

RIGBY Blueprints

Literacy for Life



**Rigby Blueprints Series
Correlation to Queensland
Essential Learnings**



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Rigby Blueprints – An Overview

This new range of reading resources is an excellent addition to any school.

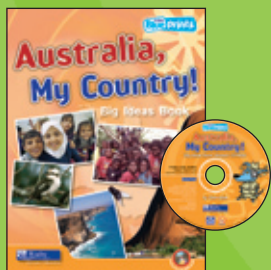
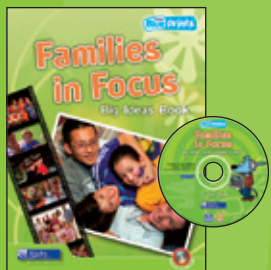
Each of the books directly correlates to the Queensland Essential Learnings English KLA and encompasses all strands: Speaking and Listening, Reading and Viewing, Writing and Designing, Language Elements and Literary and non-literary texts.

The Big Ideas Books and Guided Reading Books in conjunction with the Teachers Resource Books and the Listening Post Audio CD and Blackline Masters Sets provide a complete Literacy package. The selection of fiction and non-fiction topic books cover a wide range of text types including information reports, narratives, personal recounts, plays and poems as well as

persuasive and expository texts. The text as well as the variety of visuals used to illustrate the books can be used for visual and critical literacy as well.

The nature of many of the titles also incorporates and emphasises the Ways of Working in the new English Essential Learnings and Standards.

The following tables show how this series can also be used across several KLAs including SOSE, SCIENCE, HPE, THE ARTS, TECHNOLOGY AND ICTs. The table clearly shows how each title directly correlates to the Queensland Essential Learnings and Standards KLAs and strands.



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UNIT 1 Book Title	Queensland Essential Learnings by the end of Year 5
<i>Families in Focus</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS SOSE – CULTURE AND IDENTITY
<i>Along My Street</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity - indicator (a)
<i>Family Voyages</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity - indicators (a) , (b) and (c)
<i>Gramp Camp</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE - Time, Continuity and Change - indicator (b)
<i>Times are Changing</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a)
<i>Celebrations</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a)

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UNIT 2 Book Title	Queensland Essential Learnings by the end of Year 5
<i>Australia, My Country!</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS SOSE – CULTURE AND IDENTITY
<i>Postcards for Grandma</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (b) and (c) SCIENCE – Life and Living – indicators (a) (b) (c) and (d)
<i>Australian Symbols</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a)
<i>Come on Aussie</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (a) and (c)
<i>We All Call Australia Home</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (a) (b) and (c)
<i>Bad Mad Max</i> Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (a) and (c)

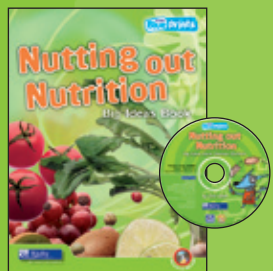


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UNIT 3 Book Title	Queensland Essential Learnings by the end of Year 5
Machines (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS SCIENCE – ENERGY AND CHANGE
Machines and Their Parts (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Science as a Human Endeavour - Energy and Change – indicators (a) (b) and (c)
Energy (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Energy and Change – indicators (c) and (d)
Machines Around the World (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Energy and Change – indicators (a) (b) (c) and (d) SOSE - Time, Continuity and Change – indicator (c)
Double Dinking (Fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Energy and Change – indicator (d)
Machine Mayhem (Fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Science as a Human Endeavour - Energy and Change – indicators (a) (b) and (c)

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Forever Friends (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION – PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT (HPE)
Bilby Friends (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Life and Living – indicator (d)
Team Time (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a) HPE – Health – indicators (a) (b) (c)
C U L8ter (Fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Personal Development – indicator (b) ICTs – Communicating with ICT's
The Wobbly Wombat (Fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Personal Development – indicator (a)
Goldilocks vs. The Three Bears (Fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Personal Development – indicators (a) and (b)



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UNIT 1 Book Title	Queensland Essential Learnings by the end of Year 5
<i>Nutting out Nutrition</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION - HEALTH
<i>A Healthy Life is a Balancing Act</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Health – indicators (a) (b) and (d)
<i>Let's Eat!</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Health – indicators (a) (b) and (d) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (a) and (c)
<i>Off to the Supermarket</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Health – indicator (d) SCIENCE – Science as a Human Endeavour
<i>Funny Business</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Health – indicators (b) and (d)
<i>The Penthean Problem</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Health – indicators (b) and (d) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a)

