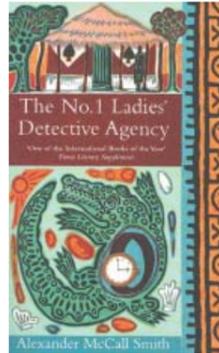


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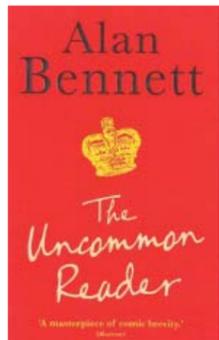


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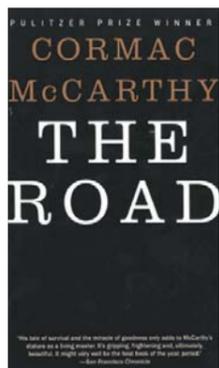


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The Queen finds herself taking out a novel by Ivy Compton-Burnett, near the Westminster travelling library outside Buckingham. Her Majesty develops a passion for reading so great that her public duties begin to suffer. And so, as she devours work by everyone from Hardy to Brookner to Proust to Beckett, her equerries conspire to bring the Queen's literary odyssey to a close.

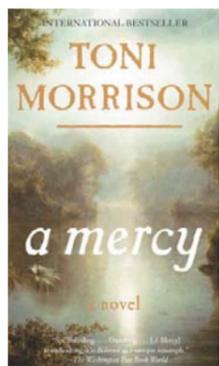


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A father and his son walk alone through burned America, under a dark sky. Their destination is the coast, although they don't know what, if anything, awaits them there. They have nothing; just a pistol to defend themselves against the lawless bands that stalk the road, the clothes they are wearing, a cart of scavenged food—and each other.

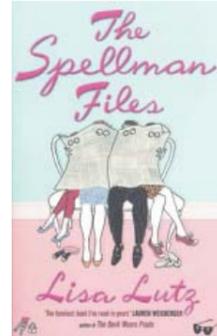


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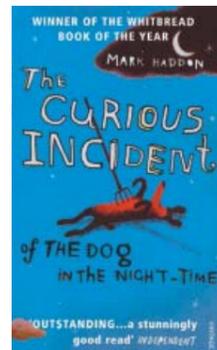


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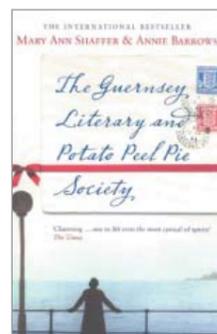


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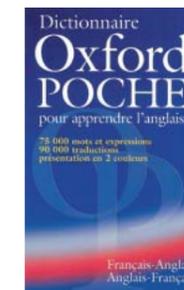
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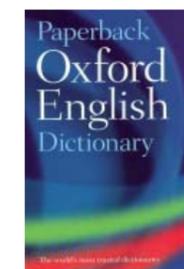
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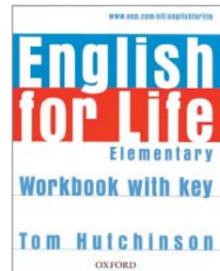
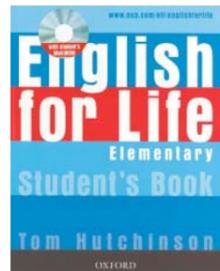
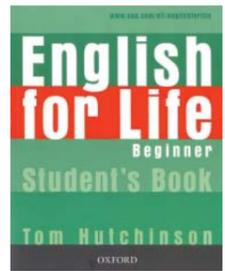
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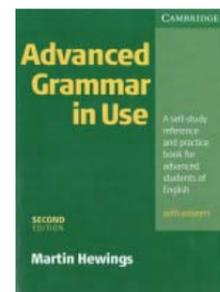
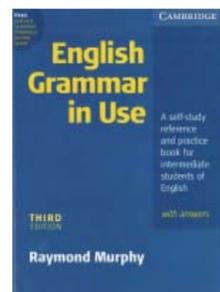
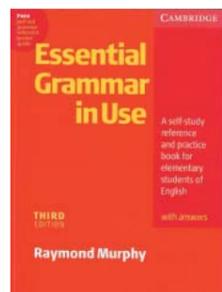
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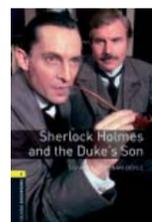
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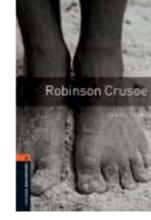
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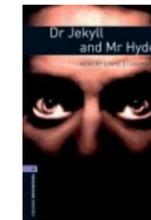
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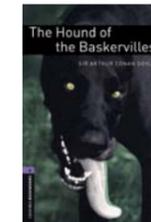
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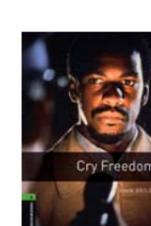
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