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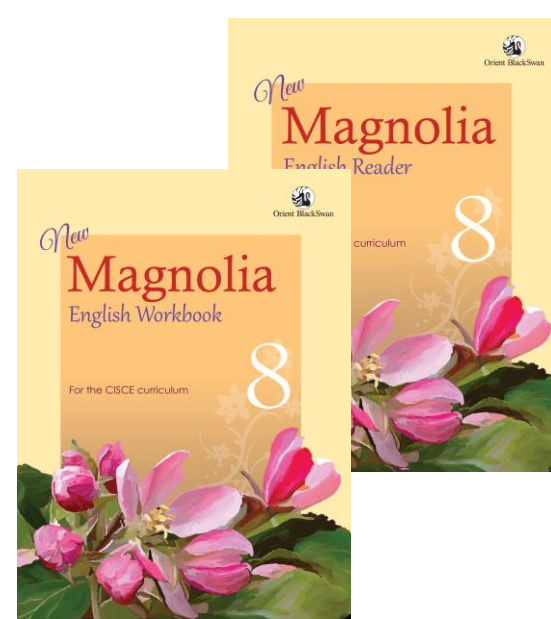
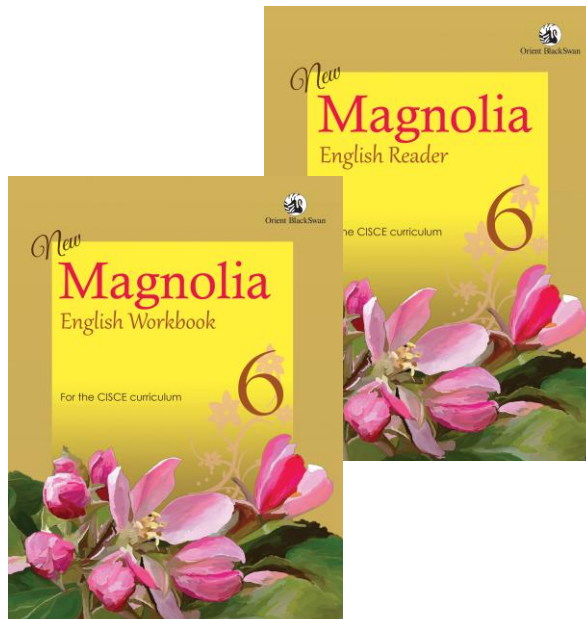
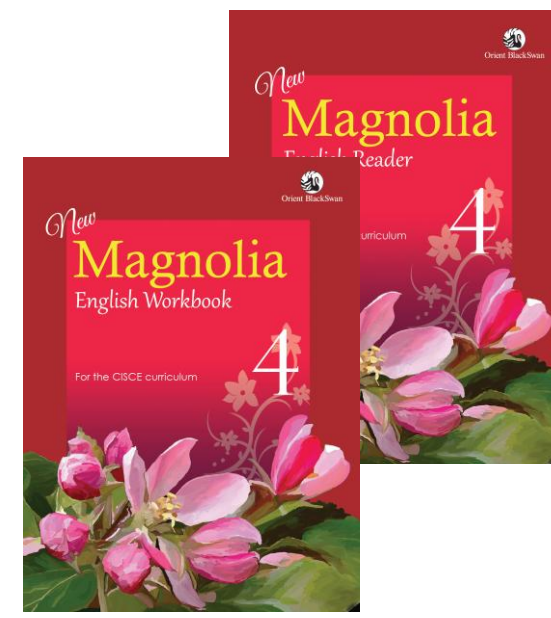
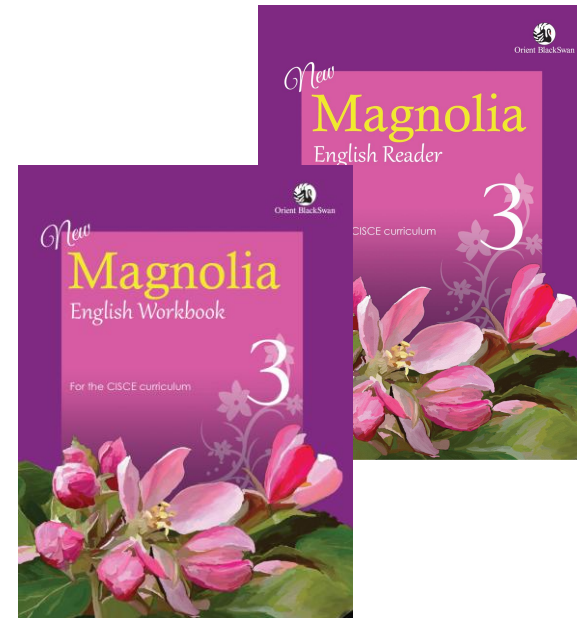
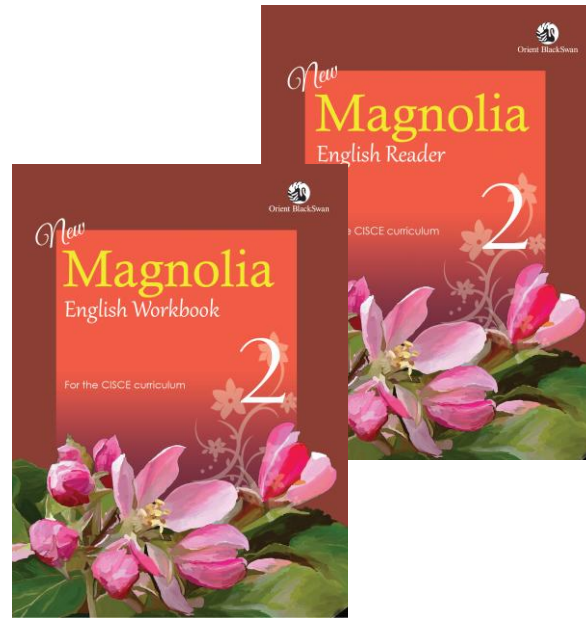
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**Newly Revised Series Mapped to the CISCE Curriculum**

