderson's ACTIVE Methodology

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New Reading Topics engage and motivate learners.

New “Motivational Tips” section helps engage and motivate learners.

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

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A world of reading adventures!

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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Sample pages from Reading Adventures, Level 1

4A A New Building

Before You Read
A. Discuss: Look at the photos of the building above. What is special about it? Discuss with a partner.
B. Reflect: Match the words with their meanings.

Language Practice
A. Complete the sentences using a word from the box.

4B Big Ideas, Small Sizes

Before You Read
A. Discuss: How do you think people around the world are using water? Discuss with a partner.
B. Reflect: Match the words with their meanings.

Language Practice
A. Complete the sentences using a word from the box.

Reading

The Building That MOVES

Reading

A New Building

Reading

Making It Safe
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.

- Motivating real-world content supported by stunning visuals help develop learners’ understanding of the world.
- 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.
- 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.

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National Chengchi University, Taiwan

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

Bundle the Student Text with the Student CD-ROM!

Student CD-ROM contains:
✓ 12 video clips
✓ 24 reading passages
✓ 48 vocabulary activities with additional self-scoring exercises

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READING ADVANTAGE 1-4
Third Edition
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
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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 ‘Grammar Activity’ to reinforce key grammatical points and word skills from the text in every unit.
- New ‘Context Clues’ to allow students to preview important key vocabulary before reading.
- New ‘Reading Skill’ for every reading to build towards exam success.
- 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.
- New added ‘Review Units’ to reinforce vocabulary and grammar learned.

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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 experiences.

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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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LEVEL: beginning to advanced

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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 photocopiable templates for expansion.

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READING MATTERS 1 – 4

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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**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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