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UNIT 2 Book Title	Queensland Essential Learnings by the end of Year 5
<i>Are You Being Served?</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC SYSTEMS / ENGLISH – WRITING AND DESIGNING
<i>Money Matters</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	MATHS – Number - indicators (9) and (10)
<i>The Smart Shopper</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Political and Economic Systems – indicator (c) MATHS – Number – indicators (9) and (10)
<i>A Short History of Shopping</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicator (a)
<i>The Cereal Spies</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	TECHNOLOGY – Technology as a Human Endeavour
<i>The Worm Bank</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Political and Economic Systems – indicator (e)



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<i>Beginnings</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS SOSE – TIME, CONTINUITY AND CHANGE
<i>The First Australians</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (c)
<i>Francis Greenway</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicators (a) and (b) TECHNOLOGY – Technology as a Human Endeavour
<i>The Captain's Diary</i> (Non-Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicator (a)
<i>Patch Parker Son of a Convict</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicators (a) and (c) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (c)
<i>Eliza Bird Child Convict</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicator (a)

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<i>Our Fragile Environment</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS SCIENCE – LIFE AND LIVING SOSE – PLACE AND SPACE
<i>Wetland Wonders</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Life and Living – indicators (b) and (d) SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (c) and (d)
<i>A Visit to Ceres</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Life and Living – indicator (d) SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (b) (c) and (d)
<i>Steve Irwin Crocodile Hunter</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Life and Living – indicator (d) SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (b) and (d)
<i>Horatio Einstein, The Hero</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (b) (c) and (d)
<i>The Pesky Guest</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Life and Living – indicators (a) (b) (c) and (d) SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (b) and (d)



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Waterwise (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS SOSE – PLACE AND SPACE
Wonderful Water (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Science as Human Endeavour SCIENCE – Earth and Beyond – indicator (b) SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (c) and (d)
A World of Water (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Place and Space – indicator (b) SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicator (c)
The Water Crisis (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (c) (d) SCIENCE – Earth and Beyond – indicator (b) TECHNOLOGY – Technology as a Human Endeavour TECHNOLOGY – Information, Materials and Systems
Danger on the Snowy (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (c) and (d) SCIENCE – Earth and Beyond – indicator (b) SCIENCE – Energy and Change – indicators (c) and (d) SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicator (a)
Summer at Drought Place (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (b) (c) and (d)



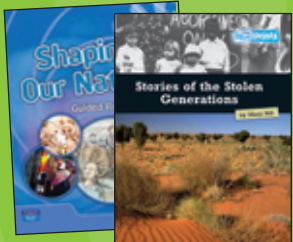
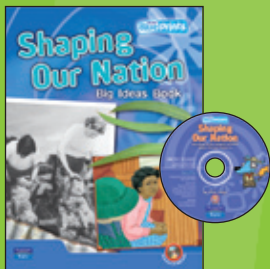
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<i>There's More to Me</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION – PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT
<i>Project Turtle</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Science as a Human Endeavour SCIENCE – Life and Living – indicators (b) (c) and (d)
<i>Let's Get Physical</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Personal Development – indicator (a) HPE – Health – indicators (a) (b) and (c)
<i>Khoa Do Independent Spirit</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Personal Development – indicators (a) (b) and (c) SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicators (b) and (c) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (a) and (b)
<i>Planet Max</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Personal Development – indicators (a) (b) and (c)
<i>Quality Kid</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Health – indicators (a) and (b) HPE – Personal Development – indicators (a) (b) and (c)



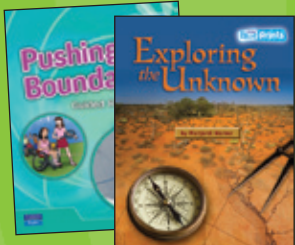
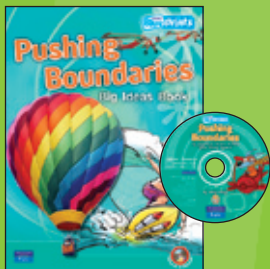
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<i>Our Energy Choice</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS SCIENCE – ENERGY AND CHANGE SOSE – PLACE AND SPACE
<i>Fuel for Thought</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Energy and Change – indicators (b) and (c) SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (b) and (c)
<i>Fill it Up</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Energy and Change – indicators (a) (b) and (c) SOSE – Place and Space – indicator (c) SCIENCE – Science as a Human Endeavour TECHNOLOGY – Technology as a Human Endeavour TECHNOLOGY – Information, Materials and Systems
<i>Our Amazing Sun</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicator (c) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (a) and (b)
<i>Off the Grid</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Energy and Change – indicators (a) (b) and (c) SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) and (c)
<i>Energy Rangers to the Rescue</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SCIENCE – Energy and Change – indicators (b) and (c) SOSE – Place and Space – indicator (c)



