

Story Sprinters

Introduction

These short stories aim to enhance text comprehension with A1/A2 level students. They can be used during a lesson, or given as extra/bonus work.

How to Assemble

These booklets are designed to be printed on A4 size paper, front and back. Layout as follows:

Title/Back Page - Pages 1 +14 (*pages 1, 2 of pdf*)

Pages 13 +2 - Pages 3 +12 (*pages 3, 4 of pdf*)

Pages 11 + 4 - Pages 5 +10 (*pages 5, 6 of pdf*)

Pages 9 +6 - Pages 7 + 8 (*pages 7, 8 of pdf*)

Once printed, put the pages in the correct order and fold on the line in the middle. You can staple the middle crease.

Student Instructions

Ideally, your students have already learned the contents of the Story Sprinter and the booklets will be used as a review.

Provide each student with a copy of the booklet, or put students in pairs and give each pair a booklet. Give students plenty of time to read through the story.

As students finish reading, each booklet has a reading comprehension check on the last page. They should finish this page by themselves if they are paired up. When all students are done answering the questions, go around the room and elicit the answers.

Focus	Aim	Level	Time
Text comprehension	To practice reading longer texts/stories	A1/A2	30-40 minutes