Consigli di lettura e attività per ripassare l'inglese in vacanza

Let's have fun under the Sun!

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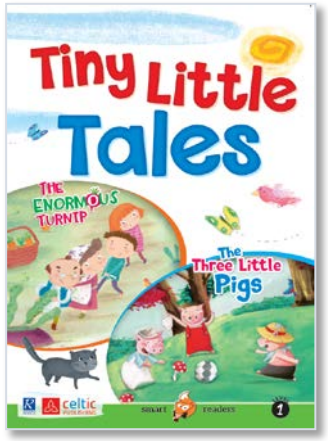
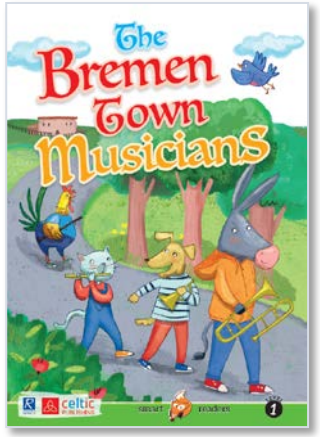
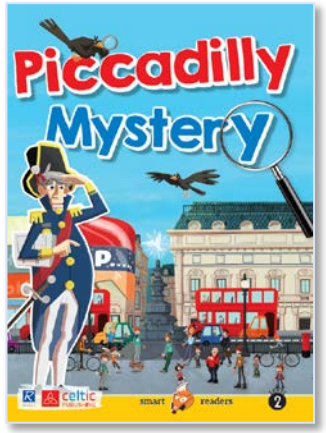
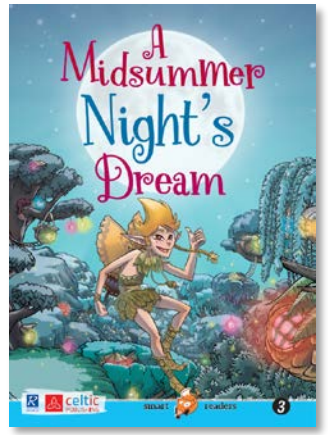
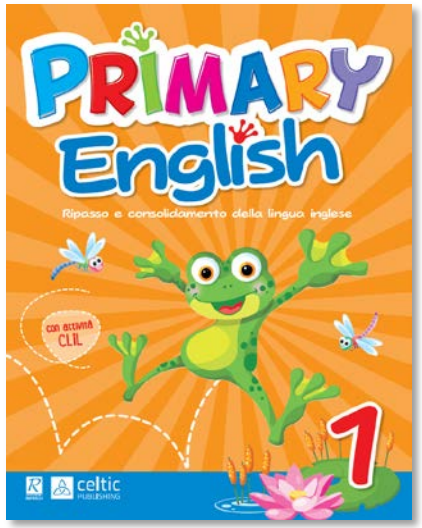


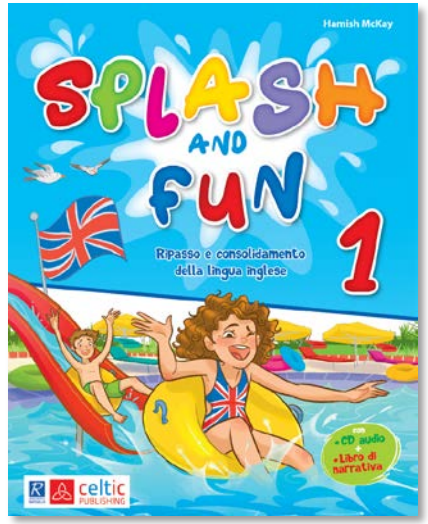






Are you thinking about how you can keep your students motivated and interact with meaningful texts in English and maintaining a sense of enjoyment?





What's the secret to finding the right workbook?

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Young Learners of English

Reading and reviewing the English language can be a light and fun diversion to practise all the skills from the academic year.

Remember that children love colourful, engaging and helpful illustrations.

A workbook that offers....

- A revision of vocabulary and CLIL structures that children will already be familiar with
- Fun activities and games
- Engaging stories and comic stories
- Audios and a lot more....

A fun activity workbook that can easily fit into a child's rucksack.

What to look for to develop reading and language skills...

- Rhyming words
- Story recreations
- Sentence checking
- Fill in the gaps
- Odd one out words/sentences
- Reading comprehension mix and match
- Audios and listening comprehensions

There are many **Summer holiday** resources and workbooks to review the English language.

Continuing to learn a language through enjoyment and having fun is a core skill for all different age groups.

As well as reviewing and consolidating, they're great for helping children catch up too!

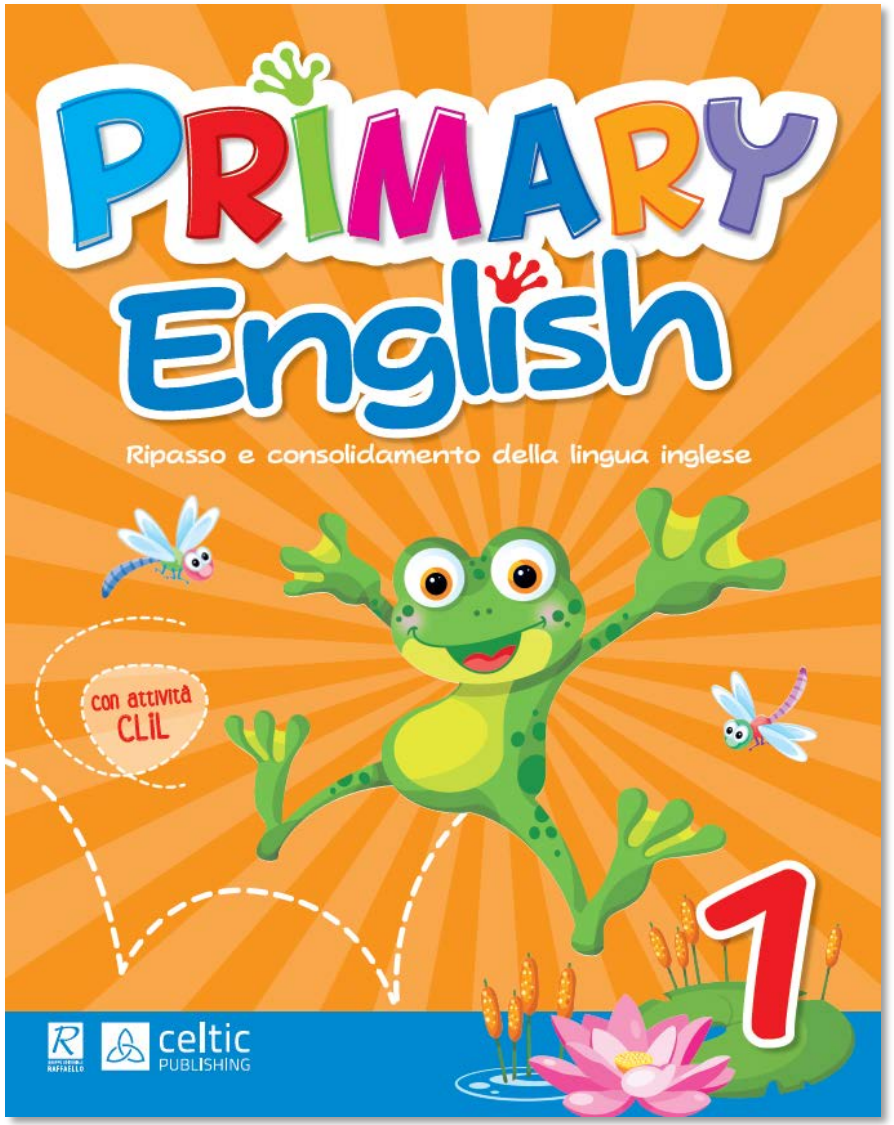
After a strange year, some children might need an extra boost on their English skills.

PRIMARY ENGLISH
1 2 3 & 4

A fun packed series

Lots of attractive material which is fun, simple and motivating accompanied by online audios to enhance listening exercises.

Children are able to work in full autonomy revising vocabulary and simple grammar sentence structures.



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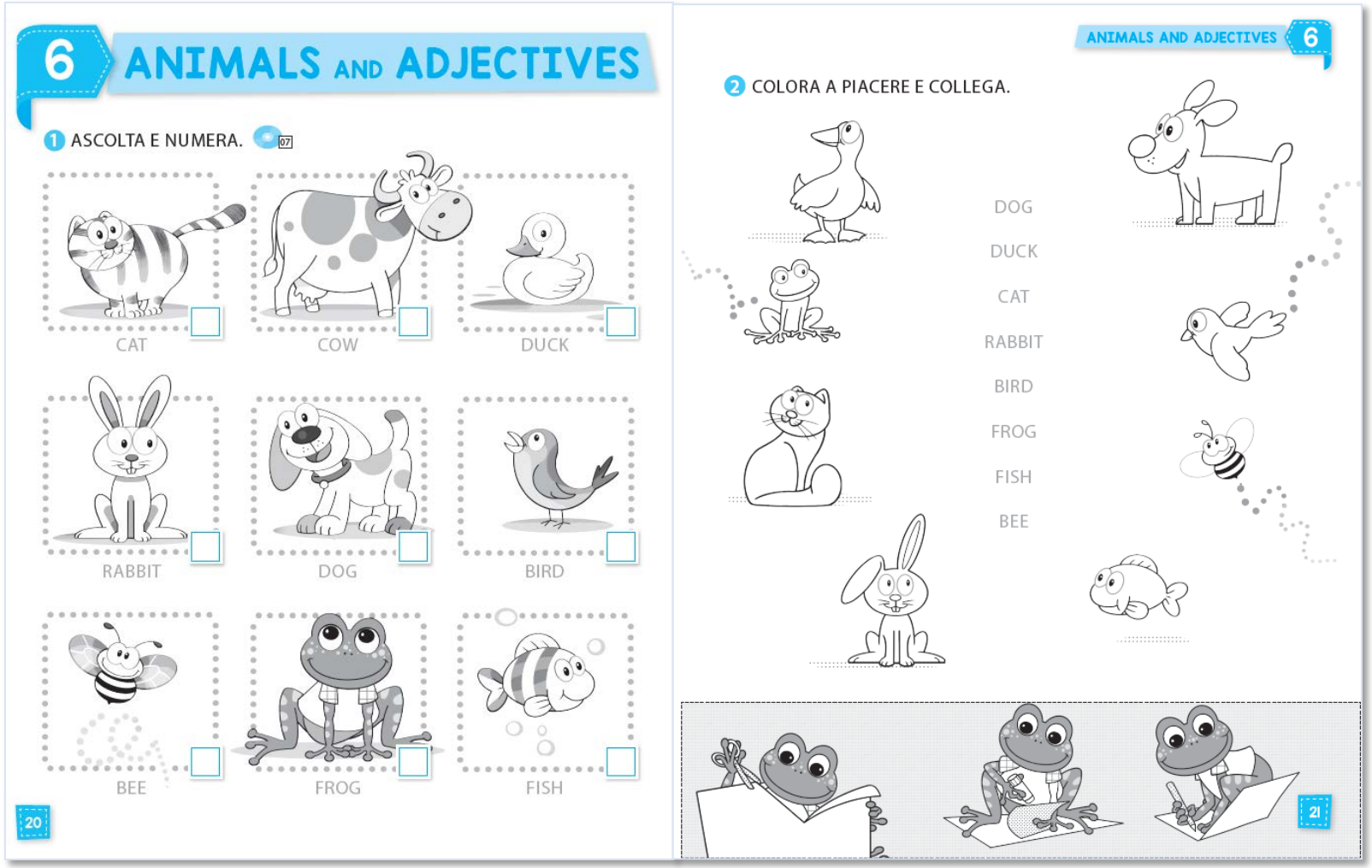
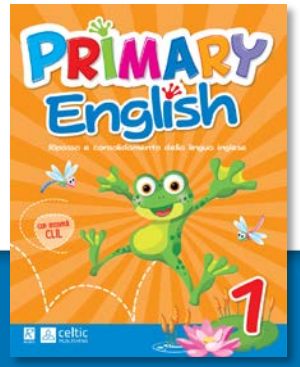
Class 1 – High readability with uppercase lettering