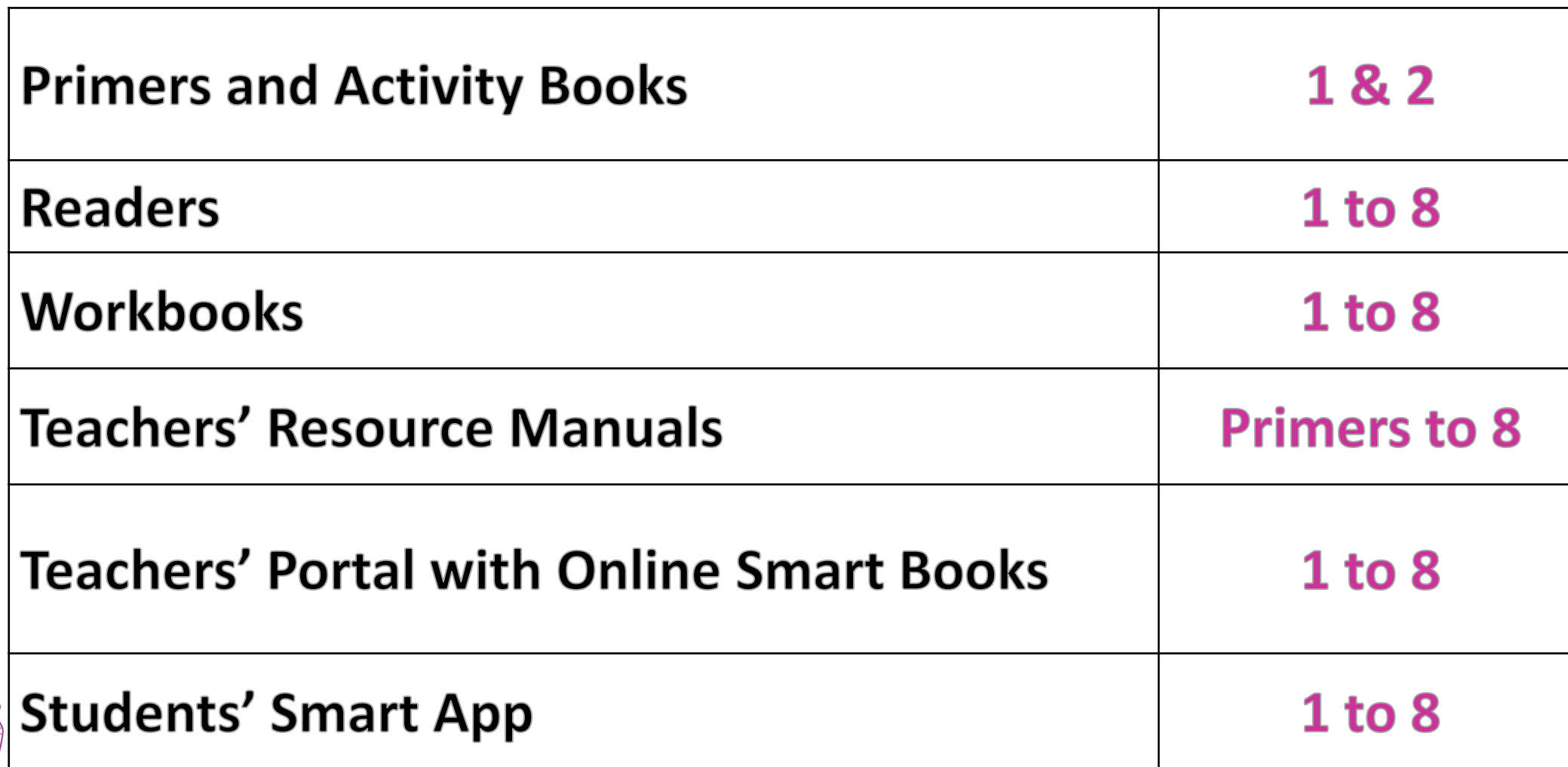
Revised Edition 2022

# COVERS





# PACKAGE



<b>Primers and Activity Books</b>	<b>1 &amp; 2</b>
<b>Readers</b>	<b>1 to 8</b>
<b>Workbooks</b>	<b>1 to 8</b>
<b>Teachers' Resource Manuals</b>	<b>Primers to 8</b>
<b>Teachers' Portal with Online Smart Books</b>	<b>1 to 8</b>
<b>Students' Smart App</b>	<b>1 to 8</b>

# ENHANCED FEATURES

- **Mapped to the CISCE curriculum** and custom-designed to match the requirements
- Offers a wide range of classroom experiences to enable students to **construct their own knowledge** and to equip them with **21st century skills**.
