Grades 8 – 9 Catalogue
Introduction

Welcome to the Pearson South Africa Grades 8–9 catalogue. This is the first time that we’ve combined the very best learning and teaching resources from Maskew Miller Longman and Heinemann Publishers together with Pearson Education into one catalogue.

Our Grades 8–9 portfolio brings you the best school resources, including the widest range of CAPS-approved titles and the very best supplementary resources from South Africa and overseas. We aim to help learners with the transition from Senior Phase to FET Phase; providing them with the skills needed to acquire and apply knowledge in ways that are meaningful to their lives.

Pearson is the world’s leading learning company. Our education business combines 150 years of experience in publishing with the latest learning technology and online support. We help people learn whatever, wherever and however they choose. To learn more about Pearson South Africa please turn to pages 2 and 3.

Continuing a strong tradition of excellence in teacher training established by Maskew Miller Longman and Heinemann, Pearson South Africa continues to run regular teacher-training workshops across the country. These workshops are run by our dedicated and passionate team of trainers, many of whom are former teachers. If you require more information on our workshops please contact your local Pearson office.

We wish you all the best for the year ahead.

The Pearson Team

Key to symbols

- **CAPS**: Titles that are CAPS approved by the Department of Education.
- **NEW**: A new title that has not been featured before.
- **e**: This title is also available in eBook format.
- **CD**: Features one or more digital resources, e.g. CD, DVD, Online Support.
- **AFR**: Resources with audio components.
- **AFR**: This title is also available in Afrikaans.
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We are fortunate to have found BEE partners who share our passion and commitment to education – broad-based partners who have worked in education development in some of our poorest communities and who are able to actively engage and participate in our Schools business.

We selected women partners, based on the great role that women have played and continue to play in African development, often in the face of great disadvantage.

Peotona Publishing Investments (Pty) Ltd

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• Dolly Mokgatle
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This powerful group of women is making a major impact in South Africa by using mainstream business opportunities to leverage sustainable opportunities for individuals from disadvantaged communities.

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Simply Superior!

- Superior CAPS coverage – written for the new curriculum by expert authors.
- Superior illustrations and activities to improve results and motivate learners.
- Superior teacher support to save time and make teaching easy, including a FREE Extension and Remediation Worksheet Book.
- Superior quality = SUCCESS!

Teacher’s Guide includes FREE Extension and Remediation Worksheet Book.
Platinum English First Additional Language

- Learner’s Book is divided into chapters which each contain work for a complete two-week cycle.
- Chapter openers introduce learners to the key concepts that will be dealt with.
- Each chapter contains activities for all four language skills: Listening and Speaking, Reading and Viewing, Writing and Presenting, and Language Structures and Conventions.
- Course has unique features that help learners to read, speak and write English confidently and competently.
- List of words and glossary will build learner vocabulary and help learners prepare for exams.
- The Language Toolbox is an easy reference for common grammatical and spelling patterns.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Reader
- Teacher’s Guide (includes FREE Extension and Remediation Worksheet Book)
Platinum Home Language

- Learner’s Book is divided into chapters which introduce learners to the key concepts that will be dealt with.
- Learner’s Book includes folklore, short stories, poems and drama to illustrate different genres and to enhance the learner’s reading experience.
- Strong emphasis is placed on the development of reading and writing skills.
- Activities and revision exercises enable learners to consolidate knowledge and test their language skills.
- Important text forms include annotated labels to help the learner to differentiate the different text forms and value the construction of each form.
- List of words and glossary will build learners’ vocabulary and help learners prepare for exams.

Platinum Home Language include Platinum Afrikaans Huistaal, A Hi Peleni Nambu (Xitsonga), A Re Sogeng Thari (Sepedi), Kha Ri Shele Mulenzhe (Tshivenda), Le Re Thabetse (Setswana), Masikhanyise (isiXhosa), N asi-ke Isikhethu (isiNdebele) and Sivula Emasango (siSwati).

