Features		Level 1: Beginner reader	Level 2: Developing reader	Level 3: Advanced reader
BLOOM Word count	Maximum Words in each Sentence	7	9	12?
	Maximum Words on each Page	16	?	?
	Maximum Words in Book	?	?	?
	Maximum Average Length of Sentences in Book	5	7	?
Sentences		 Use main clauses (avoid connectors such as: if, but, because, so that, etc.) Use short and natural sentences Use simple grammatical sentence structure 	 Use main and dependent clauses Use short and longer (than Level 1) natural sentences 	- Use sentence connectors freely (such as however, although and nevertheless)
Words		 Use common and familiar words for the target group Avoid long words 	 Use familiar words Use also longer words 	 Use wide range of vocabulary Use pictures to help readers understand unfamiliar words in the text
Content		- Plot has only one event - Familiar topics	- Plot has 1-2 event - Familiar topics	 Plot may be more complex new and more unfamiliar topics
Punctuation		 Use only the basic punctuation marks .,?!:"" (including the correct punctuation for direct quote) 	- Use freely	- Use freely
Layout		 Maximum of lines of text per A5 page: 4 Number of Pages: 6-8 Font: New Andica Basic Font size: 18 Illustrations per page: 1 Color code: PINK 	 Number of Pages: 8-12 Font: New Andica Basic Font size: 16 Illustrations per page: 1 per 2 pages Color code: GREEN 	 Number of Pages: free Font: may vary Font size: 14 Illustrations per story: 1-2 Color code: BLUE