

Starter Level Readers

These titles are books for absolute beginner readers. Written for adults, they have a small number of pages, large print, simple typefaces, and a small number of words per page. The vocabulary is controlled and there are frequent repetitions of words and phrases. Most of these books are illustrated, with the exception of the small A6 format books.

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These books are all available for purchase individually. We have also put together a *Starter Reader Collection* containing 35 of these titles at a special price (see next page). The books are grouped by publisher as the books from each publisher usually share a common format and content.

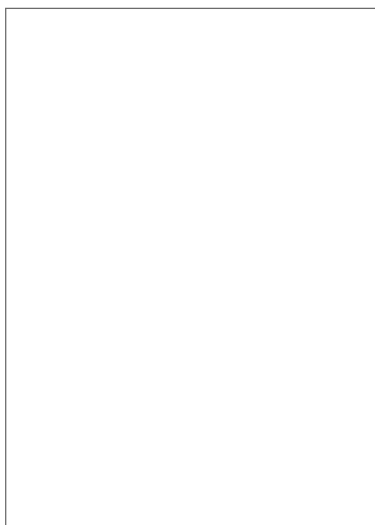
Peppercorn

Starter Reader Collection 2006

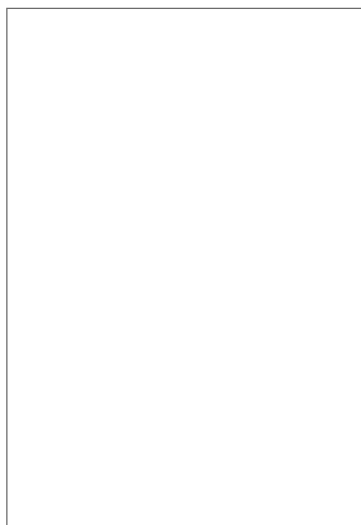
The **Peppercorn Starter Reader Collection 2006** brings together **35** books from our catalog of readers for new adult readers. The collection features books for absolute beginners which are firm favorites with adult learners around the USA and which have been requested repeatedly. The books all feature a small number of words per page, structured repetition and controlled vocabulary. They all contain from 8-12 pages and are illustrated.

The special price of **\$200** represents a saving of about **5%** on the cost of purchasing the titles individually. The books were published in different years: this description is for the 2006 collection.

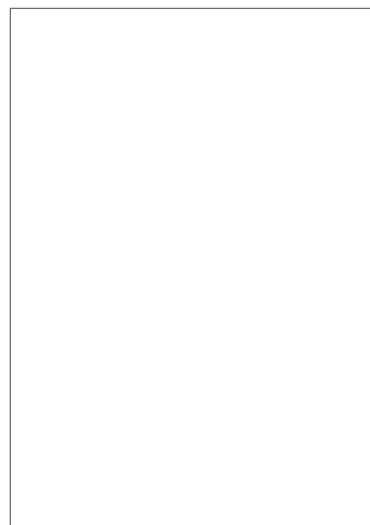
The titles in the Peppercorn Starter Reader Collection are selected from the 46 Starter Readers listed on our website. We reserve the right to substitute titles according to availability.



Carmen's Day



A Woman's Work

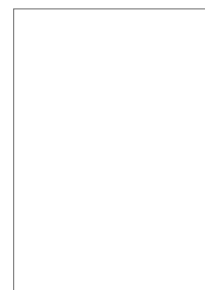


New Home

You can review sample pages from all of these books on our website: www.peppercornbooks.com

Title: Peppercorn Starter Reader Collection 2006
Peppercorn Title #: 100-0046
Price: \$120.00

We also offer collections covering our beginner, intermediate, advanced, student writing, East African Biography, and Cool Books publications.



Chippewa Valley Publishing

These books are part of the *Shared Umbrella Series*, a collection of low-level, high interest reading books written specifically for adult literacy students. All include a word list.

Price: \$5.00 each

Place of Publication: Eau Claire, Wisconsin

Length/Size: 20 pgs, 5.5 x 8.5 inches, portrait

Go to Work Fred

Read about Fred's hectic morning before work.

ISBN: 1-885474-01-6

Year of Publication: 1997

Peppercorn Title #: 576-0001

Carmen's Day

A day in the life of Carmen and her two children.