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Reader
- Teacher’s Guide includes FREE Extension and Remediation Worksheet Book

NOTE: Platinum Afrikaans Huistaal is available in eBook format.
Imizekelo yezicatshuwa ezibhaliweyo nezokuthetha

Imifanekiso eqaqambileyo kwiphepha ngaline idlwengula umxhelo

Platinum M asikhanyise (isiXhosa) Grade 9 Learner's Book

Dibonwa/ dibogela tša mebalabala mo letlakaleng le lengwe le le lengwe di tsoaša kgahlelo

Mešongwana le mešomo ya poelešo di kgontšha barutwana go kopantšha tsebo le go iteka mabokgori a bona a go ngwala

Platinum A Re Sogeng Thari (Sepedi) Grade 8 Learner's Book

Mehlala ya ditšwelešwa tša go bolela le go ngwalwa
Platinum Creative Arts

- Learner’s Book is divided into units which cover the specified topics, and required content, concepts and skills for the various art forms.
- Activities and revision exercises enable learners to consolidate knowledge and test their Creative Arts skills.
- Learner support is provided through Key Words, Key Concepts and Key Skills.
- Focus is on developing art form vocabulary through repeated use of key words and key concepts during practical activities.
- Colourful illustrations enhance the learner’s understanding of concepts and content.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (includes FREE Extension and Remediation Worksheet Book)

Platinum Mathematics

- Learner’s Book is divided into topics, covering each of the five Mathematics content areas.
- Term openers introduce learners to the key concepts that will be dealt with in each term.
- Maths Ideas feature illustrates the curriculum focus within a particular topic.
- Each topic contains helpful key words and a variety of exercises.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes FREE book of photocopiable worksheets)

NOTE: Platinum Mathematics, the only CAPS Maths course that has been approved for all grades.
Platinum Natural Sciences

- Learner’s Book is divided into topics and units which cover the content as required by CAPS.
- Activities, practical work and revision exercises enable learners to consolidate knowledge and practise their skills.
- Language support is provided through clear definitions of scientific terms in Key Word boxes.
- Safety Notes are provided where relevant.
- Colourful illustrations and photographs enhance the learner’s understanding.

Platinum Social Sciences

- Learner’s Book is divided into units which cover the specific topics, and required content, concepts and skills in Social Sciences.
- A variety of activities enable learners to consolidate knowledge and test their skills.
- About our world boxes filled with useful information offer learners a broader perspective of Social Sciences.
- Difficult and new words are defined in Key Word boxes to build learner’s vocabulary.
- Full colour illustrations, maps and colourful photographs aid the learner’s understanding.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (includes FREE Extension and Remediation Worksheet Book)
Platinum Technology

- Learner’s Book is divided into topics and units which cover the content, concepts and skills as required by CAPS.
- The Skills Focus, Action Research and Practical Investigation features provide hands-on opportunities for learners to acquire skills.
- Formal Assessment is provided through Practice Term Tests, a Mini-PAT at the end of each term and an end-of-year Practice Exam.
- Technology Enabling Tasks and case studies ensure learners engage with concepts and skills.
- Language support is built in throughout the course by providing clear definitions of new words in Key Word boxes and glossary to help learners prepare for exams.
- Full colour illustrations and photographs enhance learner understanding.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (includes FREE Extension and Remediation Worksheet Book)
Platinum makes my life as a teacher easier. The Learner’s Book is more detailed in terms of content and the given activities are easier to administer. Platinum empowers learners to be problem solvers and they have been able to improve their grades. Since 2012 my class pass rate has been 80%!

— S Mharakurwa, Grade 7-9 teacher,
Vine Christian School, Western Cape
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Develops language skills alongside subject knowledge

All content is fully CAPS-compliant

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TODAY, for successful teaching tomorrow.

