

# InitialLit Readers

developed to support the InitialLit literacy program



## What are **InitialLit** Readers?

MultiLit has developed four sets of 60 phonic readers for children who are just learning to read. These delightful decodable books are carefully sequenced to encourage children to use good reading strategies from the start.

Children who love adventure, humour, mischievous animals and learning about the world around them will enjoy our beautifully illustrated stories.

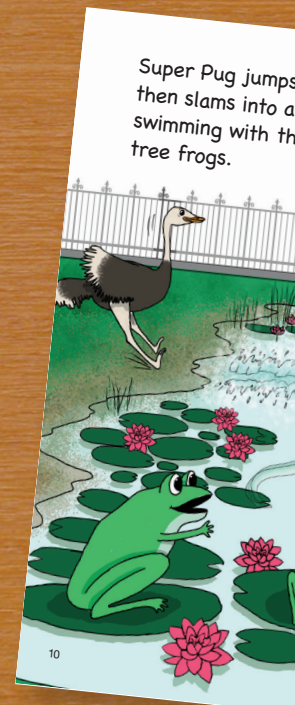


The decodable InitialLit Readers were originally developed to support InitialLit – a whole-class literacy instruction program for Foundation to Year 2 children, but can also be used independently or alongside other synthetic phonics programs.

InitialLit Readers Levels 1–9 are designed for children in the Foundation year of school. Series 1 and 2 are parallel series of similar level of difficulty, with some non-fiction texts featured in Series 2.



InitialLit Readers Levels 10–16 are for Year 1 students, and cover different text types, such as information texts, poems and plays, as well as stories. Series 2, also known as The Wattle Series, is written at an easier level than Series 1. These books feature lower word counts, simpler storylines and comprehension questions, and new vocabulary. The Wattle Series was the winner of the inaugural Decodable Book Series award at the 2022 Speech Pathology Australia Book of the Year awards. It is especially recommended for use alongside MiniLit Sage.



## Enjoy these special features

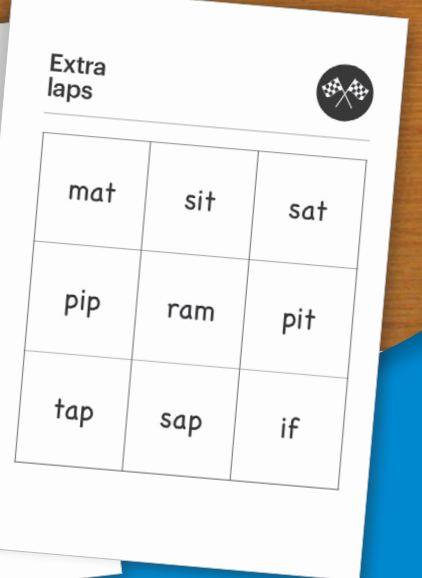
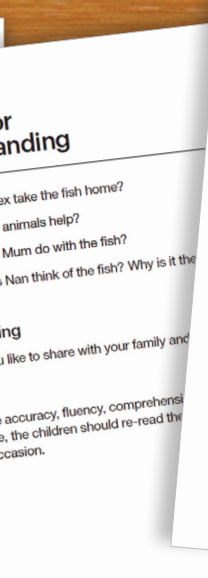
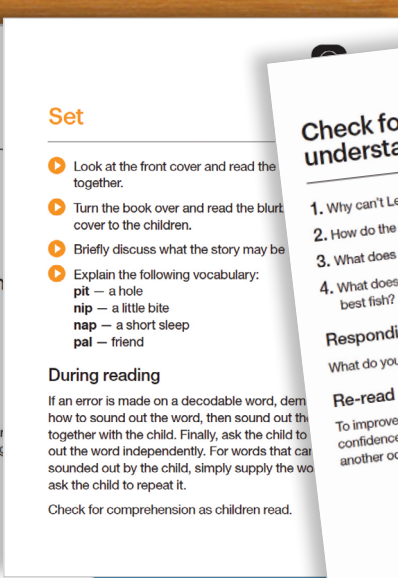
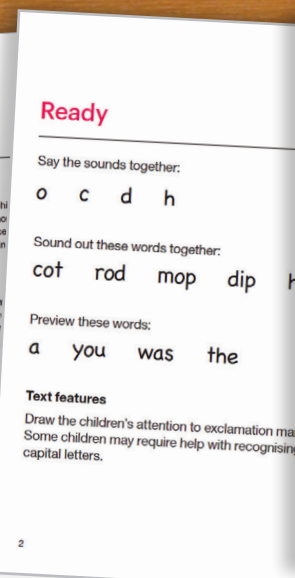
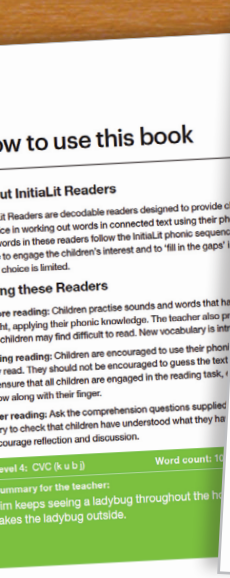
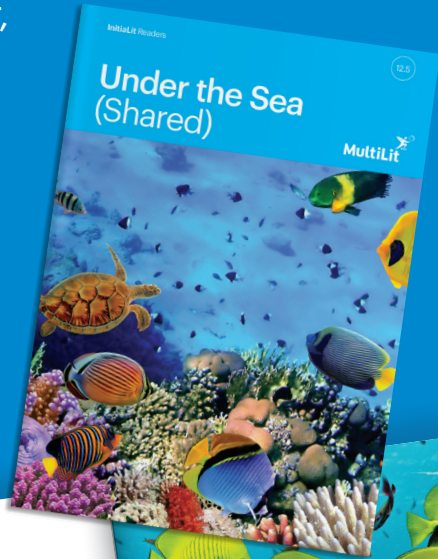
- Easy-to-follow steps to prepare children for reading.
- Previewed target sounds and words, vocabulary and punctuation.
- Additional opportunities for children to practise sounding out words.
- Comprehension questions to check for understanding and encourage discussion.





