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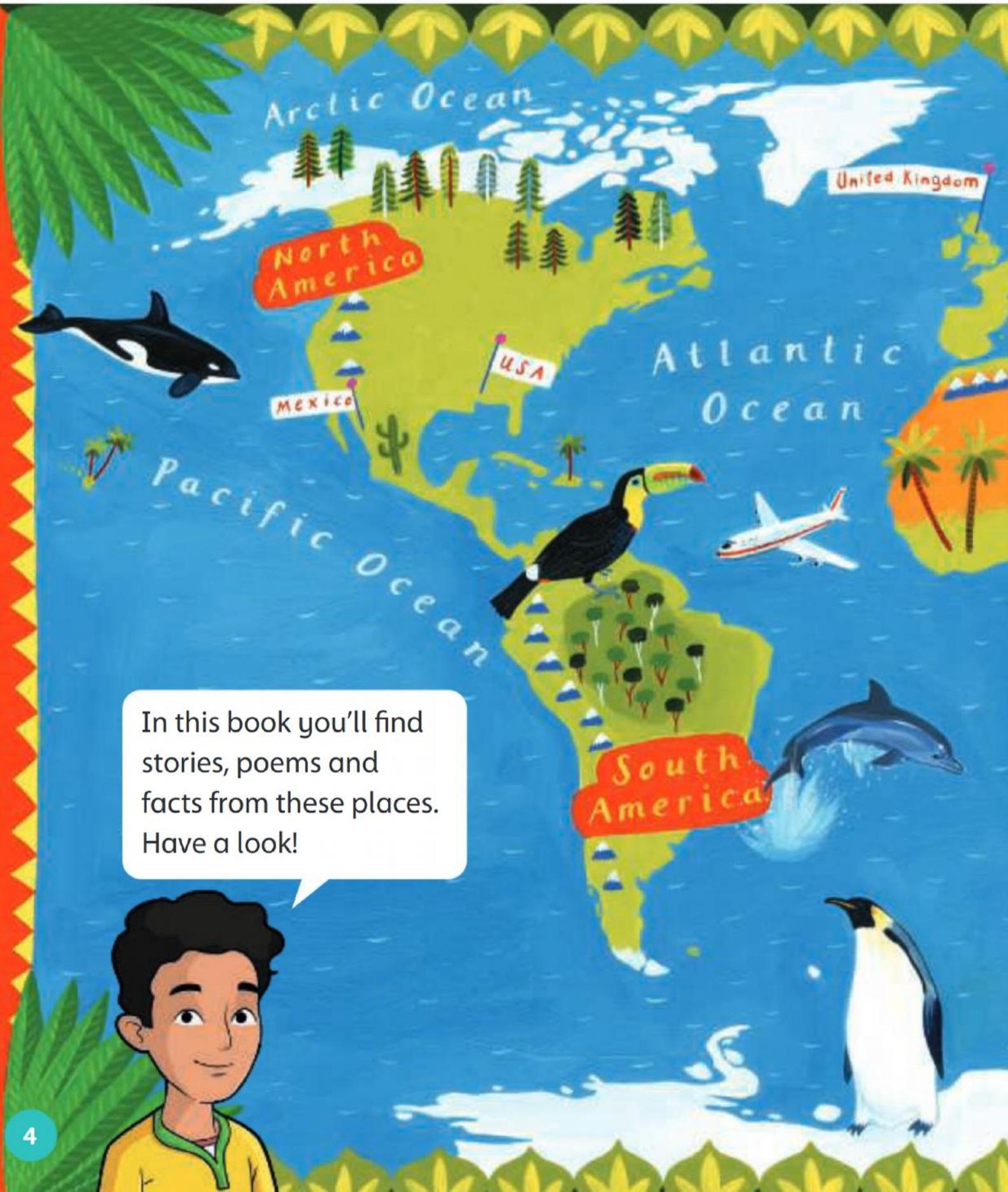
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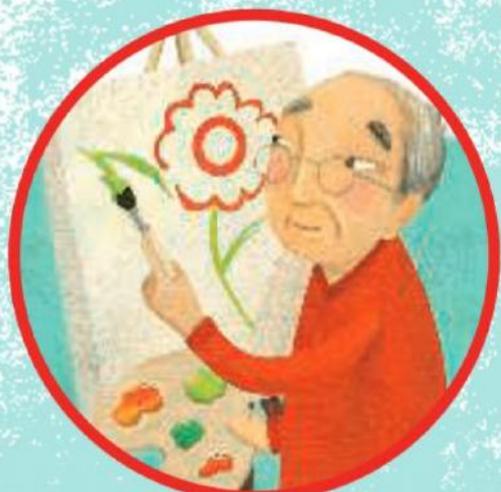


In this book you'll find stories, poems and facts from these places. Have a look!

