



EDUCATION & TRAINING FOUNDATION

READING TEXTS

Reading texts

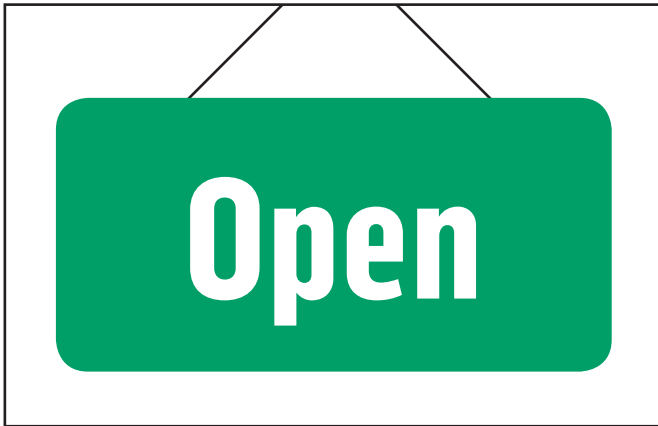
This section includes a range of authorable readings texts to support different word, sentence and text level reading skills for new ESOL learners, i.e. those working at 'pre-Entry' level and the first stage of Entry Level 1.

These reflect important different text types learners come across in their everyday lives and so need to learn to recognise and engage with:

1. **Social sight words and signs**
2. **Forms**
3. **Digital literacies**
4. **Dates and times**
5. **Instructions**
6. **Packaging, labels and captions**
7. **Simple narrative texts (generated by learners, where possible)**

IMPORTANT

- If you are using these texts to support screening, please see the separate **Screening** resource.
- If you are using these texts to support initial assessment, please see Learning Unlimited's *Welcome to the UK* pack for guidance on a staged approach to initial assessment, including using texts:
http://www.learningunlimited.co/files/Welcome_to_the_UK_Toolkit.pdf



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Date of birth

Phone number

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Family name

Title

☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Ms ☐ Dr ☐ Other

Gender

☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Other ☐ I prefer not to say

Forename

Address line 1

Address line 2

Town

Postcode

Date of birth (Day [DD/] Month [MM/] Year [YYYY])

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Telephone number

E-mail address

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Basic Text

Address Book Check Names

Send

To... amina@gmail.com

Cc...

Bcc...

Subject My neighbourhood

Hello Amina

Thanks for your email. How are you?

I want to tell you about my neighbourhood.

I live in a flat in Lambeth.

There is a college and there are some shops.

I like my neighbours.

See you soon.

Maria



Larchester Library

High Street, Larchester, N1 4XL

Getting there

- Bus: 160, 230, 266
- Train: Larchester station (5 min walk)

Facilities

- Wi-Fi
- Computers
- Photocopier
- Toilets
- Shop
- Car park

Telephone: 03584 792617

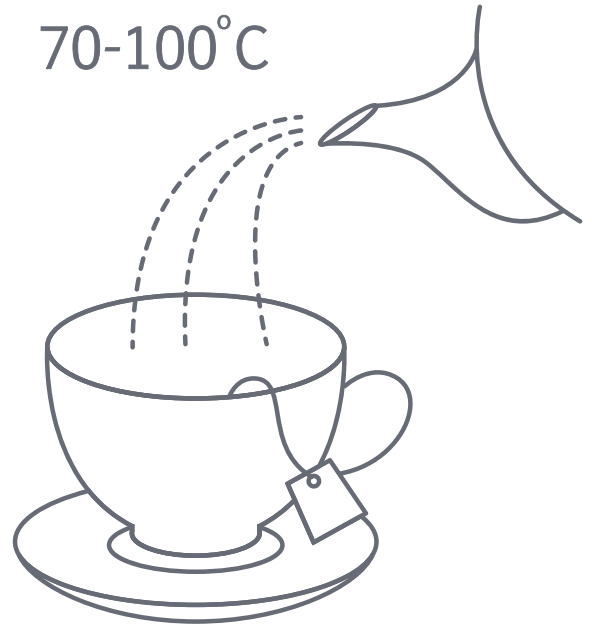
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Opening times	9 am - 12.30 pm	2 pm - 5 pm		2 pm - 8 pm		9 am - 5 pm	2 pm - 5 pm

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Making coffee



Put the water in the pan.

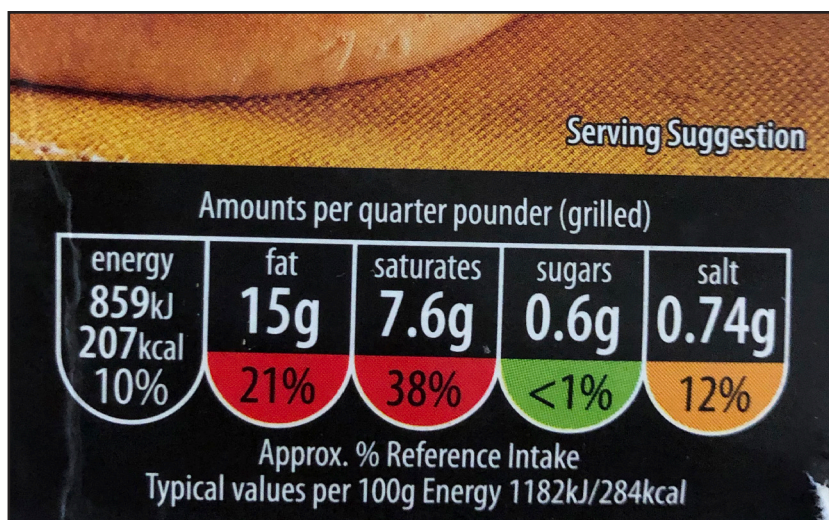
Boil the water.

Pour the water on the coffee.

Add milk and sugar.

Stir the coffee.

Drink the coffee.



Imran



I am from Syria.

I am 28.

I live in Bolton.

Sara



My name is Sara.

I live in London.

I live in a flat.

I live with my family.

Sana



My name is Sana.

I come from Afghanistan.

Sana



My name is Sana.

I come from Afghanistan.

Afghanistan is beautiful.

I live in Luton.

Luton is clean.

Bradford



I live in Bradford.

I live in a house.

I like Bradford.

Manchester



I live in Manchester.

I like Manchester.

People are friendly.

There are some big markets.

I don't like the rain.

Mariam



I am Mariam.

I can make clothes.

I made this dress.



Ali



I am Ali.

I can fix bikes.

I fixed this green bike.

I can fix your bike.



Asal



My name is Asal.

I like gardening.

I don't like cooking.



Musa



My name is Musa.

**I go to the library every
week.**

I like reading.

I like using the computer.

I don't like writing.

My brother



This is my brother.

He lives in Denmark.

I Skype him every week.

Habiba



Habiba is my close friend.
She lives in Canada.
She is a doctor.
I phone Habiba every week.
We talk about home.

by Helen