ISBN: 1-885474-02-4

Year of Publication: 1997

Peppercorn Title #: 576-0002

A Holiday for Mee

A woman from Laos is confused over an American holiday.

ISBN: 1-885474-03-2

Year of Publication: 1997

Peppercorn Title #: 576-0003

The Citizenship Class (Easier Version)

A story about preparation for citizenship.

ISBN: 1-885474-24-5

Year of Publication: 1998

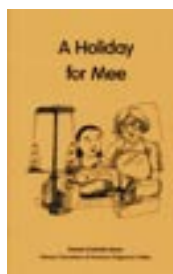
Peppercorn Title #: 576-0007

Picture Dictionary and Tutor's Guide

Available to accompany these books.

ISBN: 1-885474-04-0

Peppercorn Title #: 576-0004



AVANTI Books

Place of Publication: Stevenage, UK

Size: A5, portrait

Dog Fight

A story about two friends and their dogs.

Price: \$5.00

ISBN: 1-8986-14-13-X

Year of Publication: 1998

Length: 10 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 902-0001

New East Enders Series

Six stories about immigrants written for students learning English as a second language.

Price: \$6.50 each

Year of Publication: 2005

Length/Size: 18 pgs, A5, portrait

My Son is Sick

Amina's son is sick, and she takes him to the hospital.

ISBN: 1-898614-84-9

Peppercorn Title #: 903-0004

Fadumo Goes Shopping

Fadumo goes shopping with her children.

ISBN: 1-898614-85-7

Peppercorn Title #: 903-0001

Rima's Day

Rima's day is a typical day and mirrors everyday working lives.

ISBN: 1-898614-88-1

Peppercorn Title #: 903-0006

From Here to There

Different types of travel.

ISBN: 1-898614-86-5

Peppercorn Title #: 903-0002



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► Please note, all prices are subject to change.

Good Neighbours

Amina's family and Fadumo's family are friends and neighbors.

ISBN: 1-898614-83-0

Peppercorn Title #: 903-0003

A New Home

Salma's family has a new flat in a small block.

ISBN: 1-898614-87-3

Peppercorn Title #: 903-0005

New Readers Publishers

Price: \$7.95 each

Year of Publication: 1991

Place of Publication: Durban, South Africa

The Nkosi Family

Seven members of the Nkosi family share their feelings with you.

ISBN: 0-86980-853-2

Length/Size: 35 pgs, 6.5 x 8 inches, portrait

Peppercorn Title #: 610-0004

Woza Friday

Read about the different feelings a man has on a Monday, and again on a Friday.

ISBN: 0-86980-838-9

Length/Size: 29 pgs, A5, portrait

Peppercorn Title #: 610-0006

The Nkosi Family: Teacher Resource Materials

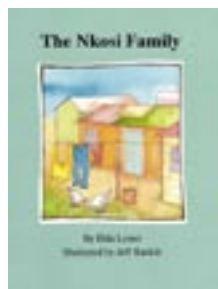
Price: \$10.00

Peppercorn Title #: 610-0104

Woza Friday: Teacher Resource Materials

Price: \$10.00

Peppercorn Title #: 610-0105



Porirua Language Project

Very simple basic readers that are very popular with adults needing basic level reading material. They have an average of 10 words per page, with good, clear print and plenty of repetition and reinforcement.

Price: \$5.00 each

Year of Publication: 1994

Place of Publication: Porirua, New Zealand

Length/Size: 6 pgs, A5, portrait

The Car

A story about getting a car to run.

ISBN: 1-898614-02-4

Peppercorn Title #: 901-0005

Fishing

A father tells about taking his son fishing.

ISBN: 1-898614-06-7

Peppercorn Title #: 901-0002

Housework

A story about one couple's sharing of chores.

ISBN: 1-898614-04-0

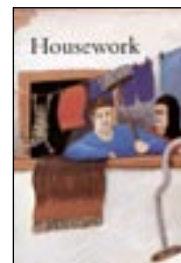
Peppercorn Title #: 901-0003

Shopping

A story about a shopping trip.

ISBN: 1-898614-03-2

Peppercorn Title #: 901-0001



Language Australia

Another series of very popular starter level readers featuring immigrant experiences.

