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The Teacher as the Magician & the Magic Power of Education

Dear teachers,

**T**t's been almost 2 years since fear brought us all living our lives in a more and more virtual dimension. Not long ago we were complaining that our kids were spending too much of their time playing too many video games, watching too much TV, tumbling down through computer windows or telephone tabs into a world of fantasy. And here we are, today, on the other side of the screen, tempting our students into a world of illusion where we think we can be safe... But are we?! Is isolation not a double blade solution? I remembered a TPR activity I was doing with

you a few years ago in which we were holding hands, swinging arms and singing: My hand.

Your hand.

We grow together.

You and me,

We play together...

Moving from the touch of the skin to the touch of the screen makes me feel sad. When we were complaining of our kids being absorbed inside a tiny case we were out of the box and could throw them a safety rope they could use to get back into the real world. But once we jump together into a mirrored world, we may find it difficult not to get all lost.

I remember the magic we feel in front of an Illusionist. I think any of us is so enchanted to see white rabbits coming out of a simple hat, human bodies cut into pieces that stick back together, cards coming out from behind our own ears. What can be more attractive than diving into the Magician's land? But is there a Magician's land? Or is there a trap into a nowhere land? How is that we have come to stick ourselves on a wheelless chair simulating life experience? How is it that the screen has become the gate to a world inside a mirror, a world within sight? Don't we wander forth to a computer-generated environment with the appearance of reality in which we fool ourselves that we are immersed?

Surviving is not always easy. Fear and sufferance may take us on the bottom of the illusionist's hat where we have the illusion of being protected and on the safe side. We come to fear human contact, to believe isolation and distancing is a must to stay safe, to hide our faces, our emotions, our smile, suppressing words that come as from behind a wall, losing their audibility. More sufferance infiltrates within our selves that push us to unsuspected realms, to non-existent spaces where we hide in fear, miming the remembrance of lough and joy.

Teachers have always been the wise people shaping life, the true magicians revealing the beauty of the real world, and I think it is our duty to guard and preserve Reality, to preserve the most precious attributes of humanity. We have to adjust our teaching methods and instruments so as to expose our students to education, but we have to remain their compasses and keep the balance up, so as our kids do not get lost in a virtual world.

We offer you wonderful tools to teach online, some of the kids and some of you may become more enthusiastic about working on our platform with the digibooks than in the class with the printed books, but it's good to pay attention to the emotional vibes and watch out the side effects of going too much into the online teaching, learning and living. The online interaction may reveal itself as a handy refuge under the circumstances of a world health crisis, but many kids and teens have become depressed, extremely sad, lost connection with friends and feel puzzled and confused and dare not get out of their new protective but alienating shell, sometimes out of the adult's reach.

So, let's keep the printed books on the desks as footprints towards Reality and carefully manage student's imagination and the use of technology! Digital learning was meant to reach the students, stir their curiosity and creativity, motivate and engage them into learning. It was not meant to be turned into the only way to communicate and relate to each other. So, we count on you, dear teachers, to take care of both your students' education and their emotional health by hopping on and off virtual reality. Mix English learning activities with self-development activities, that is, blend education and psychology as we badly need to make an appeal to the healing power of education.

Good luck in this new, still very challenging, school year, use the digital learning we provide with wisdom and care and let's find together what is there left to innovate in teaching & learning!

We are looking forward to meeting you within our new psychoeducational training programs about how to sustain and validate the potential of our students, their trust and confidence, how to make well-being the final destination in the realm of education.

2021-2022

You and us, we grow together!

Simona Popa Managing Director Uniscan Grup Educațional

#### Fairyland 3 & 4 Re-approved to Be **Used in Schools!**

We are happy to let you know that the new edition of Fairyland 3 and 4 has been reapproved by The Ministry of Education and you can continue using them with your students. The Fairyland series can be used from level 1 to level 4 and if you want it goes further to level 5 and 6. Levels 2, 3 and 4 are on the Ministry list of approved books while Fairyland 1 is on the Ministry list of approved auxiliary materials. Also, the workbooks and grammar books for all levels are approved as auxiliary materials for classroom use. Thus, you can safely continue the adventure to Fairyland with your students!

As you have already placed your order for Fairyland 3 within the Ministry platform, we have already delivered the books to the warehouse of each county, and you should already get them in schools by the beginning of the school year.

Vocabulary

**Grammar Practice** 

Limba modernă

engleză

Limba modernă

#### Place your school order for Fairyland 4 within the Ministry Platform and let the Adventure go on!

As, by the time you're reading our newsletter, the ministry platform will have already been opened for you to place your orders for grade 4, make sure you keep an eye on the ministry notifications to meet the deadlines. Place your order on Fairyland 4 (Limba engleză clasa a 4-a) and continue the journey to Fairyland!