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English First Additional Language TODAY

- Learner’s Book is easy to use as content is presented in a step-by-step format, using clear and simple language to enhance conceptual understanding.
- Activities allow learners to test skills and use existing knowledge, challenging them to think critically about their learning within a localised and global framework.
- Learner’s Book provides additional learner support through skills support boxes, vocabulary lists and annotated models for writing.
- Learner’s Book includes literature texts from both South Africa and abroad that will encourage learners to read and think.
- Grammar and language skills are taught in context to enable learners to develop a meaningful understanding of English studies.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Reader
Creative Arts TODAY

- Creative Arts TODAY is suitable for all learning styles and abilities, with content presented in a step-by-step format, using clear and simple language.
- Learner’s Book contains ample activities to enable learners to apply knowledge, test skills and challenge themselves.
- Detailed and colourful illustrations help learners understand concepts.
- Learner’s Book provides additional learner support through Key Word boxes, Did you know? boxes, Tip boxes and annotated diagrams.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes FREE book of photocopiable worksheets)

Economic and Management Sciences TODAY

- Learner’s Book is easy to use as content is presented in a step-by-step format, using clear and simple language.
- Variety of activities help learners learn and practise skills and concepts.
- Visual support helps learners to understand concepts.
- Learner’s Book provides additional support through Key Word boxes, worked examples, case studies and Did you know? boxes.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes FREE book of photocopiable worksheets)
Life Orientation TODAY

- Life Orientation TODAY is easy to use as content is presented in a step-by-step format, using clear and simple language to enhance conceptual understanding.
- Activities allow learners to test skills and use existing knowledge, challenging them to think critically about their learning within a localised and global framework.
- Life Orientation TODAY provides additional learner support through Key Word boxes, case studies, Safety First boxes and additional information boxes.

Mathematics TODAY

- Mathematics TODAY is suitable for all learning styles and abilities with content presented in a step-by-step format, using clear and simple language.
- Learner’s Book contains ample activities to enable learners to apply knowledge, test skills and challenge themselves in Mathematics.
- Visual support helps learners to understand concepts.
- Worked examples, and Remember and Key Word boxes provide additional support.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes FREE book of photocopiable worksheets)
Social Sciences TODAY

- Learner’s Book is suitable for all learning styles and abilities with content presented in a step-by-step format, using clear and simple language.
- Learner’s Book contains ample activities to enable learners to apply knowledge, test skills and challenge themselves.
- Detailed and colourful illustrations and maps, as well as photographs help learners to understand concepts.
- Learner’s Book provides additional learner support, annotated illustrations and case studies.

Technology TODAY

- Technology TODAY is easy to use as content is presented in a step-by-step format, using clear and simple language to enhance conceptual understanding.
- Enabling tasks provide opportunities for learners to apply their knowledge and Technology skills.
- Detailed and colourful illustrations help learners to understand concepts.
- Learner’s Book provides language support through Key Word boxes.
- Safety boxes, Did you know? boxes and case studies stimulate interest and make Technology relevant.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes FREE book of photocopiable worksheets)
I found Today to be user-friendly, covering a wide range of topics which are CAPS aligned. Every concept is explained in depth, in a very simple and usable way to understand. The structure and approach used in the Learner’s Book provide the learner with relevant and practical learning experiences, offering them opportunities to discover and explore. My learners are performing very well since I have started to use this series. I have seen a 20% improvement in my learners’ results.

— MJ Mchoari Grade 7 and 8 teacher, Rutanang Intermediate School, Free State
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- Spot On improves results and makes learning enjoyable.
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The Spot On series is also available in Afrikaans as Kollig Op.
Spot On English First Additional Language

- Learner’s Book provides a clear and predictable structure, presenting information in simple, straightforward language for complete understanding.
- Learner’s Book offers plenty of activities to test knowledge and apply skills as required in English First Additional Language.
- Fun and colourful illustrations enhance learner understanding and stimulate interest.
- Features such as Key Word boxes, Notes, Fun Facts and Tips provide additional information and encourage learner participation.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes 16 FREE full colour posters per grade)
- Core Reader
Spot On Creative Arts

- Learner’s Book is enjoyable and easy to use with clear, concise explanations, relevant examples and engaging activities.
- Learner’s Book offers plenty of activities to test knowledge and apply skills.
- Fun and colourful illustrations enhance learner understanding and stimulate interest.
- Features such as Key Word boxes, Notes, Fun Facts and Tips enhance learning and encourage critical thinking.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes 16 FREE full colour posters per grade)