- Adheres to the **learning objectives** and **transactional outcomes** set down in the CISCE curriculum
- **Assessments** as an integral part of the teaching-learning process—*for, as, of* Learning.
- **Students' Smart App** for language enrichment and extended practice
- The **Orient BlackSwan Teachers' Portal** empowers teachers with rich digital resources

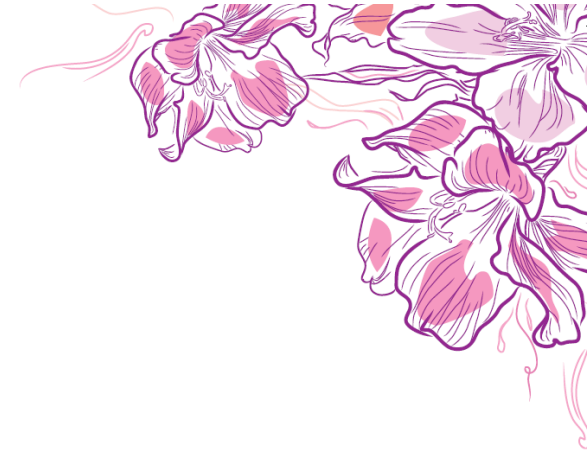
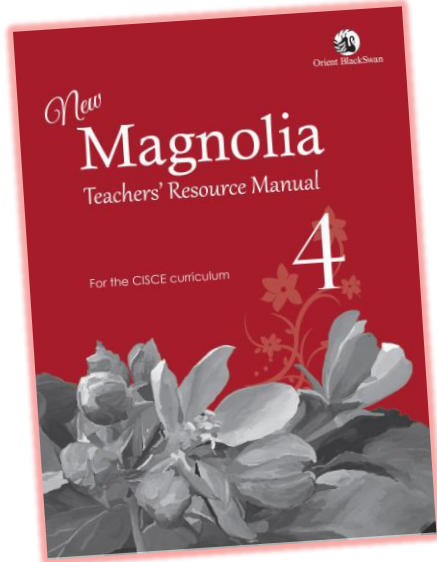
# USP<sub>s</sub>/CONTENT