#### Special offer!

Get for free upon adoption:

- Activity book
- Activation code for the Interactive Whiteboard Software





#### **HIGHLY IMPORTANT!**

You are kindly asked to contact us and require the activity book and the activation code for the Interactive Whiteboard Software you can use online that you get for free upon adoption. Mind that we do not know the names and postal addresses of the teachers that adopt or have adopted our books and need being informed by you.

It is our goal to support your teaching, so please enter the Teacher's Room section on our website www.uniscan.ro in order to download Teacher's books and audio CDs for free. You can also find useful annual planning model documents and other resources that can significantly help you enjoy your teaching. Don't miss the Fairyland microsite that brings fun downloads, cut outs, screen savers, wallpapers and certificates of achievement.

#### Express Publishing Special Offer 2021/2022

As you have already got used, we come to ease the educational process by offering you and your students up to 30% - 35% discounts during the whole school year!

Order Value	FIDELITY DISCOUNT*	EXTRA DISCOUNT	
500 - 999 lei	5%		
1000 - 2499 lei	10%	E0/ fue a commis	
2500 - 3999 lei	15%	5% free sample materials upon your choice	
4000 - 5999 lei	20%		
Over 6000 lei	25%		

<sup>\*</sup>Fidelity discount applies along the whole school year



# Extra Bonus — Psychoeducational Books!

This fall we would like to introduce you to our first selection of psychoeducational books you might find useful guides in your professional development. Any order over 4000 lei brings you one of the books below and any order under 4000 lei brings you a 20% discount on buying them.

Psychoeducational Selection of titles for Extra Bonus:

- Invatarea vizibila. Ghid pentru profesori
- Predarea bazata pe atasament.
   Cum sa creezi o clasa tribala
- Lumea interpersonala a copilului.
   O perspectiva bazata pe psihanaliza si psihologia dezvoltarii
- Școli care invata. A cincea disciplină aplicată în educație

ORDER VALUE	EXTRA BONUS
500 - 3999 lei	20 % discount on buying the books from the Psychoeducation selection of tiles
4000 lei +	100% discount on one of the titles from the Psychoeducational selection of titles

## **Express Publishing Approved Textbooks & Auxiliary Materials**





## **Approved Auxiliary Materials for Kindergarten & Preparatory Grade**

# COURSEBOOKS AND ACTIVITY BOOKS

- Happy Hearts (IWB available)
- Happy Rhymes
- The Flibets (IWB available)
- Welcome Starter A/B
- Little Smiles (IWB available)



Happy Rhymes Pack to accompany Happy Hearts

- Big Story Book
- Student's book
- Teacher's Book
- Class CD-s



#### **OPTIONAL READING**

The Ugly Duckling, The Town Mouse and The Country Mouse, Goldilocks and the Three Bears, The Little Red hen, Jack and the Beanstalk, The Toy Soldier, Henry Hippo, The Three Billy Goats Gruff, The Giant Turnip.

## PRIMARY SCHOOL APPROVED



#### **Ministry Approved Textbooks**

Fairyland 1\*/2/3/4

\*Approved as auxiliary material



Romanian Digital version available on https://www.manuale.edu.ro

Teacher's Books and CDs available for free download on our website, the Teacher's room section

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Annual planning for each title available on our website, in the Teacher's room section

(https://www.uniscan.ro/uniscan/teachers-room).



# Ministry Approved Auxiliary Materials/Optional Classe APPROVED

# COURSEBOOKS, WORKBOOKS & DIGITAL RESOURCES

- Fairyland international edition (SB available with iebooks; IWB available)
- Smiles 1/2/3/4/5/6 (SB available with iebooks; IWB available)
- I Wonder 1/2/3/4 (SB available with iebook, WB with digibook; IWB available)
- Welcome 1/2/3
- My Phonics
- Fun with English
- Picture Dictionary
- Letterfun

## Digi Primary Level 1/2/3/4/5 - Digibook Application!



#### **GRAMMAR**

Fairyland Vocabulary and Grammar Practice (1-6)

Smiles Vocabulary and Grammar Practice (1-6)

I Wonder Vocabulary and Grammar Practice (1-6)

#### **EXAMS**

Skills Builder Starters/ Movers/Flyers

#### **OPTIONAL READING**

Storytime Readers (digibooks available for some of the titles)
Explore our World CLIL Readers (digibooks available)

#### **GYMNASIUM**

#### **Approved Textbooks**

#### Grade 5:

L1 - Right On 1 Romanian Edition Ministry approved 2017
L2 - Spark 1 Romanian Edition Ministry approved 2017

#### Grade 6:

L1 Intensive - Blaze 2 - Romanian Edition - Ministry approved 2019 L1 - Right On 2 - Romanian Edition -Ministry approved 2019 L2 - Spark 2 - Romanian Edition Ministry approved 2019

#### Grade 7:

L1 Intensive - Blaze 3 - Romanian Edition - Ministry approved 2019 L1 - Right On 3 - Romanian Edition -Ministry approved 2019 L2 - Spark 3 - Romanian Edition - Ministry approved 2019

#### Grade 8:

L1 - Right On 4 - Romanian Edition -Ministry approved 2020 L2 - Spark 4 - Romanian Edition - Ministry approved 2020

Romanian Digital version available on <a href="https://www.manuale.edu.ro">https://www.manuale.edu.ro</a>
Teacher's Books and CDs available for free download on our website, the

Teacher's room section

(https://www.uniscan.ro/uniscan/teachers-room/materiale-gratuite. Annual planning for each title available on our website, in the Teacher's room section (<a href="https://www.uniscan.ro/uniscan/teacher-s-room">https://www.uniscan.ro/uniscan/teacher-s-room</a>).