Review vocabulary

- Colours
- Numbers
- School Objects
- Toys
- Animals & Adjectives
- CLIL

Lots of colouring worksheets with specific instructions to follow for each activity





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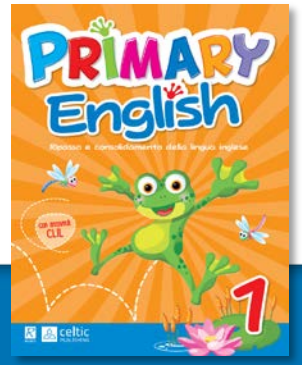
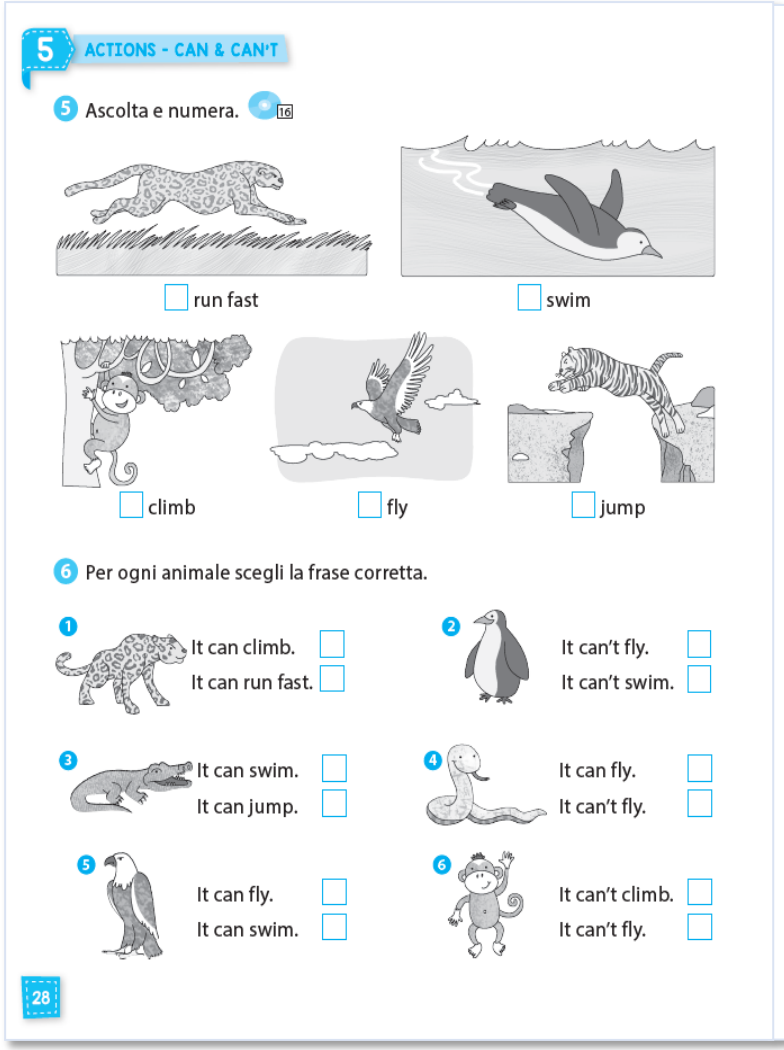
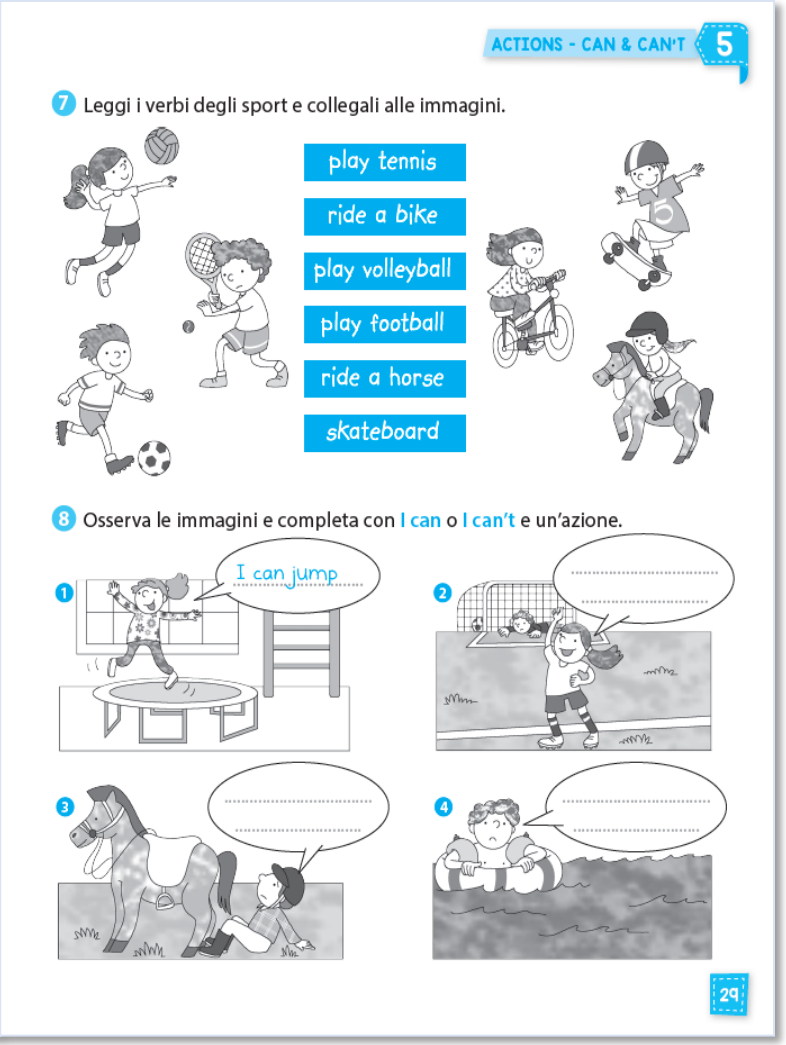
Class 3 – Review vocabulary and Grammar

- Alphabet and Numbers 1-100
- Verb to be /Adjectives
- House Furniture
- The body and Have Got
- Wild Animals/Actions/Can and Can't
- CLIL







SPLASH AND FUN

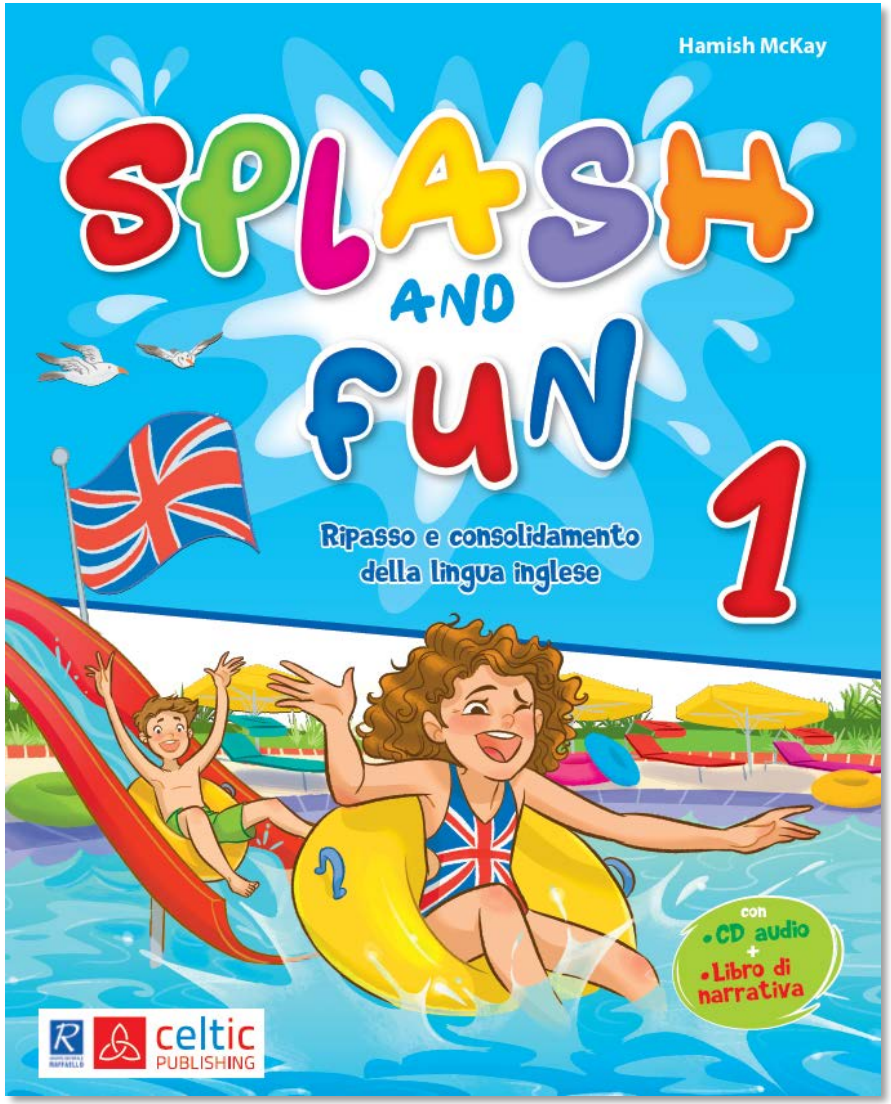
1 2 3 & 4

Each unit has a focus to revise vocabulary, grammatical structures and communicative functions of the English language for primary school.

The lexical aquisition is enhanced by listening exercises from the attached Cd or online audios.

Students can work in full autonomy, carrying out numerous activities explained in Italian by simple and direct instructions.

An additional focus to bring children closer to reading with engaging comic stories with the characters that accompany the students throughout the workbook.



SPLASH AND FUN 1 2 3 & 4

Each bright and colourful workbook has an additional fiction reading book.

- Class 1 - THEO'S T-SHIRT
- Class 2 - Green Beard the Greedy Pirate
- Class 3 - The Gingerbread Man
- Class 4 - Peter Pan

There are a variety of fun *exercises, games, projects, and comic stories.*

Each workbook has a convienient glossary from each unit and an answer booklet to check their work if needed.