Spot On Economic and Management Sciences

- Content is divided into a clear and predictable structure, and information is presented in simple, straightforward language for complete understanding.
- Learner’s Book offers plenty of activities to test knowledge and apply skills.
- Annotated illustrations enhance learner understanding and colourful illustrations guide learner to build on subject skills.
- Additional support such as Key Word, Extension and Tip boxes, and case studies are provided to enhance learning and encourage learner participation.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes 16 FREE full colour posters per grade)
Spot On Life Orientation

- Learner’s Book provides a clear and predictable structure, presenting information in simple, straightforward language for complete understanding.
- Learner’s Book offers plenty of activities to test knowledge and apply skills.
- Fun and colourful illustrations enhance learner understanding and stimulate interest.
- Key Word boxes define unfamiliar words and, Notes, Fun Facts and Tip boxes enhance learning and encourage critical thinking, taking the learner beyond the classroom.
- Learner’s Book is full of relevant and interesting examples within a localised framework.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes 16 FREE full colour posters per grade)

Spot On Mathematics

- Mathematics content is divided into a clear and predictable structure, and information is presented in simple, straightforward language for complete understanding.
- Plenty of activities for learner to test their knowledge and apply Mathematical skills.
- Colourful and annotated illustrations enhance learner understanding.
- Additional support such as Key Word, Tip and Note boxes are provided to enhance learning and encourage learner participation.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes 16 FREE full colour posters per grade)
Spot On Natural Sciences

- Content is divided into modules and units providing a clear and predictable structure, and information is presented in simple, straightforward language for complete understanding.
- Learner’s Books offer plenty of activities to test knowledge and practise skills as required in Natural Sciences.
- Revision activities provide informal assessment opportunities.
- Annotated illustrations guide learners to build on subject skills and colourful illustrations enhance learner understanding.
- Key Word, Tip, Note and Safety boxes provide language support, additional information and encourage learner participation.
- Career focus, Extension and Fun fact boxes take the learner beyond the classroom.

Components:

- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes 16 FREE full colour posters per grade)
Spot On Social Sciences

- Learner’s Book provides a clear and predictable structure, presenting information in simple, straightforward language for complete understanding.
- Learner’s Book offers plenty of activities to test knowledge and apply skills.
- Annotated illustrations, detailed maps and colourful photographs enhance learners understanding.
- Key Word boxes define unfamiliar words and, Note, Fun Fact and Tip boxes enhance learning and encourage critical thinking, taking the learner beyond the classroom.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes 16 FREE full colour posters per grade)

Spot On Technology

- Technology content is divided into a clear and predictable structure, and information is presented in simple, straightforward language for complete understanding.
- Plenty of activities for learners to test their knowledge and practise Technology skills.
- Annotated illustrations guide learners to build on subject skills and colourful illustrations enhance learner understanding.
- Additional support such as Key Word, Tip and Career Focus boxes provide additional information and encourage learner participation.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Teacher’s Guide (Includes 16 FREE full colour posters per grade)
Spot On made a great difference in my classroom. Each topic is well outlined and the learners love the helpful illustrations, notes and activities. I like that it includes planning, assessment tasks and tips for breaking barriers to learning. I now enjoy teaching my subject and my learners enjoy being taught.

— Confidence Motlakwe, Grade 7-9 teacher, Tawana Primary School, Free State
Afrikaans sonder grense (Eerste Addisionele Taal)

- 'n Volledige taalreeks vir Afrikaans as Eerste Addisionele Taal.
- Die kursus neem jou kwartaal-vir-kwartaal deur die kurrikuluminhoud en poog om by die behoeftes in jou klaskamer aan te pas.
- Die lesreeks is rondom 'n verskeidenheid interessante leestekste opgebou om 'n verskeidenheid taalgebruike te illustreer.
- Die Leerderboek sluit af met 'n taalafdeling wat taalreëls, voorbeelde en oefeninge vir vaslegging, asook 'n voorbeeldvraestel bevat.

