

HELEN LEWIS

PRIMARY FOCUS EDITING

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SERVICES OFFERED

- Project management
- Development editing
- Copy-editing
- Proofreading
- Answer checking

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

All primary school subjects, with a particular interest in English, mathematics and science

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

EDITING

Projects include:

- *York Notes Key Stage 2 English* by York Press (Project management)
- End of year assessment materials for *Inspire Maths* scheme by Oxford University Press (Project management)
- *Big Cat Guided Reading Handbooks* and *Big Cat Phonics for Letters and Sounds Phonics Handbooks* by Collins (Development editing)
- Rising Stars' BETT and ERA award-winning primary computing scheme, *Switched on Computing* (Development editing)
- *Computing in the national curriculum: A guide for primary teachers* and *Computing in the national curriculum: A guide for secondary teachers* by Computing At School and Naace (Development editing)
- *National Curriculum SATs Tests* by Scholastic (Development editing, copy-editing and answer checking)
- *Revise Key Stage 2 SATs English Ten-Minute Tests* by Pearson (Development editing and answer checking)
- *Inspire Maths* scheme by Oxford University Press (Copy-editing and proofreading)
- *Revise Key Stage 2 SATs Mathematics Ten-Minute Tests* by Pearson (Proofreading)

WRITING

I've had 135 titles published (91 as author and 44 as co-author). My published work covers a range of formats, including library books, teacher resource books, pupil books, workbooks, home study books and interactive digital materials.

Published titles include:

- *Read and Respond* series: *Jasper's Beanstalk*, *Goodnight Mister Tom*, and *The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas*, Scholastic
- *Rising Stars Assessment: Writing Tasks* (Years 4, 5 and 6), Rising Stars
- *New Curriculum Assessment: Reading Progress Tests* (Years 5 and 6), Rising Stars
- *Ready To Go Lessons For Maths* (Stages 3 and 4), Hodder Education
- *Hodder Cambridge Primary Science* (Years 5 & 6), Hodder Education
- *Voyagers History, Key Stage 1*, Rising Stars
- *100 History Lessons: Years 5-6*, Scholastic
- *Space Frontiers* series, Macmillan Australia (6 books, ages 8-12)*
- *Toys and Forces* series, Macmillan Australia (6 books, ages 6-8)*
- *Eyewitness Project Books: Rocks and Minerals*, Dorling Kindersley*

*Titles published under my previous surname, Whittaker

TEACHING

<i>Date</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>Post held</i>
Apr '03 – Apr '05	Church Broughton Primary School, Derbyshire	KS2 teacher
Sep '00 – Apr '03	The Mosley County Primary School, Staffordshire	KS1 Teacher & ICT Teacher (R-Y6)
Sep '94 – Aug '00	Repton County Primary School, Derbyshire	KS2 Teacher
Sep '91 – Aug '94	William Reynolds Junior School, Shropshire	KS2 Teacher
Sep '89 – Apr '91	Wheatfields Junior School, Hertfordshire	KS2 Teacher

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

July '89	West Sussex Institute of Higher Education	Postgraduate Certificate in Education
July '88	University of Aston in Birmingham	BSc Honours in Modern Languages

ONLINE PRESENCE

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