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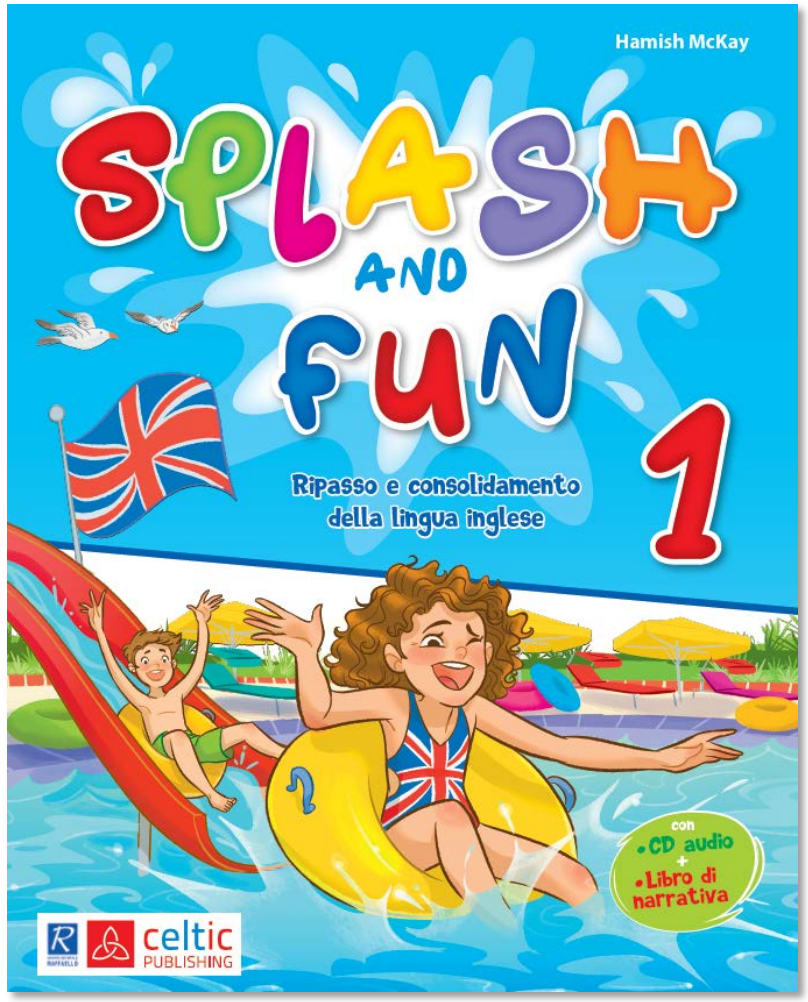
Splash and Fun 1 offers children a full review on the previous year's topics in each unit:

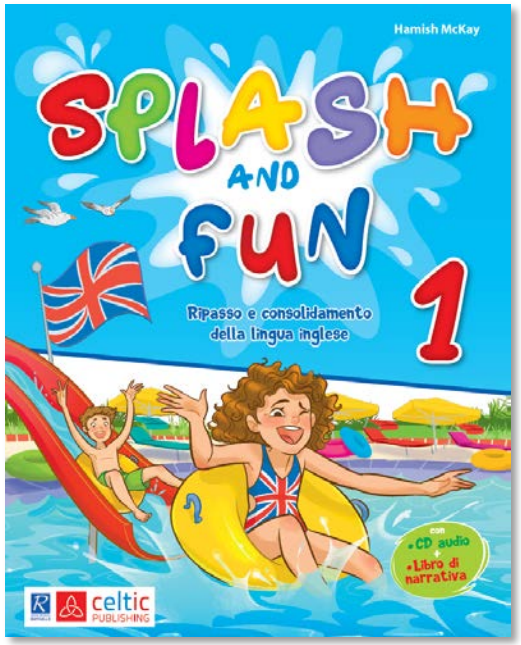
- **Basic introductions**
- **Colours**
- **School objects**
- **Numbers**
- **Animals**
- **Family**

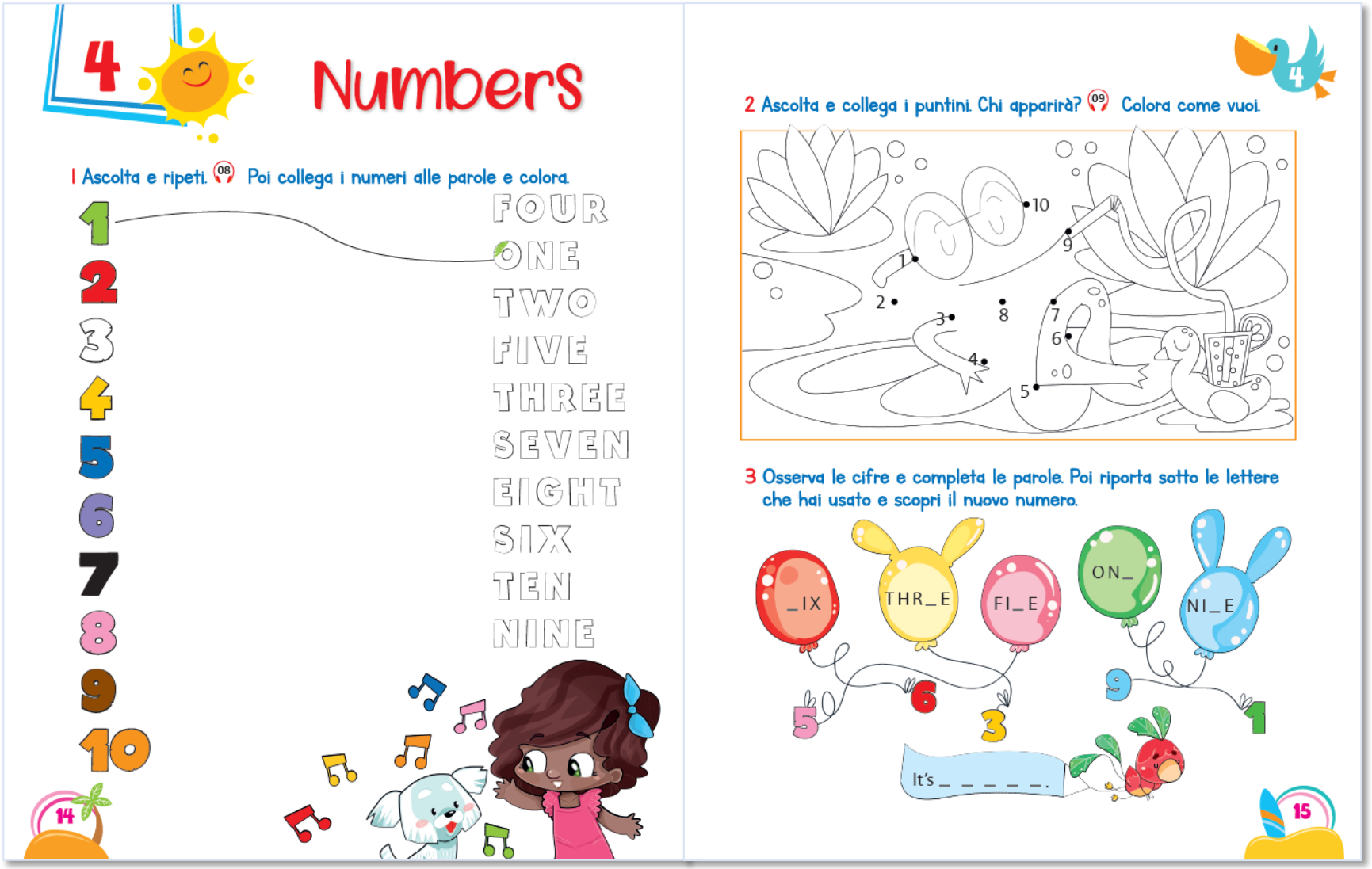
The illustrations are bright, fun and engaging and each page provides fun opportunities to build confidence and develop their English skills.



Let's take a look at unit 4...

SPLASH AND FUN 1





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SPLASH AND FUN 1

4 Colora in base al numero indicato.

nine

five

three

seven

5 Conta e scrivi.

a- How many ice creams? 8 _ _ _ _ _

b- How many shells? _ _ _

c- How many crabs? _ _ _ _

d- How many dolphins? _ _ _ _ _

6 Fai le addizioni, scrivi i risultati in parola, poi colora secondo il codice.

1 + 3 = four pink
3 + 2 = ... brown
1 + 2 = ... yellow
4 + 3 = ... orange
5 + 1 = ... blue
6 + 2 = ... red
1 + 8 = ... green
1 + 1 = ... purple

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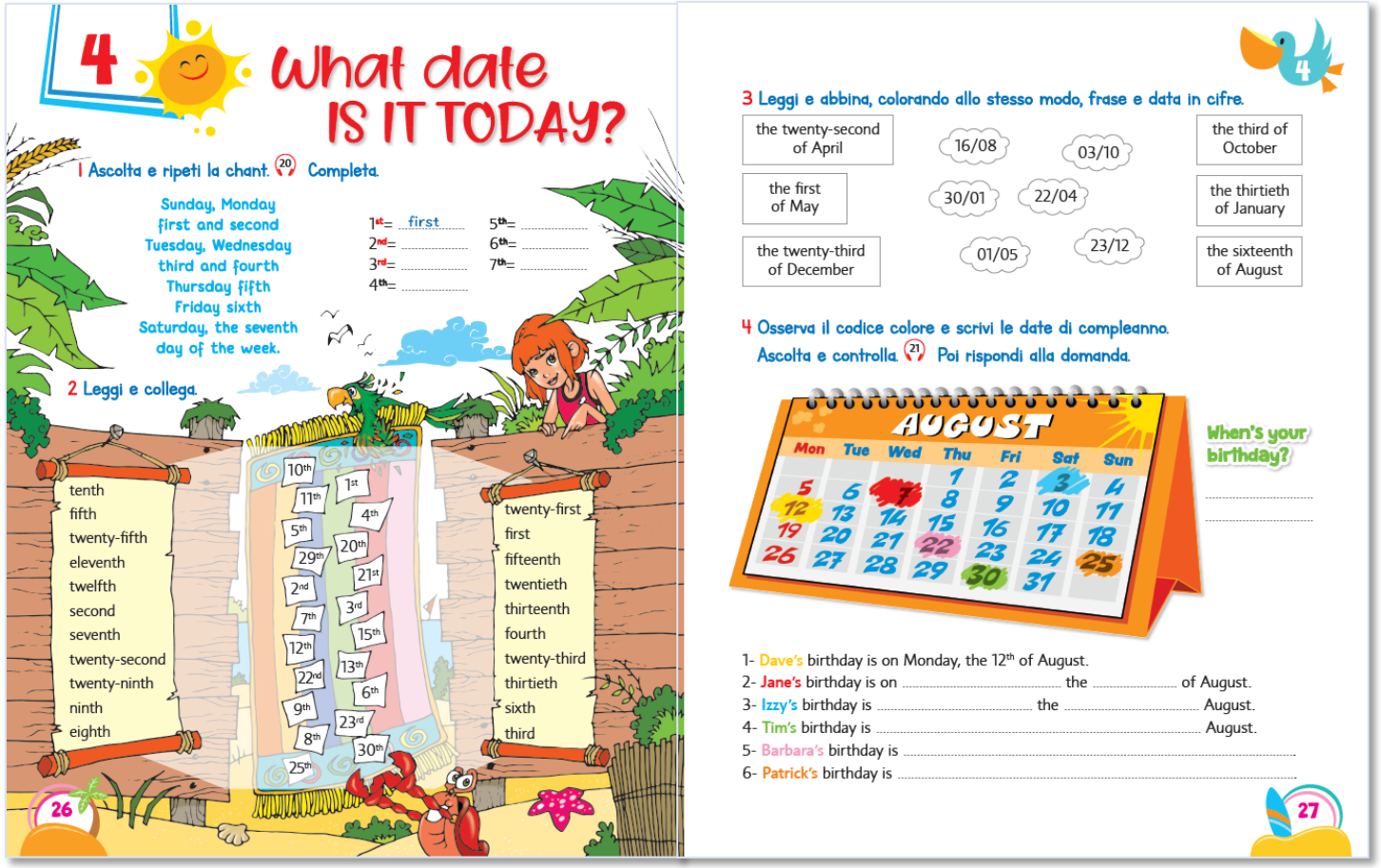
SPLASH AND FUN 4

Unit 4 - What date is it today?