Ministry Approved Auxiliary Materials/Optional Classes

# COURSEBOOKS, WORKBOOKS & DIGITAL RESOURCES



- New Enterprise A1/A2/B1/B1+/B2/ B2+/C1 (all components with digibooks, IWB available)
- Right On 1/2/3/4 (level coverage A1 B1+; all components with digibooks, IWB available)
- Spark (with Monstertrackers) 1/2/3/4 (level coverage A1-B1+; SB available

- with iebook, WB with digibook, IWB software available)
- Access 1/2/3/4 (level coverage A1-B1+; SB available with iebook, WB with digibook, IWB software available)
- Upstream: A1+/A2/B1/B1+ (IWB available)
- On Screen: 1/2/3/B1 (all components with digibooks, IWB available)
- Enterprise 1/2/3/4 (level coverage A1+ B2)
- Click on Starter 1/2/34 (level coverage A1-B2)
- Blockbuster 1/2/3/4 (level coverage A1 - B2)
- Prime Time 1/2/3/4/5 (level coverage
   A2 B2+; SB available with iebook, WB with digibook, IWB software available)
- Incredible 5 1/2/3 (level coverage A1 B1; SB available with iebook; WB &Grammar available with digibook; IWB available)
- Upload 1/2/3/4 (level coverage A1-B2;
   SB & WB available with iebook)
- Digi Secondary Extra Practice
   DigiBook Aplication A1/A2/B1, (digital resources)



# GRAMMAR BOOKS (GB) & DIGITAL RESOURCES

- New Enterprise GB A1/A2/B1/B1+/B2/ B2+/C1 (with digibooks)
- Right On GB A1 B1+ (with digibooks)
- Spark Grammar A1 B1 +
- Access Grammar: A1 + B1 +

- On Screen Workbook & Grammar 1/2/3/B1 (with digibooks)
- Prime Time Workbook & Grammar A2
   B2+ (with digibooks)
- I5 Workbook & Grammar (with digibooks)
- Enterprise Grammar (A1+-B2)
- It's Grammar time A1 + B1 + (with digibooks)
- Grammarway: A1+ B2
- Grammar Targets A1 B1



#### **SKILLS**

Help learners become effective communicators and competent public speakers!

- Spark Presentation Skills 1/2/3/4
- Prime Time Public Speaking Skills (1/2/3/4/5)
- Access Presentation Skills 1/2/3/4
- On Screen Presentation Skills (1/2/3/B1)
- I5 Presentations Skills (1/2/3)
- Reading and Writing Targets

#### **EXAMS**

- A2 Key/A2 Key for Schools (with digibooks)
- B1 Preliminary/B1 Preliminary for Schools (with digibooks)
- FCE Practice Exam Papers/FCE for Schools Practice Tests (with digibooks)
- FCE Use of English 1/2 (with digibooks)



# OPTIONAL READING Readers

- Storytime Readers (A1) titles available with digibooks
- (Early) Primary Readers: (A1)
- Graded Readers (Level 1: A2, Levels 3, 4: B1, Level 5: B2)
- Classic Readers (Level 1: A2, Levels 3, 4: B1, Level 5: B2, Level 6: C1)
- Illustrated Readers (Level 1: A1, Level2: A2, Level 3, 4: B1)
- Showtime Readers (Level 1: A1, Level 2, 3: A2, Level 4: B1, Level 5: B1/B1+, Level 6: B2)
- Favourite Classics (Level 1: A1, Level 2: A2, Level 3: B1)
- Explore Our World CLIL Readers with digibooks (Level 1, 2: A1/ A1+, Level 3, 4: A1+/ A2, Level 5, 6: A2/ A2+/ B1)
- Discover Our World CLIL Readers with digibooks (Level 1: A1+/A2, Level 2: A2/ A2+/ B1, Level 3: B1+/ B2).