# Discover our shared readers

- Each level contains a shared reader, in which the teacher and child read alternate pages.
- The teacher pages contain more complex vocabulary and sentence structure, allowing for enhanced storylines.
- Shared readers provide opportunities for the teacher to model fluent and expressive reading to students.





# Skills Sequence

Levels 1-9

## Series 1



Level

1 m s t a p i f r 1

2 o c d h 2

3 e n g l 3

4 k u b j 4

5 w c k l l f f s s 5

6 s h q u e e z / z z 6

7 c h v x y 7

8 w h t h o o n g a y 8

9 C V C C C C V C 9

## Series 2





# Skills Sequence

Levels 10-16

## Series 1



Level  
10 Foundation review 10



11 ai/ay ee/ea oa/ow igh/y ew/ue 11



12 ar or/ore er/ir/ur ear/eer air/are 12



13 split digraph 13



14 w ck ll ff ss 14



15 sh qu ee z/zz 15



16 ch v x y 16

## Series 2 The Wattle Series



Series 2, The Wattle Series is easier than Series 1, suitable for students who require more decoding practice



# List of Titles

## Levels 1–9

## Levels 10–16

Series 1	Series 2	Series 1	Series 2, The Wattle Series
1.1a Tap, Tap, Tap (Shared)	1.1 Pam (Shared)	10.1 Saff and the Play Box	10.1 Tom's Big Swim
1.1b Pat the Rat	1.2 The Pit	10.2 Chan and Tay	10.2 The Loose Tooth
1.2 The Mat	1.3 Tip	10.3 Go to Bed	10.3 The Play
1.3 Sam	1.4 Sam and Tim	10.4 The Fig Tree Club: Whiz, Whack, Wham	10.4 Run and Jump
1.4 The Map	1.5 Mim's Rap	10.5 The Fig Tree Club: Slip and Dip	10.5 Chicks in the Shed
2.1a Mip (Shared)	2.1 Hot! (Shared)	10.6 The Frogs' Day Out	10.6 Still Small
2.1b Pop It! Rip It!	2.2 Is It A Hat?	10.7 Baby Elephant (Shared)	10.7 Ants and Bees (Shared)
2.2 The Hat	2.3 My Cat	11.1a Snail Trails	11.1a May's Dog
2.3 The Sad Cat	2.4 The Dim Sim	11.1b The Rainy Day Express	11.1b Fishing Day
2.4 Did Tom Hit It?	2.5 The Cap	11.2a Super Pug	11.2a Meet the Animals
3.1a Hop In! (Shared)	3.1 Lop (Shared)	11.2b The Beasts of Beacon	11.2b The Feast
3.1b Ned the Dog	3.2 My Pen	11.3a Toby the Goat	11.3a Toad and Crow
3.2 Red Ted	3.3 Len	11.3b The End of the Rainbow	11.3b Willow's Puppet Show
3.3 It Was Hot	3.4 The Red Dog	11.4a Tick Tock	11.4a By Myself
3.4 The Pet	3.5 Get That Hat!	11.4b Ryan the Night Spy	11.4b A Cry in the Night
4.1a My Job (Shared)	4.1 The Hut (Shared)	11.5a Newsflash	11.5a A New Coat
4.1b Fun and Fit	4.2 My Pet Bug	11.5b Dew	11.5b Glue
4.2 My Bag	4.3 Nan's Bag	11.6 Follow the Clues (Shared)	11.6 Trains (Shared)
4.3 The Bug	4.4 Mud is Fun!	12.1a The Art Contest	12.1a The Alarm
4.4 Gus on the Bus	4.5 Ten in Bed	12.1b Sparky the Car	12.1b The Scarf, the Hat and the Socks
5.1a Wag, Wag, Wag (Shared)	5.1a The Web (Shared)	12.2a Rory the Dragon	12.2a Tubs the Dog
5.1b Win the Tim Tam	5.1b The Wig	12.2b The Storm	12.2b The Little Horse
5.2a Bick and the Duck	5.2a Jack and Meg	12.3a Burt's Monster	12.3a Stew Surprise
5.2b Duck is Sick	5.2b The Big Red Truck	12.3b What Will You Do Today, Dad?	12.3b Fern and the Birds
5.3a Hot Cross Buns	5.3a The Top of the Hill	12.4a Dear Albert	12.4a The Duck That Lost Its Quack