A revision of...

- days
- months
- ordinal numbers
- dates



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A revision of...

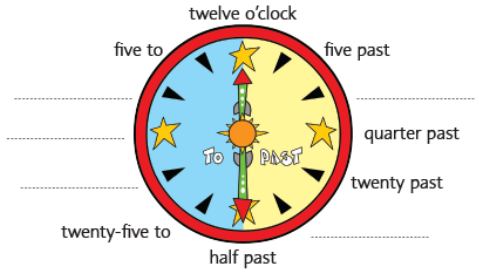
- analogue and digital times

The time

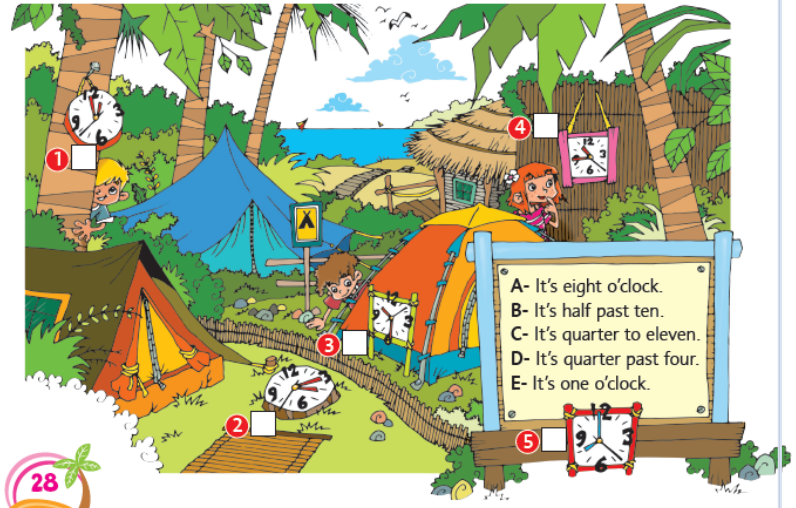
5 Completa l'orologio.

twenty to
ten past
twenty-five past
quarter to
ten to

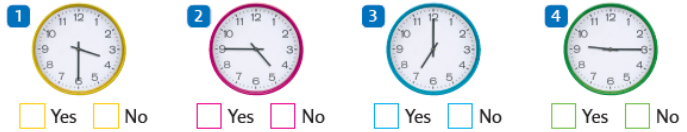
What time is it?



6 Cerca gli orologi, poi leggi gli orari nel tabellone e abbina.



7 Ascolta e segna "Yes" se l'orario è corretto, "No" se è sbagliato. 22



1 Yes No
2 Yes No
3 Yes No
4 Yes No

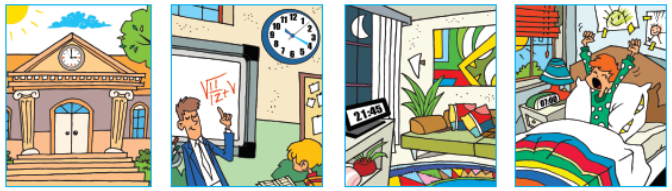
8 Ascolta e segna. Scopri qual è la cartella vincente. 23

CARD A		CARD B	
11:00	07:00	11:00	07:00
09:30	10:15	09:30	10:15
06:15	08:45	06:15	08:45
12:45	05:00	12:45	10:15

Card ... is the winner!

10:00 am = 10:00
10:00 pm = 22:00

9 Osserva gli orologi e scrivi gli orari.



1- It's .....
2- It's .....
3- It's .....
4- It's .....

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A revision of...

- time prepositions

10 Rispondi alle domande.

1- What day is it today? .....

2- What date is it today? .....

3- What time is it? .....

4- Where are you? .....

11 Ascolta e completa. (24)

Invitation to Alfie's Party

Day (1) .....

Date (2) .....

Time (3) .....

Place (4) .....

Dress code (5) .....

and ..... colours.

Phone 0712436 to confirm. Thanks!

12 Collega le domande alle risposte.

1- What day is the party?	A- It's in the park.
2- What date is the party?	B- It's on Saturday.
3- What time is the party?	C- It's on the 21st of September.
4- Where are you?	D- Black and white clothes.
5- What is the dress code?	E- At half past two.

Yan's Study Time

13 Ascolta e leggi. (25)

Capiamo bene insieme come usare le preposizioni di tempo.

We use...

IN for **months**, **seasons** and **parts** of the **day**
We say:
IN January
IN summer
IN the morning

ON for **days** and **dates**
We say:
ON Monday
ON the 3rd of March

AT for **times**
We say:
AT six o'clock

14 Scrivi la preposizione corretta.

1- ..... 8 o'clock.	4- ..... December.	7- ..... 09:45.
2- ..... Saturday.	5- ..... the evening.	8- ..... autumn.
3- ..... the 7th of July.	6- ..... half past seven.	9- ..... the 1st of June.

15 Segui la legenda e colora: IN - ON - AT

The 17th of April | 11:30 | WINTER | OCTOBER | WEDNESDAY | The 21st of August | JUNE | FRIDAY | SUMMER

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Holiday crossword & wordseach puzzles with SPLASH AND FUN 1 2 3 & 4

It just wouldn't be a summer holiday without crosswords and wordsearches!

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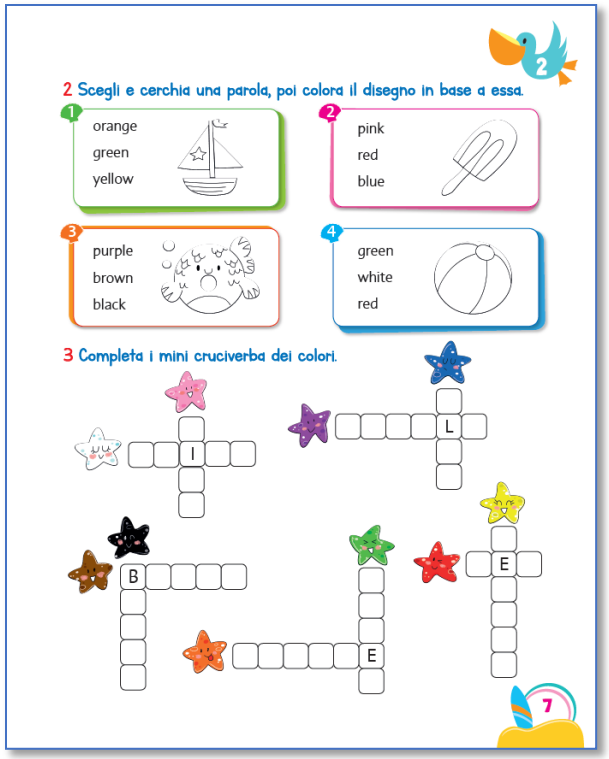

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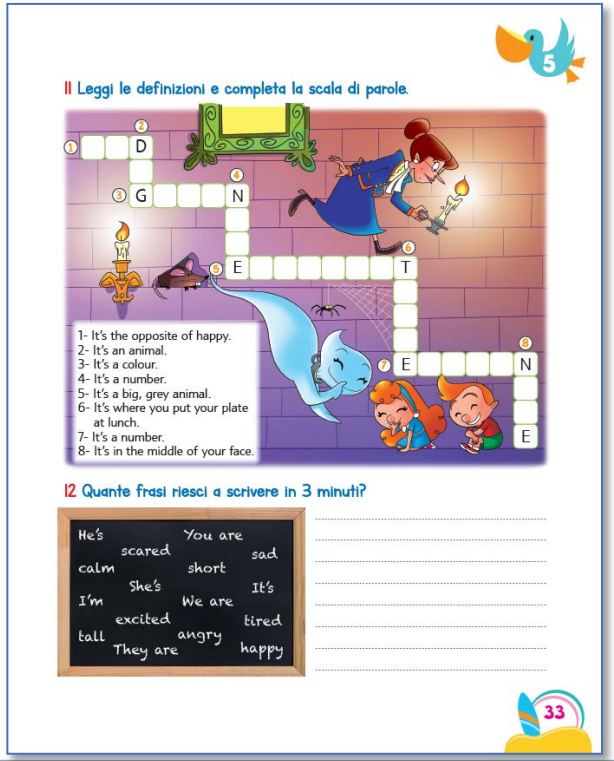

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Story time

At the end of units 1,3 & 5 in Splash and Fun 2, there is a story time activity which combines ALL 3 skills;
Listening, Reading and Writing.

Listen to the story. **Observe** the pictures. **Choose** the correct word to complete the dialogue

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Summer FUN IDEAS

• Crea la tua opera d'arte naturale.

LAND ART

YOU NEED:

- stones
- shells
- seeds
- pieces of wood
- leaves

1- Go out: to the beach, to the park, into the woods...

2- Find natural things: stones, shells, seeds, flowers, leaves...

3- Make some pictures on the ground. You can choose a shape like a circle, a heart, a spiral...

4- Leave your work in place, for other people to enjoy!

• Scopri qual è la destinazione ideale della tua vacanza.

HOLIDAY QUIZ
What's your ideal destination?

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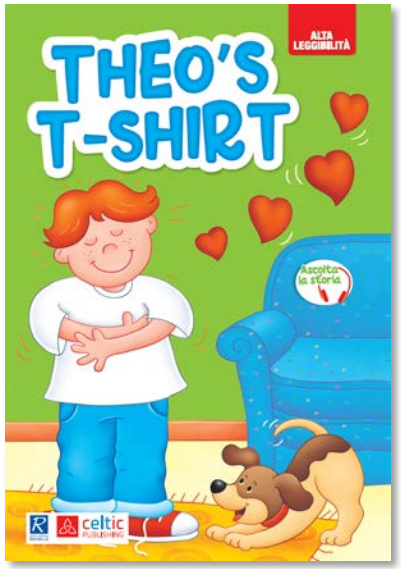
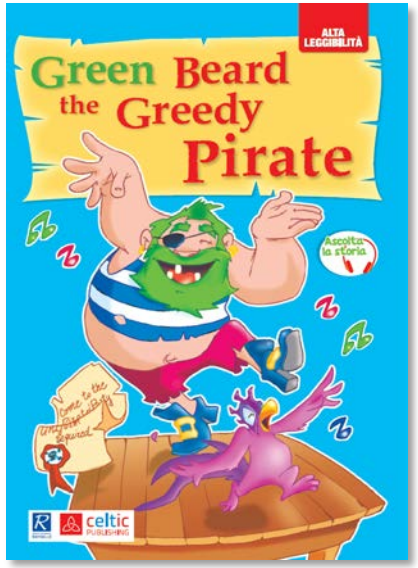
Listen to the story…





Each fiction reading book as well as all the audios in the workbook can be listened to in an **MP3** format, a **CD** or through the **Raffaello Player app**.