#### HIGH SCHOOL



#### **Approved Textbooks**

- Upstream Intermediate/ Level B2/Approved for Grade 9 L1;
   Grade 10 L2, grade 11, L3
- Upstream Upper-intermediate/ Level B2+/ Approved for Grade 10 L1, Grade 11 L2, Grade 12 L3
- Upstream Advanced/ Level C1/ Approved for Grade 11 L1, Grade 12 L2
- Upstream Proficiency/ Level C2/ Approved for Grade 12 L1
- Upstream Pre-intermediate/ Level B1/ Approved for grade 9 L2
- Click On 4/ Level B2/ Approved for Grade 9 L2, grade 10 L3
- Enterprise 4/ Level B2/ Grade 9 L2, Grade 10, L3
- Click on 3/ Level B1/ Grade 9 L3
- Enterprise Plus/ Level B1/ Grade 9
   L3

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Annual planning available on our website, in the Teacher's room section (<a href="https://www.uniscan.ro/uniscan/">https://www.uniscan.ro/uniscan/</a> teacher-s-room).

# Ministry Approved Auxiliary Materials/ Optional Classes

# COURSEBOOKS, WORKBOOKS & DIGITAL RESOURCES

- Upstream Revised
   (Intermediate/Upper-intermediate/Advanced/Proficiency)
- On Screen: B1/B1+/B2/B2+/C1/C2 (all components available with digibooks)
- Digi Secondary Extra Practice
   DigiBook Aplication B2, Part A/B, C2
   (digital resources).



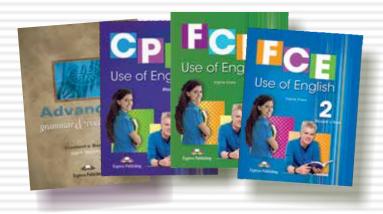
#### **SKILLS**

- Successful Writing
- On Screen Presentation Skills (B1+, B2, B2+, C1, C2)

#### **GRAMMAR**

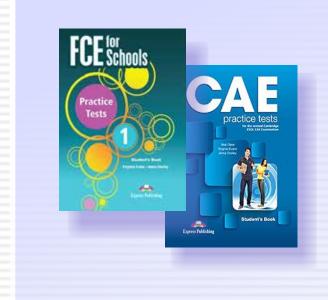
- Grammarway: B1 B2
- Enterprise Grammar: B1 B2
- FCE Use of English: B2 B2+ (available with digibooks)





#### **EXAMS**

- FCE for Schools (available with digibooks)
- CAE/CPE Practice Tests (available with digibooks)
- FCE Practice Exam Papers (available with digibooks)



#### **VOCATIONAL ENGLISH**

 Career Paths (Information Technology/ Computing/ Tourism/ Food Service Industries/ Hotels & Catering/ Nursing/ Military/ Navy/ Cooking/ Electrician/ Electronics/ Plumbing/ Mechanics/ Rail Transportation/ Construction) available with digibooks

#### OPTIONAL READING

- Graded Readers (Level 4: B1, Level
   5: B2)
- Classic Readers (Level 4: B1, Level
   5: B2, Level 6: C1)
- Showtime Readers (Level 4: B1, Level 5: B1/ B1+, Level 6: B2)
- Discover Our World CLIL Readers (Level 3: B1+/B2) – available with digibooks





#### **Overview on the Online Express Publishing Teaching Resources**

Please find below the coursebooks and auxiliary components that have digital support:

SCHOOL SEGMENT	COMPONENTS WITH DIGIBOOK	COMPONENTS WITH IEBOOK	INTERACTIVE WHITEBOARD SOFTWARE
(PRE) PRIMARY	-	-	Happy Hearts Starter/1/2 SB
	-	-	The Flibets Starter/1/2 SB
	-	-	Little Smiles SB
	-	-	Fairyland Starter SB
PRIMARY	l Wonder Starter/1/2/3/4/5/6 AB	l Wonder Starter/1/2/3/4/5/6 SB	l Starter/1/2/3/4/5/6 Wonder
	-	Smiles 1/2/3/4 SB	Smiles 1/2/3/4 SB
		Fairyland 1/2/3/4/5/6 SB	Fairyland 1/2/3/4/5/6 SB
	Digi Primary Level 1/2/3/4/5 DigiBook Application	-	-
LOWER SECONDARY	Right On 1/2/3/4 SB	Right On 1/2/3/4 SB	Right On 1/2/3/4 SB
	Right On 1/2/3/4 WB	-	-
	Right On 1/2/3/4 Grammar Book (GB)	-	-
	New Enterprise A1/A2/B1/B2/ B2+/C1 SB	-	New Enterprise A1/A2/B1/B1+/B2 SB
	New Enterprise A1/A2/B1/B1+/B2/B2+/C1 WB	-	-
	New Enterprise A1/A2/B1/B1+B2/B2+/C1 GB	-	-
	Incredible 5 1/2/3 WB & Grammar Book	Incredible 5 1/2/3 SB	Incredible 5 1/2/3 SB
	- Spark A1/A2, B1/ B1+ WB	- Spark A1/A2, B1/ B1+ SB	- Spark A1/A2, B1/ B1+ SB
	Prime Time 1/2/3/4/5 WB & GR (A2-B2+)	Prime Time 1/2/3/4/5 SB	Prime Time 1/2/3/4/5 SB
	<u> </u>	Upload 1/2/3/4 SB & WB (A1-B2)	Upload 1/2/3/4 SB
	On Screen 1/2/3 SB & WB	On Screen 1/2/3 SB	On Screen 1/2/3 SB
	Access 1/2/3/4 WB (A1-B1+)	Access 1/2/3/4 SB	Access 1/2/3/4 SB
	-	-	Upstream A1/A2/B1/B1+ SB
	Digi Secondary A1/A2/B1 Extra Practice DigiBook Aplication	-	-
UPPER SECONDARY	On Screen B1/B1+/B2/B2+/C1/ C2 SB	On Screen B1/B1+/B2/B2+/C1/ C2 SB SB	On Screen B1/B1+/B2/B2+/C1/ C2 SB
	On Screen WB & GR	-	