5.3b Jack in the Well	5.3b The Mess	12.4b The Rare Green Bird	12.4b Hairy Blair
6.1a Fish (Shared)	6.1a At the Shops (Shared)	12.5 Under the Sea (Shared)	12.5 Big Storms (Shared)
6.1b The Dish	6.1b Tash and Nick's Shop	13.1 Beach Towels	13.1a Who Ate the Cake?
6.2a Quack, Quock, Quick!	6.2a Quick, Quick!	13.2 Banana Pancakes	13.1b Wombat is Late
6.2b Quinn and Taff	6.2b I Will Not Quit	13.3 Kate's Bike	13.2a No Time to Play
6.3a Lee Meets the Queen	6.3a The Queen and Her Cat	13.4 Fixing the Car	13.2b Spike Needs a Bath
6.3b Sheep in a Jeep	6.3b Eek!	13.5 Luke and Jake's Home	13.3a No Place Like Home
6.4a Zack, Liz and the Bee	6.4a Zip!	13.6 The Costume	13.3b The Note
6.4b The Quiz	6.4b Jazz the Sheep Dog	13.7 Jane's Rules	13.4a A Gift for Eve
7.1a The Farm (Shared)	7.1a The Hen and Her Chicks (Shared)	13.8 The Case of the Missing Mascot	13.4b Little Pete Hates Peas
7.1b Chop, Pin and Tap	7.1b That's Not My Lunch!	13.9 The Smallest Boat of All (Shared)	13.5 The Five Senses (Shared)
7.2a Vick and Viv	7.2a The Vet Is Sick	14.1a Digging for Gold	14.1a A Brown Nut
7.2b Tash the Vet	7.2b Viv's Van	14.1b The Owl Cam	14.1b When the Animals Came to Town
7.3a Fox in the Hen Shed	7.3a I Can Fix That	14.2a Laura's Wish	14.2a Launch!
7.3b The Fox and Her Cubs	7.3b What's in the Box?	14.2b Shaun's Awful Night	14.2b The Dinosaur Game
7.4a The Bunyip	7.4a Not Yet!	14.3a The Coin Toy	14.3a The Toy Club
7.4b A Little Snack	7.4b Have You Seen a Yak?	14.3b Blip the Android	14.3b Roy's Lucky Escape
8.1a When I Am Big (Shared)	8.1a Wheels (Shared)	14.4 Moon Games (Shared)	14.4 Baby Animals (Shared)
8.1b What? Where? When? Which?	8.1b What Can You See?	15.1 James Makes a Meal	15.1 Henry Bakes
8.2a What Was That?	8.2a Thud!	15.2 Groovy Haircuts	15.2 Our Class Prize
8.2b The Thin Cat	8.2b The Thick Book	15.3 Jo's Boats	15.3 Jude's Game
8.3a The Zoo	8.3a Zoom to the Moon!	15.4 Lucie and the Ant	15.4 The Drummer
8.3b The Picnic	8.3b Zoo School	15.5 Blue Dog's Fantastic Trip	15.5 The Fun Fair
8.4a Things I Like	8.4a The Sad King	15.6 Benjamin and the Web	15.6 The Cave
8.4b The Sun Is Up	8.4b Wings	15.7 The New Puppy	15.7 Patch and Scruff
8.5a Pet Day	8.5a Jay and Nan	15.8 Tall Tale Tilly	15.8 Catch the Dragon
8.5b What Did You Say?	8.5b Stay, Jem, Stay	15.9 Oliver's Super Boots	15.9 Glide! (Shared)
9.1a Swim in the Flags (Shared)	9.1 Frogs (Shared)	15.10 Rabbit and Mouse	16.1 Possum Needs a Home
9.1b The Black Shells	9.2 Matt and The Fish	15.11 The Daintree Rainforest (Shared)	16.2 Super Pug in the City
9.2a The Croc	9.3 The Six Little Ducks	16.1 The Spring Fair	16.3 Jess Loves to Read
9.2b The Lost Pup	9.4 My Brother, The Pest	16.2 The Brave Dragons	16.4 Puss, Pup and Pig
9.3a Mick and Dan	9.5 Miss Black's Hat	16.3 Fran's Chooks	16.5 Space Friends
9.3b Fish Snack	9.6 Lost Ted	16.4 The Land of Sweets	16.6 The Cycle Race
9.4a Floss and the Band	9.7 Stop That Chimp!	16.5 The Blue Whale	16.7 Frog's Pond
9.4b The Band Plays	9.8 Skip the Kitten	16.6 Amazing Animals (Shared)	16.8 Festivals (Shared)