Components:
- Learner's Book
- Teacher's Guide (Includes FREE Extension and Remediation Worksheet Book)

KwaXhosa Zibenza Zibutya (isiXhosa Home Language)

- Khetha... Incwadi yolwimi egxininisa kakhulu kwigrama.
- Khetha... Incwadi yolwimi egxininisa ekwakhiweni kwezakhono zolwimi.
- Khetha... Incwadi yolwimi egxininisa nasekulungiseleleni uviwo.
- Khetha... Incwadi yolwimi enezicatshulwa zokufundwayo ezongezelelweyo.
- Khetha uKwaXhosa zibenza Zibutya, enkwenqeka phambili yabo bonke otsithela.

Components:
- Learner’s Book
- Core Readers
- Teacher’s Guide
MML Literature: Novels

- CAPS approved quality literature for South African languages.
- Stimulating activities consolidate learners’ understanding and develop their ability.
- Useful glossaries of difficult vocabulary and literary terms give learners tools to answer exam questions more effectively.

Titles available in Afrikaans, isiNdebele, isiXhosa, Sepedi, Setswana, Siswati, Tshivenda and Xitsonga Home Language.

FOR A COMPREHENSIVE LIST OF LITERATURE TITLES: Refer to the Pearson Selected Literature for South African Schools catalogue.
Senior African Writers Series

- CAPS approved novels.
- Beautifully written stories about various themes, characters and cultures in Africa and South Africa will encourage a life-long love of reading in learners.

Titles available in Afrikaans Eerste Addisionele Taal, Afrikaans Huistaal, and English, isiXhosa and isiZulu Home Language.

For a comprehensive list of literature titles, refer to the Pearson Selected Literature for South African Schools catalogue.
They Fought for Freedom

- They Fought for Freedom tells the stories of southern Africa leaders who struggled for freedom and justice.
- An informative supplementary resource for Social Sciences and English.

They Fought for Freedom Nelson Mandela available in isiXhosa as Wayilwela Inkululeko Nelson Mandela.

FOR A COMPREHENSIVE LIST OF LITERATURE TITLES: Refer to the Pearson Selected Literature for South African Schools catalogue.
Longman South African School Dictionary

- Monolingual dictionary containing over 40 000 subject-specific words covering all learning areas with easy to understand definitions.
- Spelling, grammar and usage notes to help learners avoid common errors.
- Thesaurus boxes help to expand the learners’ vocabulary.
- Pictures and photos help to explain difficult words and concepts.
- Includes a useful Workbook section with lessons and activities to help teach dictionary skills effectively.
- Version available with interactive CD-ROM, with games, videos and much more.

Longman South African School Dictionary with CD-ROM

- Improve pronunciation by listening to all the headwords on the CD-ROM.
- Video clips and photos help students understand difficult concepts.
- Activities and word games provide extra skills practice.
- Handy pop-up dictionary mode which stays on your desktop.
Longman-HAT School Dictionary

- Bilingual English-Afrikaans/ Afrikaans-English dictionary with definitions.
- Over 10 000 words and phrases, concise explanations of meanings, translations, natural example sentences and phrases.
- Clear definitions of er support and guide learners to the right translation.
- Essential Communication section provides situation-based language for immediate use.
- Appendices include Picture Dictionary with illustrations to encourage vocabulary building, irregular verbs and fundamental abbreviations.
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HAT Afrikaanse Skoolwoordeboek

- Duisende woorde en idiome eenvoudig verklaar en toegelig met natuurlike voorbeeldsinne en illustrasies.
- Tesouruskassies help leerders om hul woordeskat uit te brei.
- Nuttige inligting oor spelling en korrekte taalgebruik is ingesluit.
- Uitgebreide lys van Afrikaanse afkortings, asook ’n omvattende lys terme wat leerders vir Afrikaans Huisstaal en Afrikaans Eerste Additional Taal moet ken.
- Die HAT Afrikaanse sakwoordeboek – die HAT Afrikaanse skoolwoordeboek in ’n handige sakpasformat.
HAT Taal-en-Feitegids

- ‘n Beknopte ensiklopediese woordeboek, deeglik nagevors.
- Die Taalgids fokus op die grondbeginsels van goeie taalgebruik, deeglik en duidelik toegelig met werlike voorbeelde uit die taalpraktyk.
- Propvol feite oor Suid-Afrika en die wêreld toegelig met illustrasies en meer as 100 kitsreaksie-kodes wat jy met jou slimfoon kan skandeer om bykomende inligting te ontsluit.