	_		Upstream
	Digi Secondary B2 Extra		B2+/C1/C2 SB
	Practice (Part A/ Part B)/ C2 DigiBook Aplication	-	-
GRAMMAR	It's Grammar Time SB	-	-
EXAMS	A2 Key for Schools SB	-	-
	A2 Key for Schools TB	-	-
	Practice Tests A2 Key SB		
	Practice Tests A2 Key TB		
	Practice Tests B1 Preliminary SB		
	Practice Tests B1 Preliminary TB		
	B1 Preliminary for Schools SB	-	-
	B1 Preliminary for Schools TB	-	-
	FCE Practice Exam Papers 1 SB		
	FCE Practice Exam Papers 2 SB		
	FCE for Schools SB		
	FCE for Schools TB		
	FCE Use of English 1 SB	-	-
	FCE Use of English 2 SB	-	-
	CAE Practice Tests SB	-	-
	CAE Practice Tests TB	-	-
	CPE Listening and Speaking Skills SB	-	-
	CPE Listening and Speaking Skills TB	-	-
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#### New Releases 2021

#### Big Story Books Early Primary

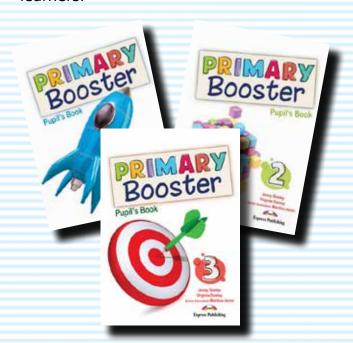
These *Big Story Books* aim to build pupils' early literacy skills, stimulate pupils' imagination and help them learn about the world around them. Pupils get familiar with sounds and language while they enjoy the stories.

# Mary's Adventures (Starter) The Bear Family (Level 1) Dragon Tale (Level 2)



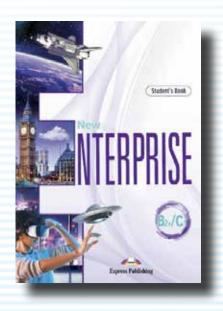
#### Primary Booster

Primary Booster is an exciting new series designed to accompany any primary course. It helps young learners develop and consolidate their language skills in a fun and engaging way, as they boost their confidence and become independent learners.



#### New Enterprise B2+/CI

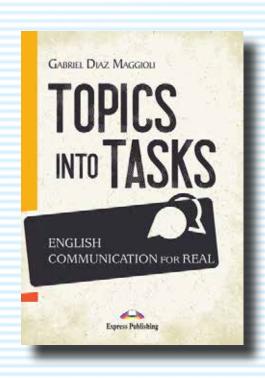
New Enterprise has got a new level, B2+/C1, completing the series (A2/B1/B1+/B2/B2+/C1). All components have just come out with digibooks.



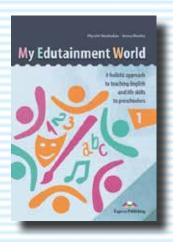
#### Topics into Tasks: English

#### Communication for Real

This book will help English come alive for secondary school students around the world who have been used to a grammar-driven syllabus and feel daunted by the challenge of speaking English spontaneously.



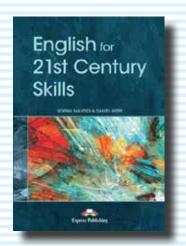
#### My Edulainment World



This book aims to provide a holistic handson curriculum for teachers who teach English as a second language to pre-school children aged 4-6. Pupils are exposed to the English language through play and by involving them in fun and creative handson activities. The games and activities in this book provide preschoolers with the opportunity to be taught in an informal and enjoyable way. In other words, they will actually be learning without realizing it!

My Edutainment World does not only focus on teaching English, but also aims to teach and equip pupils with important life skills. The activities have been specifically designed to focus on developing pupils socially, physically, intellectually, creatively and emotionally.