# Initialit Readers

## 2024 Price List (Australia)

Initialit Readers Levels 1–9		Inc GST
<b>Series 1</b>		
PRIF001	Full Set of Initialit Readers Levels 1-9 Series 1 (60 Readers, 1 copy of each title)	\$517
PRIF002	Classroom Set of Initialit Readers Levels 1-9 Series 1 (360 Readers, 6 copies of each title)	\$2,156
PRIF003	Series 1, Level 1 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 1 title)	\$58
PRIF004	Series 1, Level 2 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 2 title)	\$58
PRIF005	Series 1, Level 3 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 3 title)	\$58
PRIF006	Series 1, Level 4 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 4 title)	\$58
PRIF007	Series 1, Level 5 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 5 title)	\$65
PRIF008	Series 1, Level 6 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 6 title)	\$86
PRIF009	Series 1, Level 7 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 7 title)	\$86
PRIF010	Series 1, Level 8 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 8 title)	\$107
PRIF011	Series 1, Level 9 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 9 title)	\$86
<b>Series 2</b>		
PRIF201	Full Set of Initialit Readers Levels 1-9 Series 2 (60 Readers, 1 copy of each title)	\$517
PRIF202	Classroom Set of Initialit Readers Levels 1-9 Series 2 (360 Readers, 6 copies of each title)	\$2,156
PRIF203	Series 2, Level 1 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 1 title)	\$58
PRIF204	Series 2, Level 2 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 2 title)	\$58
PRIF205	Series 2, Level 3 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 3 title)	\$58
PRIF206	Series 2, Level 4 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 4 title)	\$58
PRIF207	Series 2, Level 5 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 5 title)	\$65
PRIF208	Series 2, Level 6 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 6 title)	\$86
PRIF209	Series 2, Level 7 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 7 title)	\$86
PRIF210	Series 2, Level 8 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 8 title)	\$107
PRIF211	Series 2, Level 9 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 9 title)	\$86
Initialit Readers Levels 10–16		
<b>Series 1</b>		
PRI1001	Full Set of Initialit Readers Levels 10-16, Series 1 (60 Readers, 1 copy of each title)	\$517
PRI1002	Classroom Set of Initialit Readers Levels 10-16, Series 1 (360 Readers, 6 copies of each title)	\$2,156
PRI1003	Series 1, Level 10 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 10 title)	\$75
PRI1004	Series 1, Level 11 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 11 title)	\$115
PRI1005	Series 1, Level 12 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 12 title)	\$95
PRI1006	Series 1, Level 13 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 13 title)	\$95
PRI1007	Series 1, Level 14 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 14 title)	\$75
PRI1008	Series 1, Level 15 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 15 title)	\$115
PRI1009	Series 1, Level 16 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 16 title)	\$63
<b>Series 2, The Wattle Series</b>		
PRI1201	Full Set of Initialit Readers Levels 10-16, The Wattle Series (60 Readers, 1 copy of each title)	\$517
PRI1202	Classroom Set of Initialit Readers Levels 10-16, The Wattle Series (360 readers, 6 copies of each title)	\$2,156
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PRI1205	Wattle Series, Level 12 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 12 title)	\$95
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PRI1207	Wattle Series, Level 14 Bundle (1 copy of each Level 14 title)	\$75
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# The MultiLit eLibrary