Sail to secondary is a new complete workbook to review and consolidate the English language learned in the 5 years of primary.

An excellent tool for class 5 students transition to secondary school.

Online audios and a CD is available

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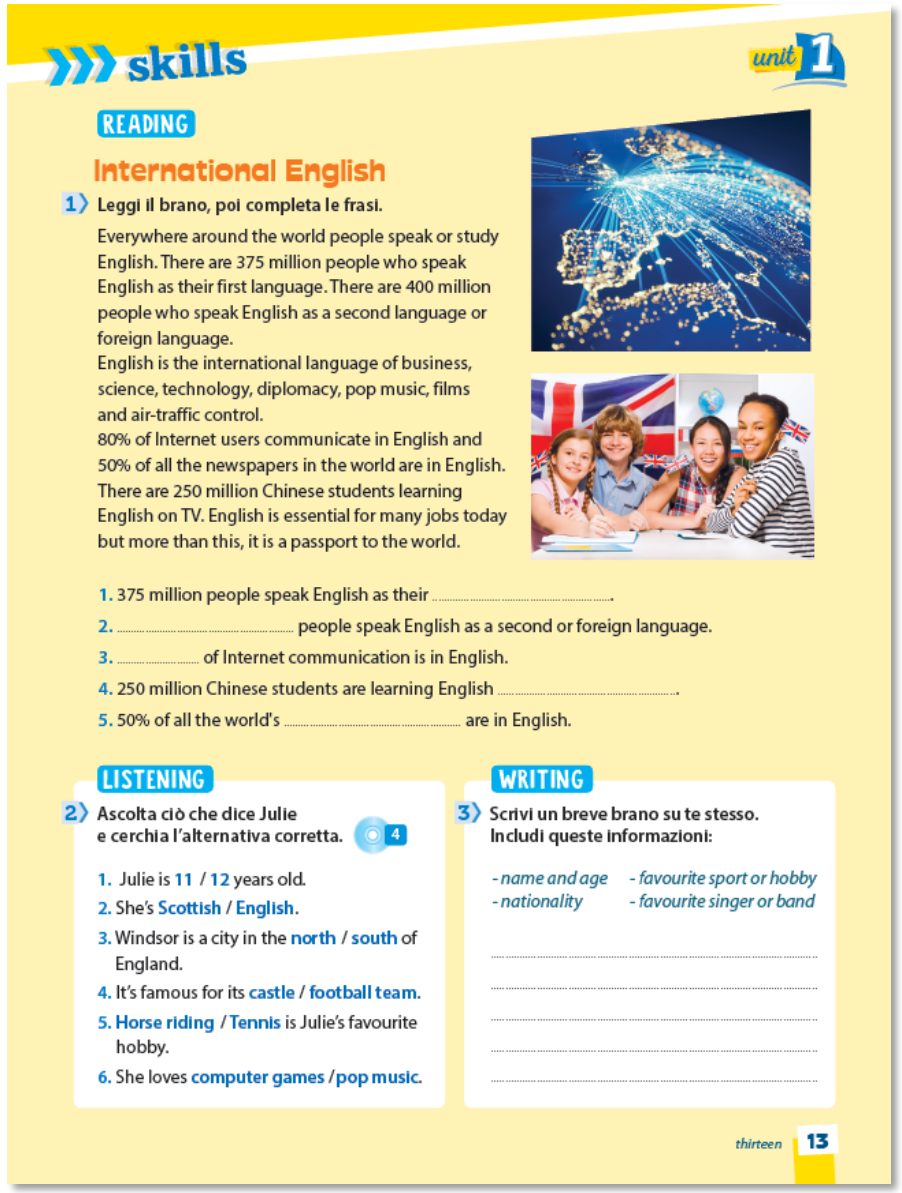
Sail to Secondary

In each of the 6 units there is a focus on…

- Vocabulary
- Grammar section with explanations and exercises
- Interaction activities
- Reading, Writing and Listening Skills with topics on culture and civilization
- Comic story to enhance reading skills
- Entry Test

There is a selection of online digital games and solutions to reinforce each unit and a «Let's Check Now!» progress check pages for every 2 units completed.



skills

unit 1

READING

International English

1 Leggi il brano, poi completa le frasi.

Everywhere around the world people speak or study English. There are 375 million people who speak English as their first language. There are 400 million people who speak English as a second language or foreign language.
English is the international language of business, science, technology, diplomacy, pop music, films and air-traffic control.
80% of Internet users communicate in English and 50% of all the newspapers in the world are in English. There are 250 million Chinese students learning English on TV. English is essential for many jobs today but more than this, it is a passport to the world.

1. 375 million people speak English as their .....
2. ..... people speak English as a second or foreign language.
3. ..... of Internet communication is in English.
4. 250 million Chinese students are learning English .....
5. 50% of all the world's ..... are in English.

LISTENING

2 Ascolta ciò che dice Julie e cerchia l'alternativa corretta. 4

1. Julie is 11 / 12 years old.
2. She's Scottish / English.
3. Windsor is a city in the north / south of England.
4. It's famous for its castle / football team.
5. Horse riding / Tennis is Julie's favourite hobby.
6. She loves computer games / pop music.

WRITING

3 Scrivi un breve brano su te stesso. Includi queste informazioni:

- *name and age*
- *nationality*
- *favourite sport or hobby*
- *favourite singer or band*

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A **SUMMER HOLIDAY** theme in each unit to revise and consolidate grammar and vocabulary with authentic settings.

- Meeting new International friends and their families
- Enrolling for Summer Camp
- Outdoor and indoor Sports
- Daily routines at Summer Camp
- Describing differnt types of summer holidays

InterAction unit 2

Asking for and giving personal information

1) Completa il dialogo con le domande appropriate. Poi ascolta e controlla. 8

What's your email address? • Can I ask you some questions? • Have you got any pets? • What's your address? • What's your family name? • What's your phone number? • What are your interests, Lisa?

Secretary: Hi Lisa. Welcome to our summer camp.
(1) .....
Lisa: Of course.
Secretary: (2) .....
Lisa: It's Harding. H-A-R-D-I-N-G.
Secretary: (3) .....
Lisa: 26 Oak Road, Canterbury.
Secretary: (4) .....
Lisa: It's 369 2580 743.
Secretary: Thanks. (5) .....
Lisa: It's lisastar@joynet.net.
Secretary: OK. (6) .....
Lisa: Well, they are music and animals!
Secretary: (7) .....
Lisa: Yes, I've got a dog. His name's Coco.

2) Leggi il dialogo e completa il modulo.

Summer CAMP

First name: (1) .....
Family name: (2) .....
Address: (3) .....
.....
Phone number: (4) .....
Email address: (5) .....
Interests: (6) .....
.....
.....
Pets: (7) .....

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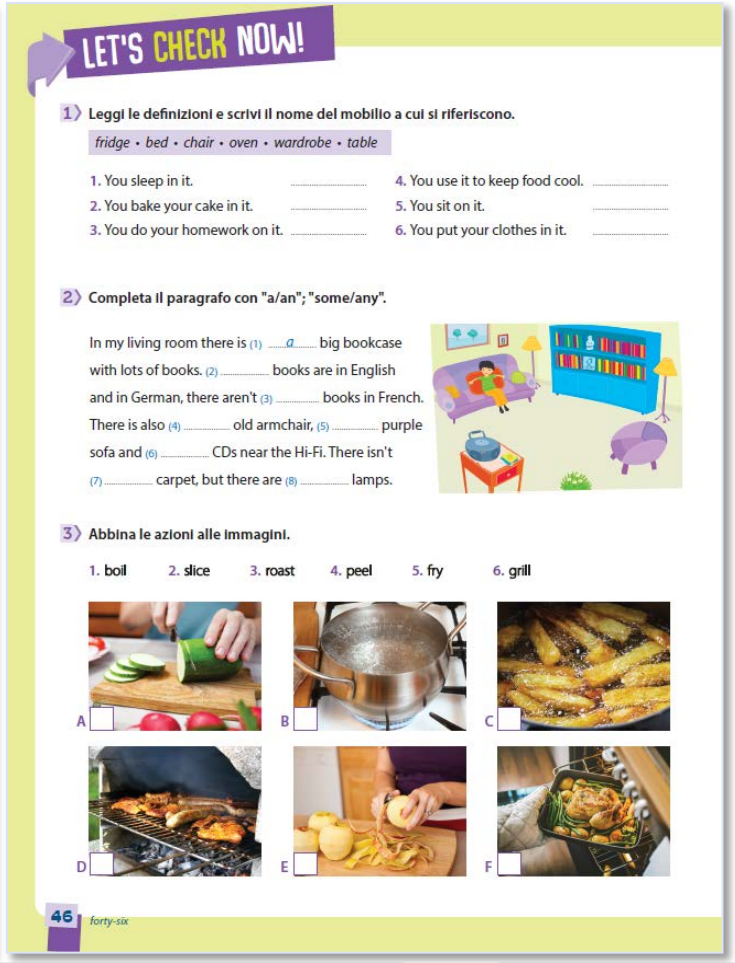

LET'S CHECK NOW!

1) Leggi le definizioni e scrivi il nome del mobilio a cui si riferiscono.

fridge • bed • chair • oven • wardrobe • table

1. You sleep in it. .....
2. You bake your cake in it. .....
3. You do your homework on it. .....
4. You use it to keep food cool. .....
5. You sit on it. .....
6. You put your clothes in it. .....

2) Completa il paragrafo con "a/an"; "some/any".

In my living room there is (1) *a* big bookcase with lots of books. (2) ..... books are in English and in German, there aren't (3) ..... books in French. There is also (4) ..... old armchair, (5) ..... purple sofa and (6) ..... CDs near the Hi-Fi. There isn't (7) ..... carpet, but there are (8) ..... lamps.

3) Abbina le azioni alle immagini.