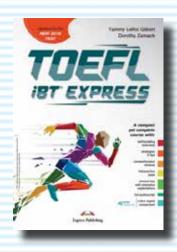
#### English for 21st Century Skills



The potential to generate innovative ideas, solve problems and implement solutions needs education systems that support

people to develop the competencies, skills and values to live and work in a globalised, inclusive and interconnected world. While digital technologies can provide people with unparalleled opportunities to interact, learn and create, taking advantage of this potential requires individuals who will have the emotional and social skills to critically engage with the world around them. As language educators, we can actively contribute to this by applying *English for 21st Century Skills*.

#### **TOEFL iBT Express**



This TOEFL study guide offers a concise and engaging coverage of the skills, strategies, and knowledge to improve both your test score and your academic English in a much shorter amount of time than with standard TOEFL iBT® test preparation textbooks.



#### OET — Ocupational English Test

# **OET Speaking and Writing Skills Builder: Nursing and Medicine** is a course that helps you prepare for the Occupational English Test (OET). It can be used either in the classroom or for self-study. The course takes a step-by-step approach, familiarising candidates with the structure and focus of the speaking and writing sub-tests while also providing opportunities to develop key grammatical structures and vocabulary specific to OET. Case studies and role-play situations, written by renowned medical experts, replicate those featured in OET.



#### OET Reading & Listening Skills Builder: All professions is a

course that helps you prepare for the Occupational English Test (OET). It can be used either in the classroom or for self-study. The course takes a step-by-step approach that familiarises candidates with the structure and focus of the reading and listening sub-tests while also providing opportunities to develop key grammar and vocabulary skills specific to OET. The exercises and practice materials replicate those in the real exam and have been devised in collaboration with highly qualified medical advisers.

# Communicative Business English Activities



This collection of interactive photocopiable activities can be used with a wide range of students and can be adapted to a variety of classroom and one-to-one teaching situations.

## Career Paths — APPS and new levels



#### More To Dig About

#### The Flibels

A World of Fun, A World of Learning: The Flibels' Way



**The Flibets** is a 3-level course with 8 themed modules per level designed for pre-primary children. Zac and his friends introduce pupils to their fantasy world through English, engaging them with exciting stories and stimulating activities.

#### i Wonder

# Wonder is the Beginning of Wisdom



I Wonder series now has got all components and levels (with DigiBooks accompanying the workbooks) addressing private schools and language schools that need a different textbook than the one used in the public schools. To fully engage the 21st century learner, I Wonder proposes an augmented reality app. i-Wonder, which can be downloaded for free from Google Play or Apple Store.

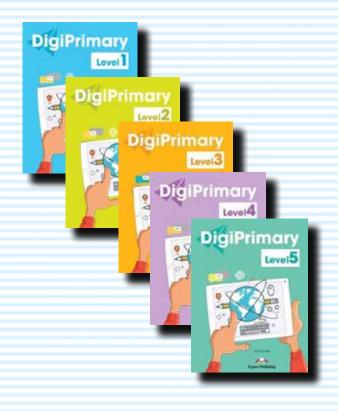
I Wonder Starter focuses mainly on listening and speaking while offering plenty of pre-reading and pre-writing activities while I Wonder 1 goes for all four skills.



#### **DigiPrimary**

#### Learn and Play, Play and Learn

DigiPrimary is a 5 level **digital resource** for young learners of English. Graded vocabulary and structures are practised in thematic units, while the online environment provides instant feedback and allows autonomous learning. A perfect tool for revision or catching up!





#### Making the Most of Online Teaching

Three years ago, Express Publishing created a learning platform, the Express Digibooks, as an innovative and motivational way to educate learners. The aim was then to make students become more engaged in the educational process by taking advantage of their interest in information technology. The aim is now to fulfil the educational mission despite the pandemic threat, luckily through cutting edge technology that suits the digital age we live in.

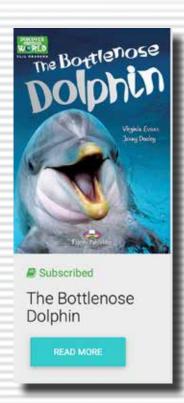
The Express Digibooks Platform is to be used in combination with another platform that allows face to face interaction, such as Zoom or Google Meet. Zoom is a lot better and a lot more efficient, but you can manage with Google Meet as well. We need to keep in mind that teaching is more than doing some posts and share some presentations. We ought to allow ourselves to open to real time connection

and interaction. As teaching or learning a foreign language needs developing receptive and productive skills, which, besides reading and writing requires listening, viewing and speaking activities we cannot develop such skills without a synchronic platform to offer real time interaction. I'm sure no teacher of English would ever allow reducing teaching to chatting in front of the screen or simply to posting some homework as this will obviously not lead to learning.

Many of the Express Publishing books have digital resources. The digital resource comes in the form of a code printed on the first page of the actual book and can be unlocked in the Express Digibooks Platform. And there you have your virtual shelf of books you can use with your students by sharing your screen, allow remote control or simply by assigning class activities or homework. You can do listening activities, play videos, do interactive activities, turn the pages of the virtual book together with your students and see their progress in real time.