Die Taalgids

- Single words for phrases and sentences.
- Figurative expressions and explanations.
- Proverbs and quotations.
- Small words for big ones.
- Comparisons and similes.
- Abbreviations and prefixes in common use.
- Geographical facts and general knowledge.
- Revision notes.

Die Feitegids

- Weet jy waar die letters van die alfabet vandaan kom?
- Tom McLachlan, een van die voorste kenners van Afrikaans vandag, gee meer as 1000 antwoorde op taalprobleme.
- Meer as 100 illustrasies.
- 6000 artikels propvol inligting oor Suid-Afrika, Afrika en die res van die wêreld.
Platinum High School Atlas Grades 8–12

The Platinum High School Atlas is completely CAPS aligned. It is a comprehensive and valuable learning and teaching resource for the high school as a whole, and not only for the Geography classroom.

The Platinum High School Atlas provides support for selected CAPS topics and content across the following subjects: Natural Sciences in Grades 8 and 9; Mathematics in Grades 8 and 9; Mathematical Literacy; Agricultural Sciences; Economics; Tourism.

The Platinum High School Atlas has been developed by subject and education specialists who understand the needs of the South African learners and teachers. It provides:

- clear guidance on how to use the atlas
- detailed syllabus grid, matching the atlas content to the CAPS content across multiple subjects and grades
- the most up-to-date maps and graphs
- the latest statistical information
- support for the development of map skills, including: projections; scale; directions; latitude and longitude; aerial photographs; satellite images; and GIS
- a comprehensive index of place names.

Locator map locates the area, country or region being studied in the map in its larger continental or world context

Alphanumeric grid lines and labels help identify and locate features and places on the map

All maps have been drawn to an accurate scale within acceptable standards

Information can be interpreted from the photos and satellite images that link to CAPS content

Page title indicates the main theme or topic

All maps have a Key explaining the meaning of the symbols used

Information can be interpreted from the photos and satellite images that link to CAPS content

Also Available: Platinum High School Atlas Teacher’s Guide.
Classroom Mathematics

- South Africa’s most popular CAPS aligned mathematics course.
- Provides clear and logical explanations.
- Contains a progression of graded exercises in each chapter to develop and consolidate concepts and allow teachers and learners to assess key skills.
- Learners will develop the necessary skills to gain confidence in their abilities, while it also gives a complete set of answers to provide immediate feedback.
- A Teacher’s Guide is available.

Maths Formulas Pocket Book

- Designed to give instant access to key formulas to help learners to succeed in Mathematics.
- Contains formulas for Grades 8 to 12 covering arithmetic, algebra, trigonometry, calculus, theory of probability and mathematical statistics.
- Each section includes accurate factual information on the formula, concise definitions for mathematical concepts and useful supplementary properties that are important to computation.
- An index ensures that the formula you are looking for is easy to find.

Understanding Concepts in Mathematics and Science

- A multilingual resource for teaching and learning Mathematics and Science.
- Key mathematics and science concepts are listed and explained in English, isiXhosa, isiZulu and Afrikaans.
- Assists Grades 4 to 12 teachers and learners to enhance their understanding and use of core Mathematics and Science concepts.
X-kit Achieve!

X-kit Achieve! is a series written by expert teachers to make learning, understanding, revising and remembering easy with:

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- concise, step-by-step explanations in plain English
- worked examples and solutions
- annotated diagrams and tables
- clear, relevant and current examples and case studies
- plenty of exam practice
- CAPS aligned.

X-kit Achieve! Mathematics is available in Afrikaans as X-kit Presteer! Wiskunde.

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**The Teacher’s Choice**

- A vital resource for teachers and trainers in South Africa providing practical support.
- Range of topics: Assessing Learners, Inclusivity in the Classroom, Teaching Literacy, Teaching Numeracy, Three Levels of Planning, and Using ICT in the Classroom.
- Includes an explanatory introduction, a glossary of words relevant to the topic and a bibliography of helpful texts.
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