

## **Brat Farrar Oxford Bookworms Oxford Bookworms Library**

*What begins as a ploy to claim an inheritance ends with the impostor's life hanging in the balance. In this tale of mystery and suspense, a stranger enters the inner sanctum of the Ashby family posing as Patrick Ashby, the heir to the family's sizable fortune. The stranger, Brat Farrar, has been carefully coached on Patrick's mannerism's, appearance, and every significant detail of Patrick's early life, up to his thirteenth year when he disappeared and was thought to have drowned himself. It seems as if Brat is going to pull off this most incredible deception until old secrets emerge that jeopardize the impostor's plan and his life. Culminating in a final terrible moment when all is revealed, Brat Farrar is a precarious adventure that grips the reader early and firmly and then holds on until the explosive conclusion.*

*The misadventures of four teen-agers from the lowly neighborhood comprehensive school who suddenly find themselves training for a tetrathlon competition against the elite Greycoats Independent School.*

*An easy-to-use integrated dictionary and thesaurus containing 40,000 up-to-date words, phrases, and definitions and 65,000 synonyms and antonyms.*

*Word count 1,500 Bestseller*

*Deadlock*

*Oxford Bookworms Library: Starter: Mystery in London*

*Man in the Queue*

*Brat Farrar*

*Taste and Other Tales*

*Word count 14,850 Bestseller*

A level 3 Oxford Bookworms Library graded readers. Written for Learners of English by Harry Gilbert. In our world today a hummingbird is a small, brilliantly coloured bird that lives in the tall trees of tropical forests. In the far distant future, Hummingbird (Hummy for short) is a girl of sixteen who lives somewhere in the Galaxy, on a planet called Like Home. She has the name 'Hummingbird' in big letters on all her clothes, but she has never seen a real hummingbird. She has never seen any living animal or bird at all. The Book of Remembering says that there were once many animals on a planet called Earth, but that was before the Burning, a long, long time ago . . .

The first of the author's novels starring the popular Inspector Alan Grant traces the mysterious slaying of a man waiting to see a London musical, whose neighbors in the street they saw nothing. Reprint. 10,000 first printing.

Scotland Yard Inspector Alan Grant becomes involved in a murder investigation when he accidentally finds a dead young man and an enigmatic verse in a train.

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 1: A Little Princess

Oxford Bookworms Library: Starter: Police TV

Oxford Bookworms Library: Starter: Mystery of Manor Hall

The Singing Sands

To Love and Be Wise

**Word count: 1,390 Suitable for young readers**

**Word count 5,400 CD: American English**

**A witty and sophisticated mystery featuring bestselling author Josephine Tey's popular Inspector Alan Grant, a beloved character created by a woman considered to be one of the greatest mystery writers of all time. Literary sherry parties were not Alan Grant's cup of tea. But when the Scotland Yard Inspector arrived to pick up actress Marta Hallard for dinner, he was struck by the handsome young American photographer, Leslie Searle. Author Lavinia Fitch was sure her guest "must have been something very wicked in ancient Greece," and the art colony at Salcott St. Mary would have agreed. Yet Grant heard nothing more of Searle until the news of his disappearance. Had Searle drowned by accident or could he have been murdered by one of his young women admirers? Was it a possible case of suicide or had the photographer simply vanished for reasons of his own?**

**Word count 22,720 Bestseller**

**Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 5: Ghost Stories**

**Who, Sir? Me, Sir?**

**A V. I. Warshawski Novel**

**Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 6: The Joy Luck Club**

### **This Rough Magic**

Word count 6,600 Bestseller.

Word count 22,500

Penguin Readers is a series of simplified novels, film novelizations and original titles that introduce students at all levels to the pleasures of reading in English. Originally designed for teaching English as a foreign language, the series' combination of high interest level and low reading age makes it suitable for both English-speaking teenagers with limited reading skills and students of English as a second language. Many titles in the series also provide access to the pre-20th-century literature strands of the National Curriculum English Orders.