No need to waste time to check homework, the check is automatically done at a mouse click, every student's progress is registered, and you can see it anytime you want.

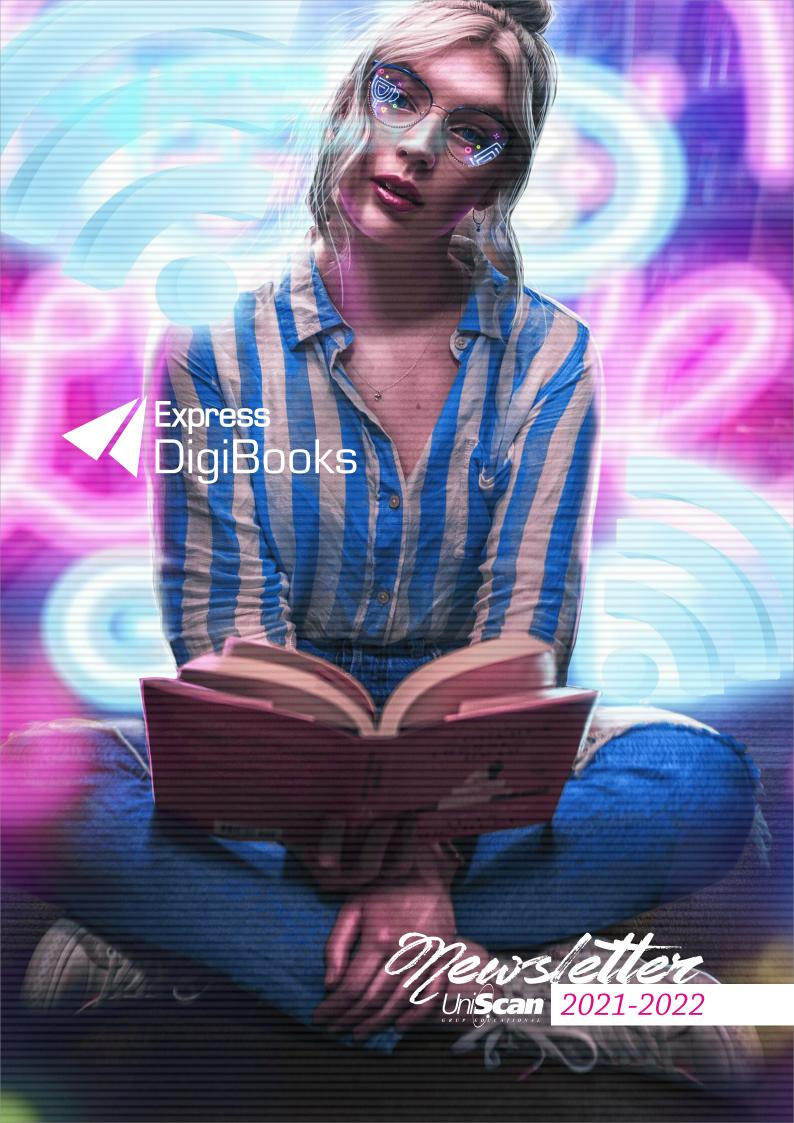
Find below a list of the titles that can come accompanied by digital books:

- I Wonder
- Right On!
- New Enterprise
- Spark
- On Screen
- Access
- Prime Time
- It's Grammar Time
- A2 Key for Schools
- B1 Preliminary for Schools
- Practice Tests A2 Key
- Practice Tests B1 Preliminary
- FCE for Schools
- FCE Practice Exam Papers

- FCE Use of English
- CAE Practice Tests
- CPE Listening and Speaking Skills
- CPE Practice Tests
- Mission IELTS
- Career Paths series (all titles)
- CLIL Readers: Explore our World/ Discover our World
- Storytime Readers

The older titles, you are for sure very fond of, can be combined with Extra Practice digital resources, grammar books or exam books that have digital resources.







#### How to Use the Express Publishing DigiBooks Platform

In order to use the Express Publishing DigiBooks Platform you need to create a school account. Once you have created your school account you set the school settings, add the books to your library, create classes, levels and users and you can actually start using the platform.

There are 3 types of accounts that can be opened in the platform, depending on your needs:

#### 1. SCHOOL ACCOUNT

School accounts have been designed for teachers that teach in public schools and want to have a tool to manage their classes or for directors of studies that manage private schools and language schools. If you have a school account, you can create classes and assign students in their classes and also assign class levels. This way you can organise and manage your teaching activity and the student's learning process. Directors of studies in private (language) schools can also assign teachers to classes.