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<i>Shaping our Nation</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS SOSE – TIME, CONTINUITY AND CHANGE SOSE – CULTURE AND IDENTITY
<i>Stories of the Stolen Generation</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (b) (c) (d) and (e)
<i>Gold and Mud: A Play</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicator (a) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (b)
<i>So Much to Tell Us; Amazing Australian Children's Authors</i> (Non - fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicator (c) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (a) and (b)
<i>We Went to Gallipoli</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change – indicators (a) and (c) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (b)
<i>Maria's Journey</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Time Continuity and Change – indicators (a) and (c) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (b)



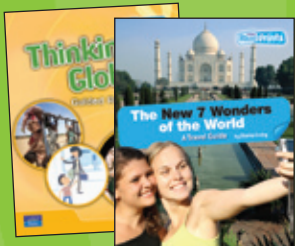
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<p><i>Pushing Boundaries</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)</p>	<p>MAJOR FOCUS HPE – Personal Development SCIENCE – Science as a Human Endeavour SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change</p>
<p><i>Exploring the Unknown</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>MATHEMATICS – Space – indicators (f) and (g) SOSE – time, continuity and change – indicator (a) SOSE – place and space – indicators (a) and (e)</p>
<p><i>Adventurers in the Air</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>SOSE – time, continuity and change – indicator (a) TECHNOLOGY – Technology as a human endeavour – indicators (a) and (b)</p>
<p><i>Taking a Line for a Walk</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>TECHNOLOGY – Information, materials and systems – indicator (a) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (a) (c) and (e) THE ARTS – Visual Art-indicators (a) (b) (c) and (d)</p>
<p><i>Freemans' Feats</i> (Fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>HPE – Health- indicator (a) (b) HPE – Personal Development – indicators (a) (b) and (c) SOSE – Political and Economic Systems – indicator (d)</p>
<p><i>Riding High</i> (Fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>HPE – Health- indicator (a) HPE – Personal Development – indicator (c)</p>



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<p><i>Up Close and Personal</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)</p>	<p>MAJOR FOCUS HPE – Personal Development HPE– Health</p>
<p><i>What You See is Not What You Get</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>HPE – Personal Development – indicator (a) HPE – Health – indicator (b) MATHEMATICS – Number indicator (a) and (c) THE ARTS – Media – indicators (a) and (c)</p>
<p><i>Go For It!</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>HPE – Personal Development – indicators (b) and (c)</p>
<p><i>From Little Things...</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>HPE – Personal Development – indicators (b) and (c)</p>
<p><i>House of Cards</i> (Fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>HPE – Personal Development – indicators (b) and (c)</p>
<p><i>He Said, She Said</i> (Fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>SCIENCE – Science as Human Endeavour – indicators (a) (b) and (c) SOSE – Time Continuity and change – indicator (a) TECHNOLOGY – Technology as Human Endeavour – indicator (a)</p>



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<p><i>Thinking Globally</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)</p>	<p>MAJOR FOCUS SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change SCIENCE – Science as Human Endeavour</p>
<p><i>A Changing World</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>SCIENCE – Science as Human Endeavour – indicators (a) (b) and (c) TECHNOLOGY – Technology as Human endeavour – indicators (a) and (c)</p>
<p><i>Impact: Environment</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (b) (c) (d) and (e) SCIENCE – Science as Human Endeavour – indicators (a) (b) and (c)</p>
<p><i>The New Seven Wonders of the World – A Travel Guide</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>SOSE – Place and Space – indicators (a) (d) and (e) SOSE – Political and Economic Systems – indicator (e) MATHEMATICS – space – indicators (f) and (g)</p>
<p><i>Hope for Hanna</i> (Fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>HPE – Personal Development – indicators (b) and (c) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a)</p>
<p><i>The Double-cross</i> (Fiction Topic Book)</p>	<p>HPE – Personal Development – indicators (b) and (c) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a)</p>



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<i>The Spirit of Oz</i> (Big Ideas Book and CD, and Guided Reading Book)	MAJOR FOCUS SOSE – Culture and Identity
<i>A Duel of Words</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicators (a) and (b) SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change (a) ENGLISH – Language Elements – indicator (g)*
<i>Ready, Steady...Wait, Is That a Sport?</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	HPE – Physical Activity – indicator (a) SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a)
<i>What's the Best Way to Catch a Barramundi?</i> <i>A Book of Aussie Humour</i> (Non-fiction Topic Book)	ENGLISH – Language Elements – indicator (g)* SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a)
<i>Mad Mal-Desperado of the Diggings</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a) SOSE – Time, Continuity and Change (a)
<i>A Song for Fred</i> (Fiction Topic Book)	SOSE – Culture and Identity – indicator (a) HPE – Personal Development – indicators (a) and (c)

* The English indicator is important here because *What's the Best Way to Catch a Barramundi? A Book of Aussie Humour* and *A Duel of Words* are text about the creative use and performance of English.