Price: \$5.00 each

Place of Publication: Australia

Size: A4, portrait

Lan is Sick

Story of becoming sick, visiting a doctor, taking medicine and recovering.

ISBN: 0-7306-3416-7

Year of Publication: 1993

Length: 16 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 801-0001

The Present

Story about selecting and sending a birthday present to a grandmother in Turkey.

ISBN: 0-7306-3417-5

Year of Publication: 1991

Length: 14 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 801-0002

School

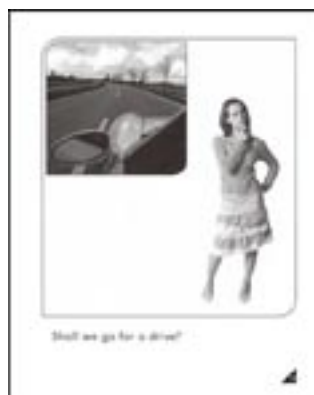
Four immigrant women describe schooling in their native countries.

ISBN: 0-7306-3418-3

Year of Publication: 1991

Length: 14 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 801-0003



AXIS Education

The series *This Life Readers*, are photo stories featuring a group of friends and the everyday decisions they have to make.

Price: \$7.95 each

Year of Publication: 2004

Place of Publication: Shrewsbury, UK

Length/Size: 24 pgs, 6.25 x 8.5 inches, portrait

Career Ladder

A story about finding a new job.

ISBN: 1-903685-64-8

Peppercorn Title #: 927-0002

Hot Date

A story about deciding where to go on a date.

ISBN: 1-903685-66-4

Peppercorn Title #: 927-0006

A Lot to Do

John has a million things to do, find out how he tackles the problem.

ISBN: 1-903685-63-4

Peppercorn Title #: 927-0005

The Perfect Present

John tries to find the perfect present for Bev's birthday.

ISBN: 1-903685-68-0

Peppercorn Title #: 927-0004

Couch Potato

John watches too much TV. Maybe he should take up a hobby. Read to find out how he solves this problem.

ISBN: 1-903685-65-6

Peppercorn Title #: 927-0003

Meet the Parents

Bev is asked to meet her new boyfriend's parents, find out how she handles the situation.

ISBN: 1-903685-67-2

Peppercorn Title #: 927-0001

Brown and Brown

The Accident

Includes five books, telling the story of a wreck from five viewpoints.

Price: \$12.50

ISBN: 1-870596-44-7

Year of Publication: 1994

Place of Publication: Wigton, UK

Length/Size: 16 pgs, A6, portrait

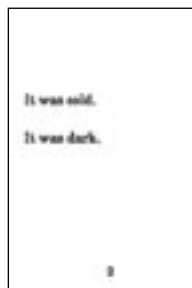
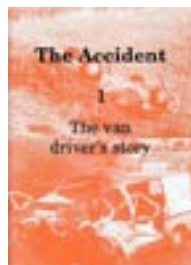
Peppercorn Title #: 925-0004

Exercises

To accompany *The Accident*.

Price: \$7.95

Peppercorn Title #: 925-0005



Spike Press

Delightful stories designed for beginning readers, most with a humorous twist.

Price: \$5.75 each

Place of Publication: Coventry, UK

Size: A5, portrait

A Woman's Work

Captures the spirit of women who long to escape the pleasures of being home full time.

ISBN: 1-872916-20-1

Year of Publication: 1992

Length: 10 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 911-0001

Peeping Tom

Tom is a "peeping tom", but one day he gets caught, with dire consequences.

ISBN: 1-872916-14-7

Year of Publication: 1993

Length: 12 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 911-0008

Home from Home

A woman finds a job in a hotel and discovers she is fully equipped from her home experiences.

ISBN: 1-872916-21-X

Year of Publication: 1992

Length: 10 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 911-0006

Poor Rob

Rob owes Big Al some money. He tries to get it from the bank...with the help of a gun!

ISBN: 1-872916-18-X

Year of Publication: 1991

Length: 12 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 911-0009

Stan the Thug

Stan likes hitting people, but his wife is fed up and delivers an ultimatum.

ISBN: 1-872916-15-5

Year of Publication: 1991

Length: 12 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 911-0010

Time Runs Out

Doris and her friends go shopping often until they are caught stealing.