- ✓ A **rich selection of literary texts and poems** by well-known writers—deals with universal themes and current social issues and enhances literary appreciation
- ✓ **Pre-reading** sections to prepare students for the lesson through fun and enjoyable tasks to stimulate thinking
- ✓ **Embedded Questions** to help assess comprehension of the reading texts, develop HOTS and support multilingualism
- ✓ **Post-Reading Questions** to ensure in-depth understanding and encourage critical thinking, with graded introduction to literary appreciation
- ✓ **Contextual teaching** of Grammar, Vocabulary and other skills, based on the CISCE curriculum
- ✓ **Extensive and graded practice** through linked Integrated Worksheets and Workbooks for grammar, vocabulary, writing and comprehension
- ✓ Creative and functional **Writing** tasks in a wide range of formats with models and prompts for adaptive learning and to encourage free and critical thinking

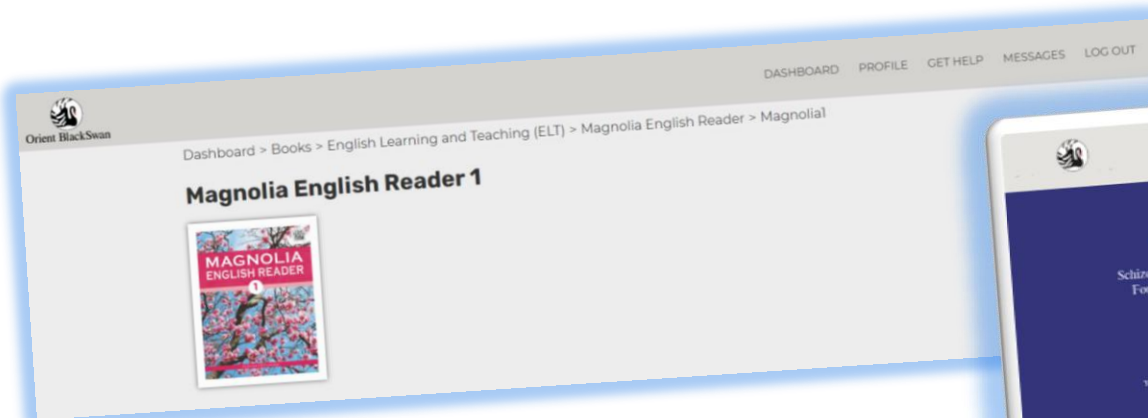


# SUPPORT FOR TEACHERS

## 1. Teachers' Resource Manuals



## 2. Orient BlackSwan Teachers' Portal



# TEACHERS' RESOURCE MANUALS

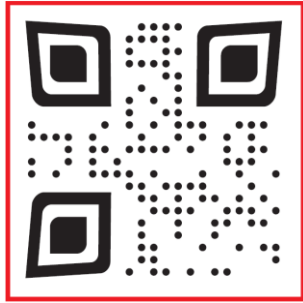
- **Animations** and **audio tracks** for all texts and poems to enhance the teaching-learning experience in the classroom
- **Presentations** and **Picture Galleries** for additional information and cross-curricular learning
- **Lesson Modules** which comprise of Lesson Plans, Answer Key to the Student Book and Question Bank
- **Summaries** of poems
- **Question Bank** with additional questions and Answer Key for the coursebook
- **Worksheets** with answer key
- **Sample Creative Writing Passages** for classes 6 to 8
- **Sample Question Papers** in current formats with Answer Key
- **Comprehension passages** with Questions and Answer Key
- **Listening and Speaking** exercises with audio support



# SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS

## Digital Resources in the **Students' Smart App**

- Poem animation
- Text, poem and exercise audio tracks
- Presentations
- Picture galleries
- Text and poem summaries
- Interactive tasks
- Reading corner
- Students' corner assets
- Sample question paper with answer key





# GRAPHIC PREFACE FOR READERS

The revised **New Magnolia English Readers K to 8** include some of the finest literary selections from across the world and help develop the skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing for effective communication. At every level, the concepts and skills are in line with the learning objectives and transactional outcomes set down in the CISCE curriculum.