1. boil 2. slice 3. roast 4. peel 5. fry 6. grill

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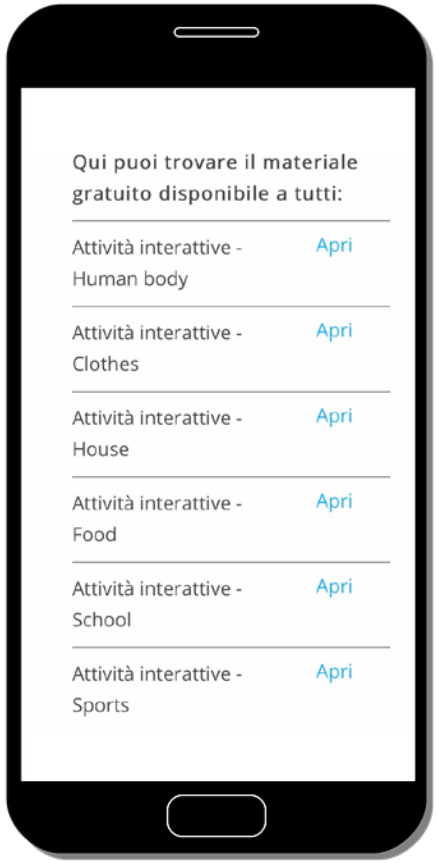
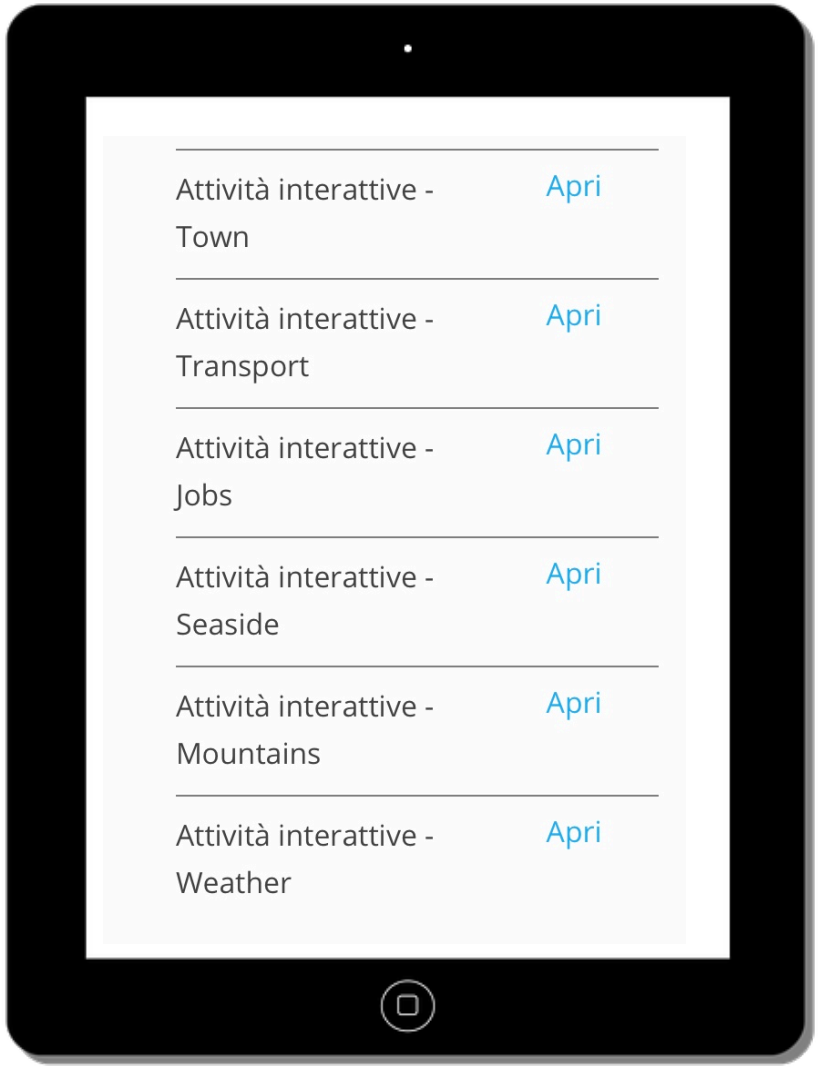
Raffaello digitale

FREE online extension exercises.

A selection of 12 fun activities to aid students through the units of the workbook.

Enter the **link** and **code** found inside the front cover of Sail to Secondary and click onto the interactive activity!





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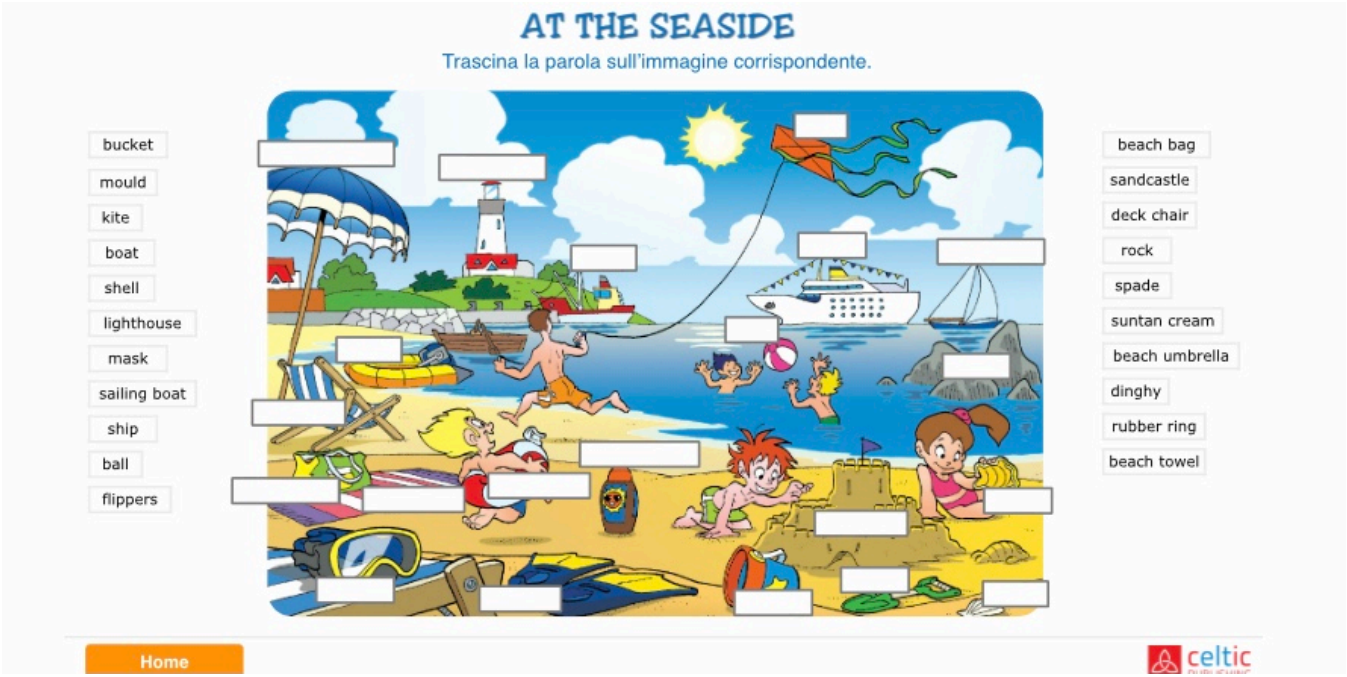
There are 3 different activities for each theme;

- Audio for pronunciation
- Drag and drop
- Gap fill



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TEEN TALENT Show

- Comic Story of a group of friends who meet at a music and dance talent show
- Every episode reviews the vocabulary and grammar from each unit
- A storyline based on friendship and collaboration

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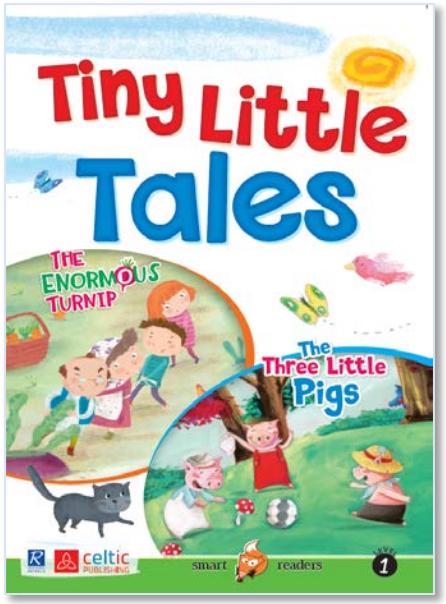
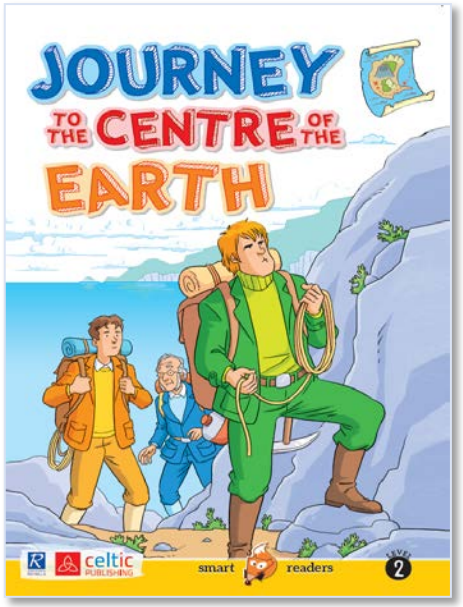
The new series of English fiction for primary school aged children.
A selection of 20 classic and original stories divided into 3 A1 CEFR reading levels





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level 1 for those taking their first steps in reading in English

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level 2 for students who have begun reading in English

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level 3 for students who are building confidence in reading in English

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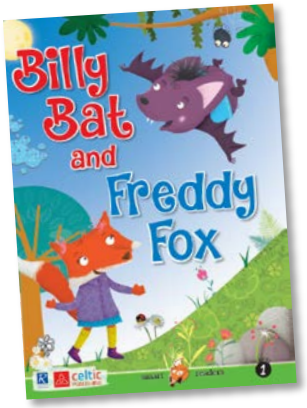

Green = level 1 for those taking their first steps in reading in English

Smart readers have been designed for young EAL readers. The basic vocabulary and rhyming words from the green level books help build confidence so they become familiar with simple language forms, learn new vocabulary and build-on the necessary skills as they read through each level.

The series combine classic and original stories with pleasant illustrations to assist comprehension of the text and online audios and CDs to consolidate pronunciation.

