

Learning Sequence 1

Are These Your Glasses? Focus pages (2–5)

Spelling

Penguin

Antarctica

Ice

House

Ocean

Sky

Lonely

Father



Comprehension

1. What was Sergio's house made from?
2. What colour were Sergio's trousers?
3. Why was there smoke coming from the chimney?
4. Was Sergio happy to see his father?
5. How would you feel if you were all alone every lunch-time? Why?
6. What would you do if you saw somebody else sitting on their own? Why?

Learning Sequence 3

Are These Your Glasses? Focus pages (10–13)

Spelling

Father

Adult

Proud

Wife

Fish

Backpack

Gifts

Journey

Comprehension

1. What was Sergio's father eating for dinner?
2. What was Sergio's house like?
3. When Sergio grew older how did he change?
4. What did Sergio's father say about Kindness?
5. Who was the lady penguin in the picture on the wall?
6. Where was Sergio's mum?
7. How did Sergio's father help him to prepare for the big journey?
8. Why was Sergio sitting on some books at the table?
9. What items would you pack if you were going on his journey in the snow?
10. Was the journey going to be a dangerous one? Why?
11. How would you feel if you had to leave home alone?



Learning Sequence 4

Are These Your Glasses? Focus pages (14–17)

Spelling

Alone

Walking

Brave

Stars

Lights

Wind

Emotions

Colours

Comprehension – (Copy the sentence and select the correct word.)

1. The sky looked happy/sad on page 14.
2. The group left with/without Sergio.
3. The journey ahead was a long/short one.
4. Sergio was included/excluded.
5. The group waited/didn't wait for him.
6. Sergio gave up/kept going.
7. The wind was strong/weak as he walked.
8. The green sky was bright/dim.



Learning Sequence 5

Are These Your Glasses? Focus pages (18–21)

Spelling

Stones

Collected

Impress

Pack

Coal

Dusty

Search

Excluded

Comprehension

1. What were the penguins collecting?
2. Why had all the shiny stones gone?
3. What kind of stone did Sergio find?
4. How did Sergio feel when he found the coal?
5. What happened when the girls arrived?
6. Why was the sky dark and purple?
7. Why were the penguins so close together?
8. What do you think Sergio will do with the coal?
9. How do human men normally find a wife?



Learning Sequence 6

Are These Your Glasses? Focus pages (22–25)

Spelling

Married

Couple

Love

Cuddle

Try

Pairs

Whisper

Shiny

Comprehension – (Decide if these statements are true or false.)

1. Most of the penguins looked happy.
2. The girls liked Sergio's piece of coal.
3. Sergio gave up.
4. Some of the penguins were cuddling.
5. The sky looked happy.
6. Sergio was feeling happy.
7. It was daytime.
8. Many other penguins were alone too.
9. Some penguins were wearing clothes.



Learning Sequence 7

Are These Your Glasses? Focus pages (26–29)

Spelling

Upset

Ignored

Waddled

Beautiful

Stared

Hope

Shy

Blush



Comprehension

1. Why were all the boys crowding around?
2. Why was Sergio about to give up?
3. How did the girl feel when all the boys showed her the stones?
4. Why were there so many stones on the floor?
5. Why did the girl stare at Sergio?
6. How did the sky change when she walked over to Sergio? Why?
7. How did the other boys feel?
8. Why did she ignore all the shiny stones?

Learning Sequence 8

Are These Your Glasses? Focus pages (30–33)

Spelling

Speechless

Frown

Shocked

Memory

Beak

Winter

Slowly

Arrive

Comprehension

1. Why did Sergio drop the coal on the ground?
2. What do you think the boy in the background is thinking?
3. Why did the sky change to a beautiful orange colour?
4. Why did the girl pick up the coal?
5. Was Sergio's father happy to see them?
6. How does the girl know Sergio's name?
7. Do you think that Sergio has found happiness? How?
8. How was Sergio feeling when the girl put her glasses on?
9. What have we learned from Sergio?
10. What do you think will happen next?
11. What will you do in future when times get hard?



Learning Sequence 9

Are These Your Glasses? Focus pages (34–37) Spelling

Baby

Grandson

Suprised

Tiny

Author

Illustrator

Give-up

Reward

Comprehension

1. How would you describe the baby penguin?
2. What had happened during the long winter?
3. How did Sergio's father feel when he saw the baby?
4. What did the book teach you about penguins?
5. What did the book show us about leaving people out?
6. What will you do the next time you see someone being left out?
7. What do we know about the author?
8. What do we know about the illustrator?
9. What would you call the next book if you were to write it?
10. Have you enjoyed reading this book? Why?



Learning Sequence 2

Are These Your Glasses? Focus pages (6–9)

Spelling

Screaming

Shouting

Glasses

Feelings

Caring

Tears

School

Upset



Comprehension

1. What were the big group of penguins doing?
2. What was on the floor when the girls left?
3. How did the girl feel after the group left?
4. Why were the group of girls shouting at her?
5. Why did Sergio help her?
6. What did Sergio do to show that he cared?
7. If you saw another person crying what would you do? Why?
8. How do you think the girl felt when the group of girls left?
9. Do you think Sergio did the right thing? Why?