ISBN: 1-872916-17-1

Year of Publication: 1991

Length: 12 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 911-0002

Taken for a Ride

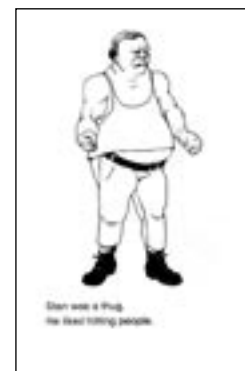
Story about the author's love of fast cars, unfortunately not ones that belong to him.

ISBN: 1-872916-16-3

Year of Publication: 1991

Length: 12 pgs

Peppercorn Title #: 911-0011



► More books from this publisher are listed in the *Beginner Level Reader* section.

Gatehouse Publisher

Gatehouse books are an important resource for adult learners. Written by adults in literacy and ESOL programs, they are of high interest and are well produced.

Price: \$7.50 each
Place of Publication: Manchester, UK
Size: A5, portrait

Funny What Smells Can Do

A simple story about the author's favorite food from her childhood.

ISBN: 1-84231-010-0
Year of Publication: 2004
Length: 16 pgs
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0089

Audio-cassette

Price: \$7.50
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0090

Fun at Fine Fare

A supermarket clerk describes his workday.

ISBN: 0-906253-36-5
Year of Publication: 1981
Length: 13 pgs
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0019

Just My Luck

An amusing tale of what happened to the author the day she was supposed to go to a wedding.

ISBN: 0-906253-11-X
Year of Publication: 1981
Length: 16 pgs
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0015

Too Late

The author visits the dentist and confusion arises when she isn't able to read a notice on the door.

ISBN: 0-906253-12-8
Year of Publication: 1982
Length: 14 pgs
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0013

Fresh Pickings

A simple story about the fresh produce the author remembers from her childhood.

ISBN: 1-84231-001-9
Year of Publication: 2004
Length: 14 pgs
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0087

Audio-cassette

Price: \$7.50
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0088

The Diet

A tongue-in-cheek poem about the ups and downs of the battle of the bulge.

ISBN: 1-84231-017-8
Year of Publication: 2005
Length: 14 pgs
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0091

Audio-cassette

Price: \$7.50
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0092

Sam the Man

Sam follows his father's footsteps, into a world of gangs and criminality, leaving a trail of sadness and anger in his wake.

ISBN: 1-84231-022-4
Length: 52 pgs
Peppercorn Title #: 940-0094



► More books from this publisher are listed in the *Beginner Level Reader* section.

King Street Readers

The *King Street Reading Scheme* offers a set of very basic graded readers especially designed for adult learners. Soap-opera style stories focus on the nine families living on King Street, a fictional neighborhood somewhere in the UK, complete with a pub and a corner shop.

Set One

Includes 10 books with 4-5 words per page.

Price: \$29.50

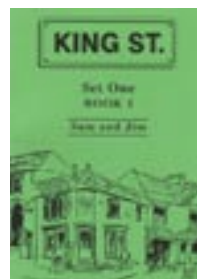
ISBN: 1-903166

Year of Publication: 1999

Place of Publication: Welshpool, UK

Length/Size: 9-11 pgs, A6, portrait

Peppercorn Title #: 915-0001



► Sets *One* +, and *Two* are listed in the *Beginner Level Readers* section. Set *Three* is listed in the *Intermediate Level Readers* section.

Lerner Publications

The *Where Am I? Series* from *Lerner Publications Company* consists of five books, dealing with concepts of place.

Price: \$4.25 each

Year of Publication: 2002

Place of Publication: Minneapolis, MN

Length/Size: 24 pgs, 6 x 7 inches, portrait

Where is My Continent?

ISBN: 0-8225-198-28

Peppercorn Title #: 440-0001

Where is My Country?

ISBN: 0-8225-198-1X

Peppercorn Title #: 440-0002

Where is My Home?

ISBN: 0-8225-197-8X

Peppercorn Title #: 440-0003

Where is My State?

ISBN: 0-8225-198-01

Peppercorn Title #: 440-0004

Where is My Town?

ISBN: 0-8225-1979-8

Peppercorn Title #: 440-0005