Steps to Create your School Account:

- 1. Go to www.expressdigibooks.com
- 2. Click Create School
- 3. Fill in the form the School Master information and School Information. If you teach in a public school, you will be the school master as well as the teacher and you don't need a teacher account. If you are a private school, you must add the school master information.
- Activate your account after your registration has been approved, through the email link you get in which you will be provided School ID, username and password.
- 5. Log in your school account

Once you have got your school ID you should give it to your students so as they may add themselves to your school.

If you are a private (language) school, you must as well add the teacher's emails in the "Teachers" section so as they may also be assigned to your school. They will receive a request e-mail and by confirming the request they are added to your school. Then you create classes, assign class levels, assign students to classes, and if needed assign

teachers to classes. Private schools can create sub schools if they have more than one location/school.

## 2. TEACHER ACCOUNT (MEMBER ACCOUNT - TEACHER)

Teacher accounts are needed to open if you teach in a private (language) school so as you school master may add you to their school and assign you to the classes you are to teach.

Steps to create a Teacher Account

- 1. Go to www.expressdigibooks.com
- 2. Click Sign Up
- 3. Fill in your personal details in the Sign up as a member form, make sure you click teacher (account)
- Activate your account after your registration has been approved, through the email link you get in which you will be provided username and password.
- 5. Log in your teacher account.

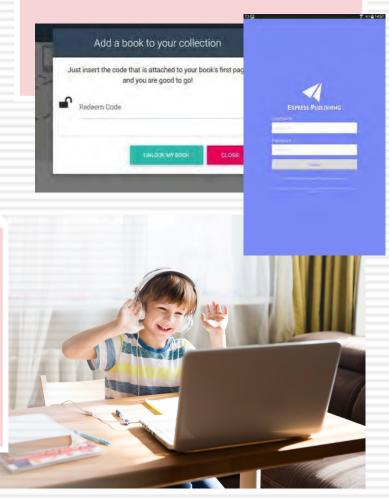
## 3. STUDENT ACCOUNT (MEMBER ACCOUNT - STUDENT)

Your students need to create a student account in order to be added to your school. Once they have created their accounts you give them the school ID and they go to the section My profile/ Add me to my school and fill in the school ID. Once they put the school ID in their profile, you will be able to see them in your school and assign them in classes.

Steps to create a Student Account

- 1. Go to www.expressdigibooks.com
- 2. Click Sign Up
- 3. Fill in your personal details in the Sign up as a member form, make sure you tick student (account)

- 4. Activate your account after your registration has been approved, through the email link you get in which you will be provided username and password.
- 5. Log in your student account.



# How to Unlock the Digibook (turn the activation code into a book)

Once the account has been opened schools as well as students or teachers can add the digibooks to their collection. To unlock a digibook, go for the following steps:

- 1. Log in your account
- 2. Go to My E-books section
- 3. Click + to redeem the code
- 4. Fill in the activation code you can find on the first page of the book
- 5. Click unlock my book



# Psychoeducation: Self-development, Non-formal Educational Programs and Teacher Training

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One of the attributes of human beings is learning. We learn from the moment we get into being, we learn from the eyes and voice of mothers, from the gestures of fathers, we learn from books, from school, from teachers, from the attitude of the others, from the environment and society. We create life experiences, and we form our representations and expectations about life, about ourselves and about the others we communicate and relate with.



We are extremely good at learning and always in search for the "how to". Pedagogy explains part of it, but the key of understanding the "how to" we believe it comes we the knowledge of Psychology. We do have the concept of psychopedagogy, which is, indeed, helpful for teachers, but we need more than crossing over pedagogy and psychology. As it's not only for teachers, it's for parents also. Parents are our first teachers. Nonformal education comes long before formal education. Education is for all. It doesn't matter if you are a teacher, a doctor or an engineer, a cook or a driver. We all have kids to teach, we all have parents we learned from. Education is contagious. We give what we have been given, and we cannot give if we haven't been given. That's why we believe we need to soak Education in the knowledge of psychology so as to re-create and innovate Education. Because educating is not only about transmitting knowledge. Education should be about creating Life skills to lead our students to well-being and realisation of their full potential, to become the most they can be. Whether we are parents, teachers or psychological counsellors we cannot teach our kids those things we do not know "how to". We cannot raise their self-esteem if our self-esteem is unconsciously low, despite the success, we force ourselves into. We cannot validate our students if we do not validate ourselves, the "how to" we lack if we haven't felt validated by the significant persons in our lives.

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#### DA Centre offers schools:

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Please place your school order by telephone, by e-mail on bookshop@uniscan.ro, or online, on our website, www. uniscan.ro

✓ Please make sure you know the name of the operator that takes your order, as for any changes you are kindly asked to speak with the same person so as mistakes may be avoided.

- ✓ Please note that once the invoice has been released the order cannot be changed. If you are not sure of the order or you plan to make changes, ask the operator to take your order without releasing the invoice until you call back again.
- ✓ Any additional order will be processed separately and it's advisable to place it with the same operator
- ✓ Order placing program: Monday to Friday, from 9.00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.





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