## Package

- ❖ Primers and Activity Books 1 and 2
- ❖ Readers 1–8
- ❖ Workbooks 1–8
- ❖ Teachers' Resource Manuals K to 8
- ❖ Orient BlackSwan Teachers' Portal with online Smart Books 1–8
- ❖ Students' Smart App 1–8

## Special Features

### Integrated Worksheets

- graded practice to reinforce and enhance grammar and vocabulary
- variety of formats for creative and functional writing
- wide range of passages to improve interpretative and analytical skills

### Teachers' Smart Books

- digital enhancement
- digitally mapped to the Reader
- animation, audio support, presentations, picture galleries, interactive tasks, embedded questions and other teaching resources
- cross-curricular presentations
- question-paper generator




### Teachers' Resource Manual

- lesson plan
- question bank
- worksheets
- answer key to the Reader, Workbook and Worksheets
- comprehension passages with questions and answers
- sample creative writing passages (for classes 6–8)
- listening and speaking
- assessment papers (Paper I and Paper II) with answer key

### Students' Smart App

- language enrichment
  - extended practice
- with Reading Corner*
- an array of specially selected literary masterpieces from the recommended reading list
  - exposure to the finest writing to heighten literary appreciation

## Assessment

	Assessment for Learning (Formative Assessments)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pre-reading</li> <li>• Embedded Questions</li> <li>• Think and Answer</li> </ul>
	Assessment as Learning (Self and Peer Assessments)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Writing</li> <li>• Speaking</li> <li>• Pronunciation</li> <li>• Projects</li> <li>• Going Further</li> </ul>
	Assessment of Learning (Summative Assessments)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Worksheets in the Reader and Workbook</li> <li>• Grammar, Vocabulary and Writing Worksheets in the Teachers' Resource Manual</li> <li>• Sample Assessment Papers in the Teachers' Resource Manual</li> </ul>

## Structure of a Unit

### Reading Text

- texts from a variety of genres and themes that range from simple to complex, to develop reading skills
- beautifully illustrated to stimulate literary appreciation through visual appeal

### Pre-reading

- fun and enjoyable tasks to stimulate thinking
- age-appropriate and varied
- prepares students for the lesson

### Embedded Questions

- help assess comprehension of the main elements of the reading texts
- develop higher order thinking skills
- enhance communicative skills
- support multilingualism
- help in assessment

### Grammar

- focus on meaning and form
- training to use concepts with clarity and precision
- adequate practice

### Vocabulary

- contextual tasks to develop active vocabulary
- special attention to phrases, expressions and chunks

### Writing

- balance between functional and creative writing
- use of stimuli, like discussions and pictures, to expand range of ideas
- focus on understanding and appreciating the 'process' of writing

### Listening & Speaking

- tasks designed to enable meaningful communication in a variety of situations
- text-based and functional topics
- complete audio support
- consistent and planned help

### Spelling & Punctuation

- clear concept explanations with worked-out examples
- useful practice

### Dictionary Work

- study skills to support accuracy in usage

### Pronunciation & Reading Aloud

- focus on challenging areas
- training for fluent, accurate and expressive reading
- audio support

### Project & Going Further

- cross-curricular and age-relevant projects and activities

### Life Skills

- recommended integrated approach to life skills
- specific themes and topics to develop age-appropriate skills
- activities based on real-life situations

### Enjoying the Poem & Appreciating the Poem

- finest range of poems—old and new
- notes and summaries to facilitate comprehension
- literary appreciation of style and poetic devices
- ample opportunities for recitation across all classes
- audio support

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