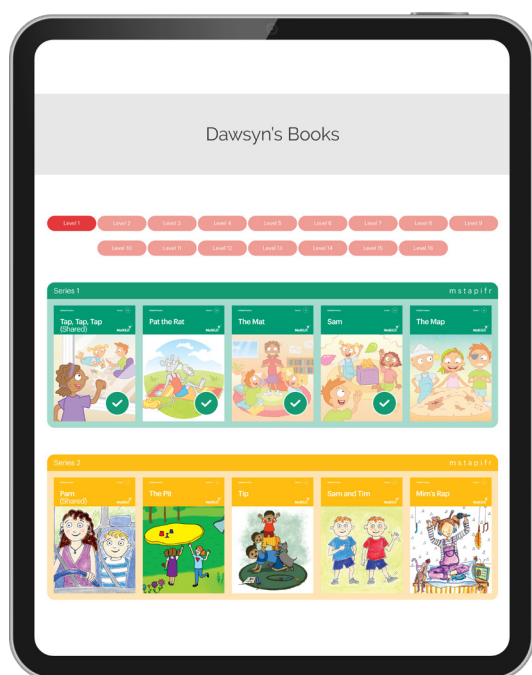
Providing students with decodable readers for home reading practice, as well as in the classroom, will help to supercharge their reading progress.

A subscription to the MultiLit eLibrary provides access to the full collection of InitialLit Readers online, including Series 1 and Series 2 of Levels 1–9 (for the Foundation year), and Series 1 and Series 2 – The Wattle Series of InitialLit Readers Levels 10–16.

The MultiLit eLibrary has been designed specifically for use for home reading, but can also be used within the school to supplement print copies of InitialLit Readers. The eLibrary uses a browser-based platform, so books can be read on desktop computers or mobile devices (including smartphones and tablets).

Subscriptions are offered on a fixed price basis for the school year, and will remain active until 31 January of the year following purchase (e.g., the 2024 subscription will expire on 31 January 2025). If your school requires additional accounts during the year, upgrades to the next subscription tier can be made by simply contacting us at [library.multilit.com/contact](http://library.multilit.com/contact)

TIER	NUMBER OF USERS	2024 PRICE
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3	121–180	\$1,070
4	181–240	\$1,386
5	241–300	\$1,575
6	301–360	\$1,759
7	361–420	\$1,900
8	421–480	\$2,037
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3. Your administrator will then be able to upload details of student and teacher users to the system, either individually or by using the CSV spreadsheet template for a bulk upload of users.
4. Account details will be automatically emailed to eLibrary administrators. Teachers can then allocate appropriate book series and levels for students to read.

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