Unit contents

Unit	Theme	Reading and comprehension	Writing
1	At home	Fiction Narrative with a familiar setting <i>Grandma's Glasses</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiction • Writing about a familiar experience • Describing a person or animal
2	Show me, tell me	Non-fiction Signs, labels and instructions, <i>Our senses, The human body</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-fiction • Writing signs • Drawing and labelling items
3	Everyday poems	Poems 'Diggedy-Do', 'Today I'm a Drummer', 'Poppadoms'	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poetry • Writing rhyming words
4	Make the world a better place	Fiction <i>The Magic Paintbrush</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiction • Writing sentences about a story • Writing a story blurb
5	Water world	Non-fiction Reports and dictionaries <i>A-Z of the Sea, Ocean Sharks, Sea Transport</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-fiction • Writing labels • Writing sentences
6	Creatures big and small	Poems Simple rhymes and poems 'Puff!', 'Late One Night in Kalamazoo', 'A Hatchling's Song', 'Tiny Diny'	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poetry • Writing rhyming words
7	Stories about our world	Fiction narrative <i>The Lost Stars</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiction • Writing sentences
8	About my life	Non-fiction Recounts <i>My First Year in Vietnam was Weird, Alex Brychta – a Biography</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-fiction • Writing a recount
9	Poems that tell a story	Poem Narrative poem 'Off We Go To Mexico!'	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poetry • Writing a narrative poem

1 At home



Grandpa



Mum



Lin



Dad

Talk time

- 1 Look at the pictures. What can you see?
- 2 Who lives in your home?
- 3 Ask a partner about the people in their family. Answer questions about the people in your family.



1A Fiction Speaking, listening and vocabulary

- Talk about your family
- Listen to others

A Who is in your family? Draw a picture of them and write their names.

B Think of one word to describe each member of your family. Use the words in the box below to help you.

kind helpful happy funny
busy loving old young

C

- 1 What does each person in your family like doing? Tell a partner.
- 2 Write a sentence about what each person likes doing.

My mum likes

My dad likes

My brother likes

My sister likes

painting



cooking



reading



gardening



running



eating



Glossary

kind friendly and ready to help other people

helpful offering help to others

happy feeling pleased about something

funny something that makes you laugh

- Read a story
- Learn new words
- Use a glossary

Grandma's Glasses

Nicola Moon

Grandma lost her **glasses**.



Glossary

glasses a frame with pieces of glass, worn over the eyes to help people see



She looked under the table and she saw her pen.



Grandpa came to help.



He looked in the **drawer** and he found his book.



Glossary

drawer a piece of furniture that pulls out where you can keep things

Harry looked too. He saw his **comic** on the table.



Glossary

comic a story told with pictures



That's funny!



Mina looked under the **cushion**. She saw her teddy.



Glossary

cushion a soft pillow for chairs and sofas



Then Mum came to help.



She looked behind the **curtains**. She found Mina's lost **shoe**.



Glossary

curtains two cloths which can be pulled over a window



shoe a covering for the foot



Everyone looked and looked. They saw lots of things, but ... no glasses.



Then Harry said, "I can see Grandma's glasses. They are on her head!"



A Read and respond

- 1 What did Grandma lose? Point to the picture and say the word.



shoe



glasses



pen

- 2 Where did Grandpa find his book?
Point to the picture and say the phrase.



in the drawer



on the table



under the cushion

- 3 What had Mina lost? Point to the picture and say the word.



shoe



cup



pen

B

- 1** Who found Mina's shoe? Say the name, then write it.
- 2** Who found a book? Say the name, then write it.
- 3** How did Grandma feel when she found her glasses on her head? Tell a partner.
- 4** How did Mina feel when she found her teddy? Tell a partner.

**Learning tip**

You can copy the name from the story.



- 5** In pairs, take it in turns to be Mina. Pretend you have found your teddy. What do you say and do?