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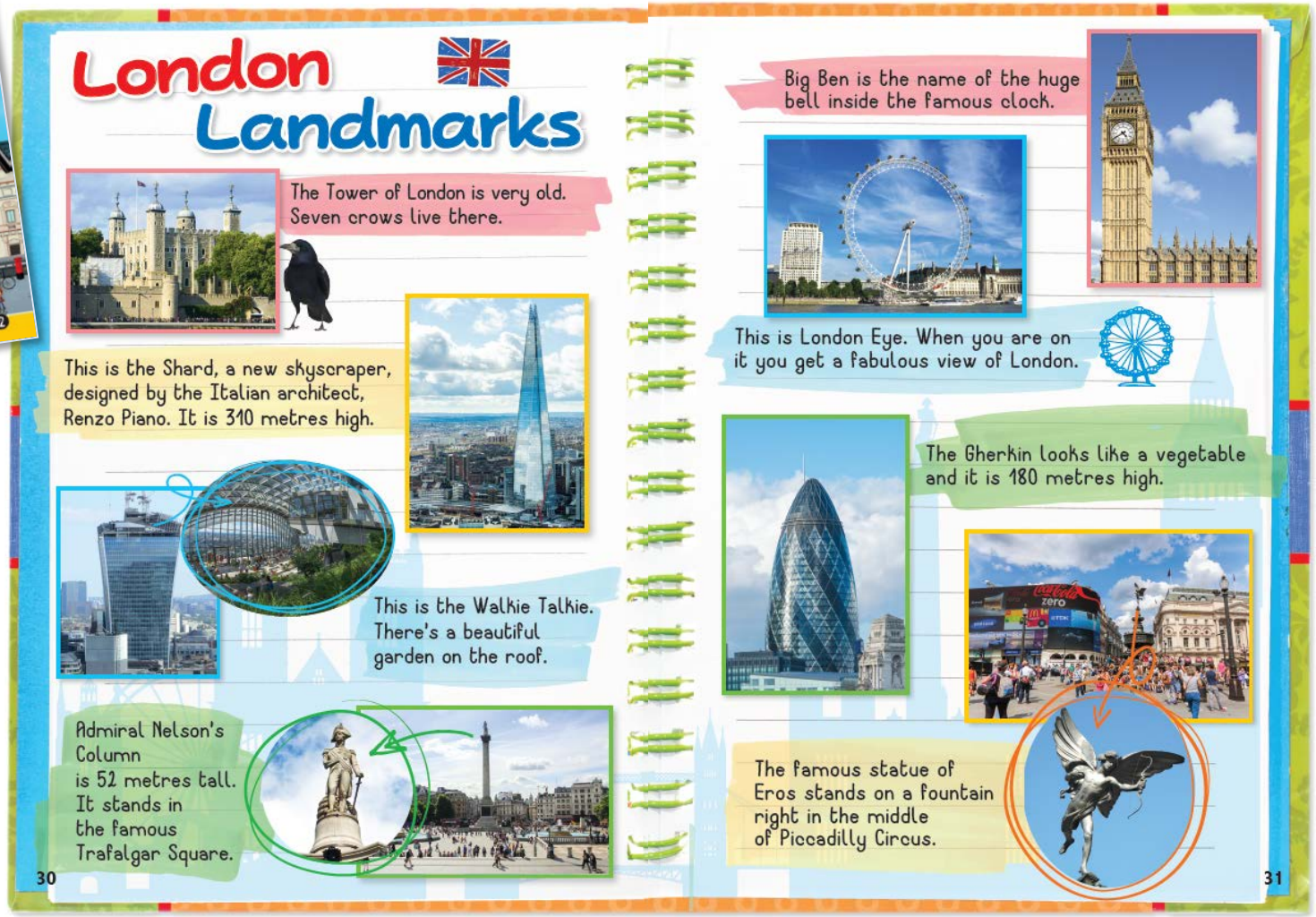
Books are more enjoyable when there are some after-reading activities included...

At the end of every smart readers storybooks you can find fun activities and exercises which allow children to practise the vocabulary focus and grammar.

These are followed by pages regarding culture and social studies which have been introduced in each book with typical traditions and customs from English speaking countries.

Yellow = level 2 for students who have begun reading in English



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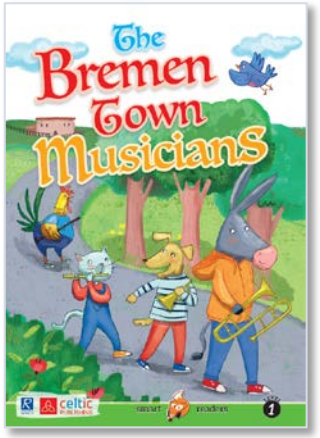

ACTIVITIES

1 Look at the pictures. Write the words.

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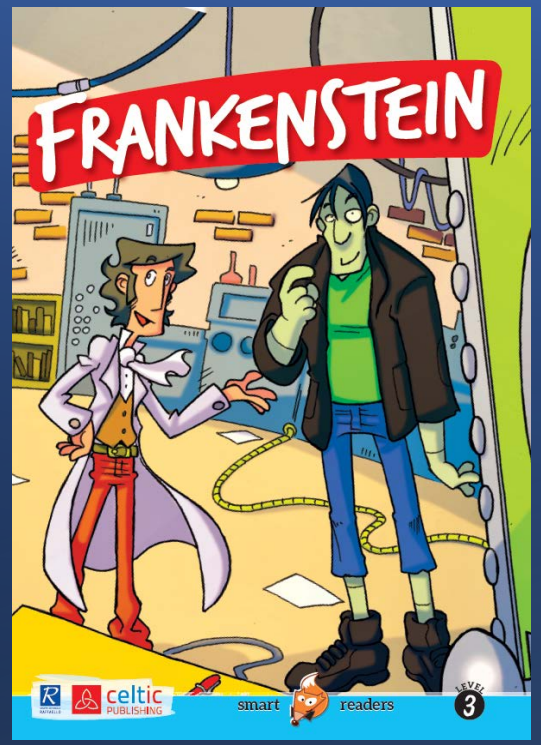
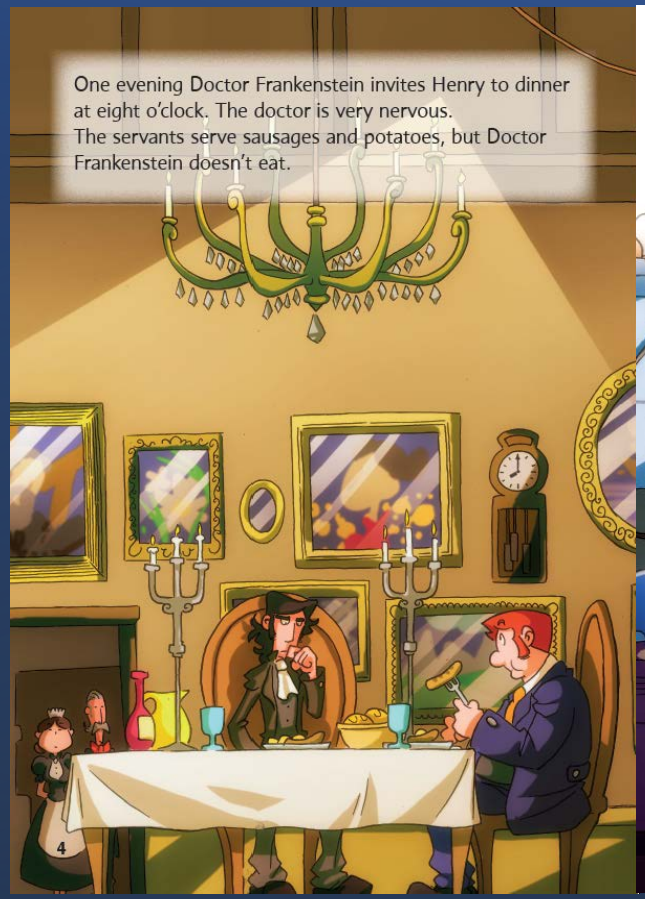
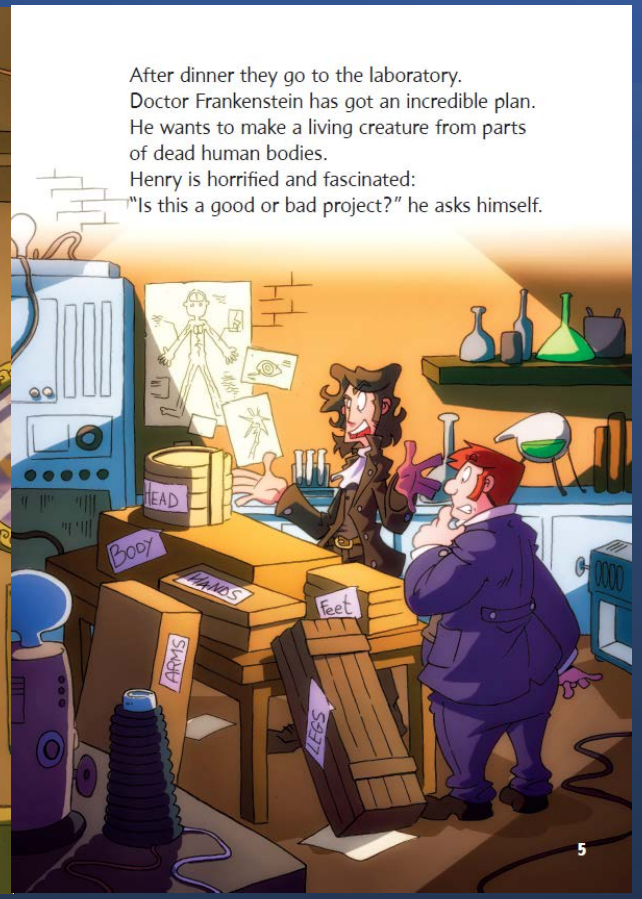


Classic story

Blue = level 3 for students who are building confidence in reading in English





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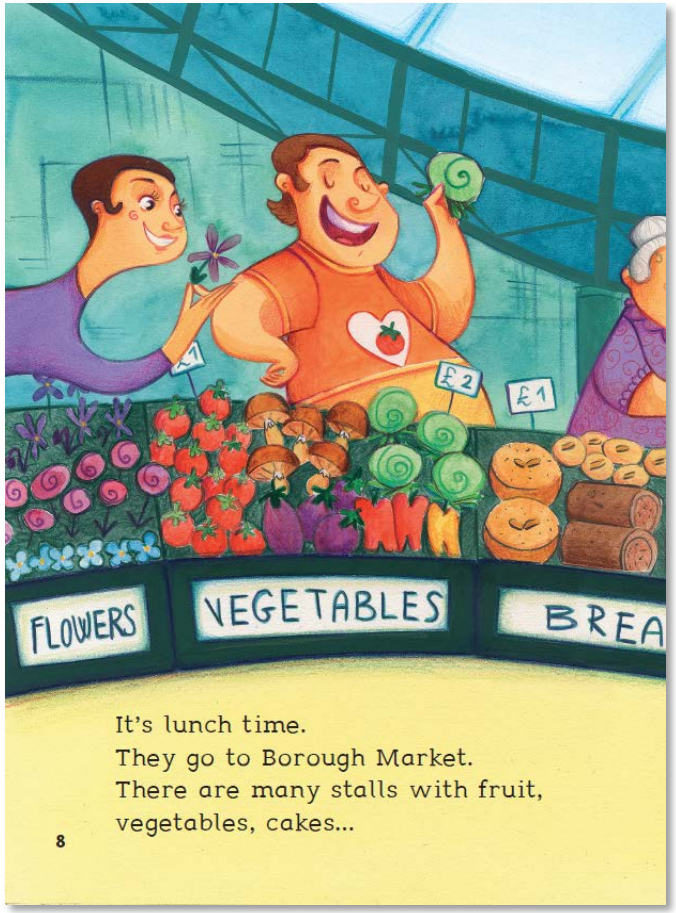

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On Wednesday Eli and Ila go on a big red bus.
They run upstairs and sit at the front of the bus. "We're driving!" they shout.

Soon they see Tower Bridge. The bridge opens and a sailing boat goes past!
"Next stop: Tower of London!" they say.

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What do you remember?

Fun comprehension activities

5 Look and read. Write yes or no.

1 Borough Market is a popular market in London. .....
2 There are three stalls in the picture. .....
3 The vegetables are between the flowers and the bread. .....
4 Ila and Eli are eating pizza. .....
5 They don't like fish and chips. .....
6 The people are happy in the picture. .....

6 Read and choose a word from the box.

FRIDAY - TUESDAY - THURSDAY - WEDNESDAY

On ..... Eli and Ila go on a boat trip.

