

## Level 2 - Beginner - Let's get the journey started!

The target group of Level 2 is learners between the ages of 6 and 9 who are already familiar with the English language, have a basic vocabulary and are able to use very simple sentences. Therefore, the aim of Level 2 is to widen their knowledge and improve their skills in a variety of ways while songs and rhymes are still the core of the material.

Level 2 focuses on the vocabulary of the immediate environment of children (clothes, weather, body parts) and simple grammatical structures to describe the characteristics and actions of everyday life. The classic tales, situational mini-dialogues and poems have been edited and adjusted to suit the needs of young learners to ensure comprehension and language development.

### Messy Betsy

Many children can easily relate to Betsy. She's young, has a teddy bear, pencils as well as books, and has made a huge mess in her room! This short poem is about her desperate hunt for some of her clothes which are in fact lying all over her room.

#### Focus of the games

- learning the name of clothes and pieces of furniture
- practising the prepositions in, on and under
- visual challenge to help Betsy find her clothes

*Idea: Make your students play a funny game with their parents. One of them goes out of the room and changes something about his/her appearance. Then he/she comes back in and others have to guess what has changed in English, of course.*



## Splendid Seven Days

Splendid Seven Days is a unique poem to teach the days of the week as BOOKR designed the "days" as children with different appearances, personalities and preferences. Therefore, the poem presents the days, characteristics as well as individual differences in a charming way.

### Focus of the games

- ordering the days of the week
- teaching the notions of yesterday, today and tomorrow
- character description with matching

*Idea: Inspired by the characters of the days of the week, which day are you? Let your learners describe themselves and their family using the adjectives they have learnt in this book.*

## Little King Boggen

A little confectioner is building a house made of pastry, pie, pancakes and pudding. This super sweet rhyme is a great tool to teach about sweets and snacks and draw attention to healthy eating habits and a balanced diet.

### Focus of the games

- practising the structures "I'd like" and "I want"
- counting sweets
- colouring activity

*Idea: Inspired by King Boggen's sweet home, have the children create their own dream house with their own hands from modelling clay and let their imagination run wild.*



## The Lost Lunchbox

This book tells the story of the quest of two British students for the owner of a mysterious lunchbox. The story is linguistically simple yet authentic and includes basic grammatical structures as well as chunks.

### Focus of the games

- reading comprehension: filling the lunchbox
- listening practice with different lunchboxes to choose from
- multiple-choice quiz to express possession

*Idea: Encourage your students to imagine they are British schoolchildren. Ask them to draw their lunchbox and its contents.*

## Five Little Monkeys

This song can be used to teach children useful expressions related to personal safety and also to practise counting. The combination of playful lyrics, amusing illustrations and rhythmic chanting engages young learners and enhances their level of concentration in a pleasant, indirect way.

### Focus of the games

- grouping useful expressions
- vocabulary of body parts and injuries
- visual challenge to find the differences

*Idea: This song is great to discuss the importance of advice as well as help and practise essential related expressions. You can simply use it to practise numbers, even from 10, or to make online classes more fun with a little dance. Don't forget to check out the karaoke version as well.*