'Sing to Win' is the biggest programme on TV - everyone watches it and every singer wants to win it. Sofia loves singing, so she goes to an audition for Sing to Win - and makes friends with Emma. Emma is a very good singer, too, and soon there are stories about the two friends on TV and online. But not all the stories are true - and suddenly, being friends is not easy...

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 1: The Wizard of Oz

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 2: New Yorkers - Short Stories

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 1: Pocahontas Audio CD Pack

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 5: I, Robot - Short Stories

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 6: Cry Freedom

Winner of the Booker Prize as best novel of the year in 1983, Heat and Dust was also made into a major motion picture starring Julie Christie, now regarded by many as a classic.

They said Steve Biko was a man of violence; then why did he talk of peace? They said he wanted revolution; so why did he talk of friendship? They said he died of hunger; why was his body broken and bruised? This is the story of a man's fight with the government of South Africa. It is the story of all people who prefer truth to lies. It is the story of all people who cry 'Freedom', and who are not afraid to die.

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 5: Brat Farrar OUP Oxford

Word count 10,600

Heat and Dust

A Midsummer Night's Dream

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 1: Goodbye, Mr Hollywood Audio CD Pack

The Star Zoo Level 3 Oxford Bookworms Library

Level 1 My Story

Word count 24,750

Word count 5,840 Suitable for young learners Bestseller

Word count 4,830 Bestseller

*When Chicago Black Hawks hockey legend Boom Boom Warshawski slips off a wharf and drowns in Lake Michigan, his private-eye cousin questions the accidental death report and rumors of suicide. Armed with a bottle of Black Label and a Smith & Wesson, V.I. follows a trail of violence and corruption to the center of the Windy City's powerful shipping industry. Dodging elaborate attempts on her life with characteristic grit and humor, the one-of-a-kind detective wends her way through a maze of grain elevators and thousand-ton freighters, ruthless businessmen and gorgeous ballerinas, to ferret out Boom Boom's killers before they phase her out of the picture—permanently. Praise for Deadlock “V.I. Warshawski is one of the best . . . smart, tough, sexy.”—Daily News (New York) “Sara Paretsky makes excellent use of local backgrounds in a carefully plotted tale of murder and great misdeeds in the world of Great Lakes cargo shipping.”—Chicago Tribune “Hard-boiled detective fiction . . . a swift-paced and engrossing read.”—The Philadelphia Inquirer “Slithers with suspense!”—Chicago Sun-Times*

*One-Way Ticket. Three Short Stories.*

*400 Grundwörter.*

Oxford Bookworms Library: Starter: Sally's Phone

White Death

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 3: The Brontë Story

Suitable for younger learners Word count 6,180 CD: American English Bestseller

Word count 1,400 Bestseller

Word count 9,685 Bestseller

*This book is intended for Prizes won etc.*

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 5: Brat Farrar

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 3: Rabbit-Proof Fence

Oxford Bookworms Library: Level 1: My Story

Oxford Mini Dictionary and Thesaurus

*Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 5: This Rough Magic*

Word count 31,120

Word count 5,440 Suitable for younger learners CD: American English Bestseller

Word count 5,320 CD: American English Suitable for young learners

A fledgling actress vacationing in Corfu, Lucy Waring witnesses the murder of one of England's theater luminaries and becomes embroiled in a dangerous offstage drama

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 2: Huckleberry Finn

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 3: Frankenstein

Dominoes: Three: The Curious Case of Benjamin Button

Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 1: The Monkey's Paw

*Word count 1,450 Bestseller*

*Word count 5,895 Bestseller*

*A Midsummer Night's Dream is a comedy written by William Shakespeare in 1595/96. The play is set in Athens and consists of several subplots that revolve around the marriage of Theseus and Hippolyta. One subplot involves a conflict between four Athenian lovers. Another follows a group of six amateur actors rehearsing the play which they are to perform before the wedding. Both groups find themselves in a forest inhabited by fairies who manipulate the humans and are engaged in their own domestic intrigue. The play is one of Shakespeare's most popular and is widely performed.*

*Word count 24,510 Bestseller*

*Oxford Bookworms Library: Stage 4: A Tale of Two Cities*