On ..... Eli and Ila visit the Tower of London.

On ..... Eli and Ila go to Buckingham Palace.

On ..... Eli and Ila go to the Natural History Museum.

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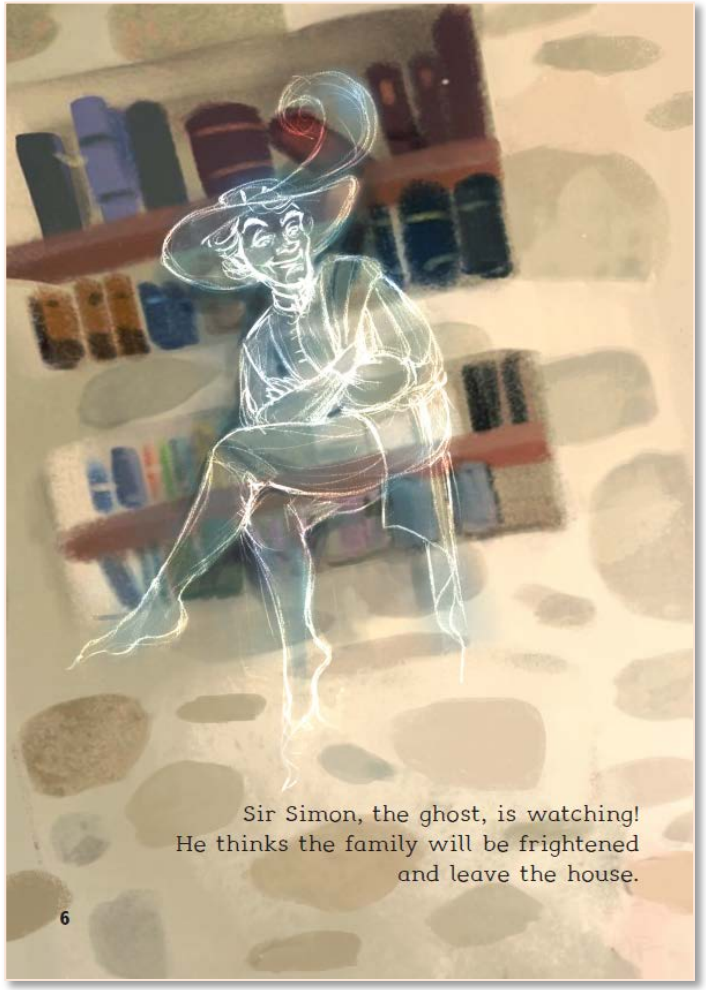
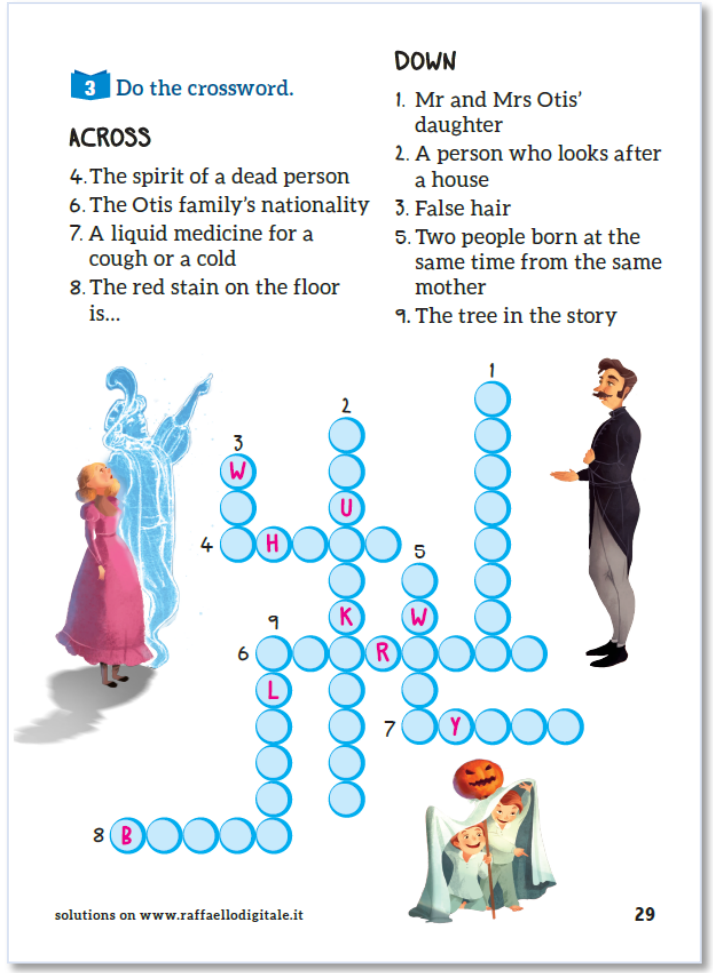
Classic

Blue = level 3 for students who are building confidence in reading in English

A most loved classic by Oscar Wilde.
A very rich American family move to England. They buy a mansion called Canterville Chase. They soon discover that their home is haunted by a ghost, Sir Simon, who is not happy about the family of strangers moving in.
He makes many attempts to frightened them away!





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culture and social studies pages

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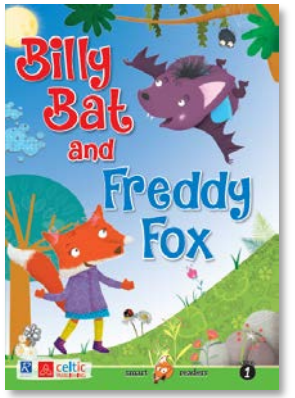
A fantastic reading series that helps to review and consolidate vocabulary, grammar structures for primary school children.

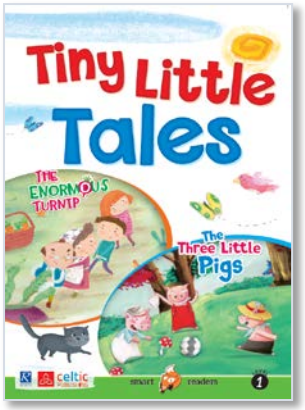
Graded across three levels from learning to read in English to becoming a second language reader!

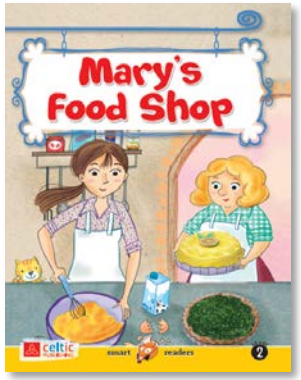
These books can be used as a review of the English language learned during the school year.

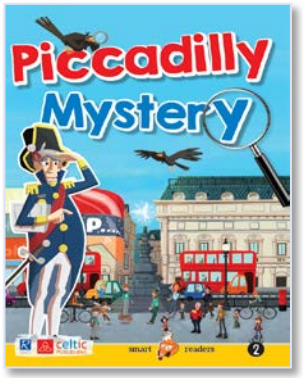
A resource for ages 7+ to 10+

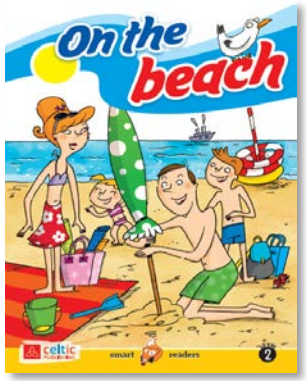
So, without doubt a summer time learning experience!

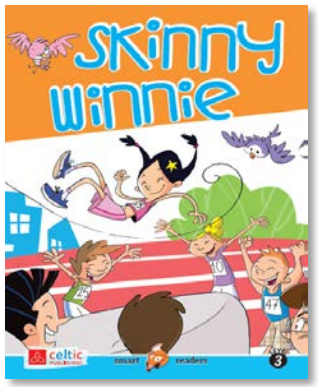








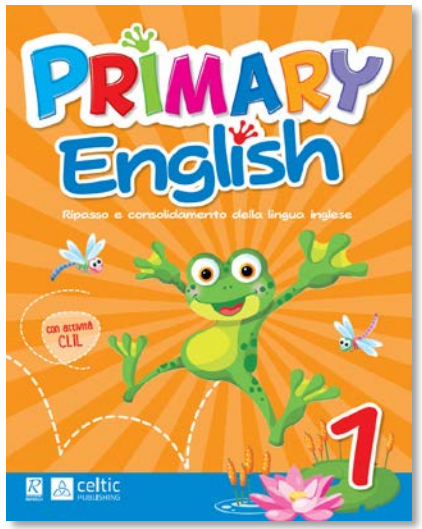


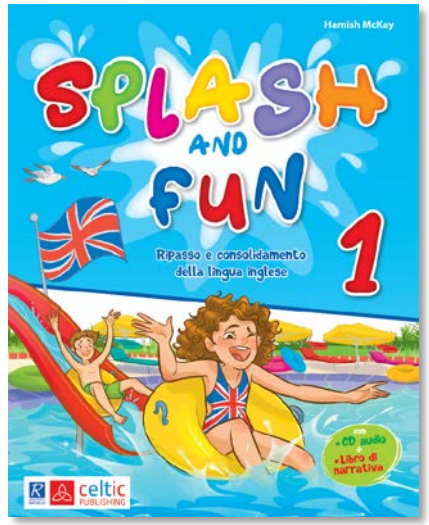


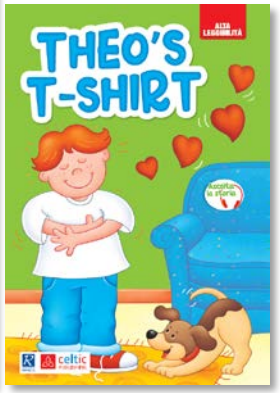
Choosing reliable Summer Holiday homework can be difficult sometimes but there are lots of valid options!

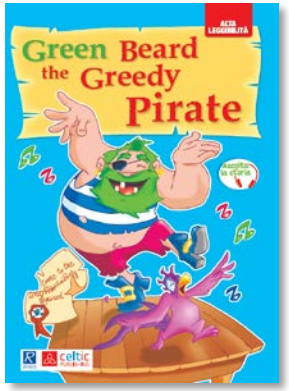
Practising key skills ensures that all good work that your children have achieved in English isn't forgotten.

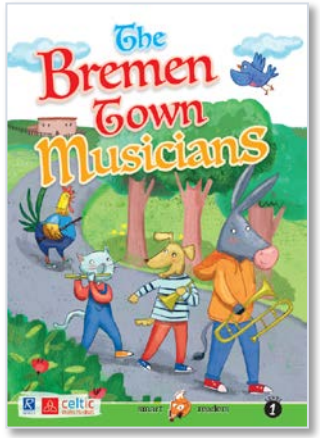
I have shown you a few suggestions that I believe will keep children engaged through having fun in their learning.

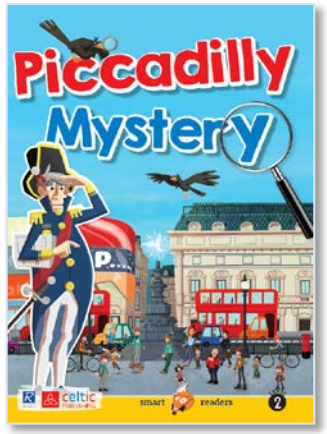












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