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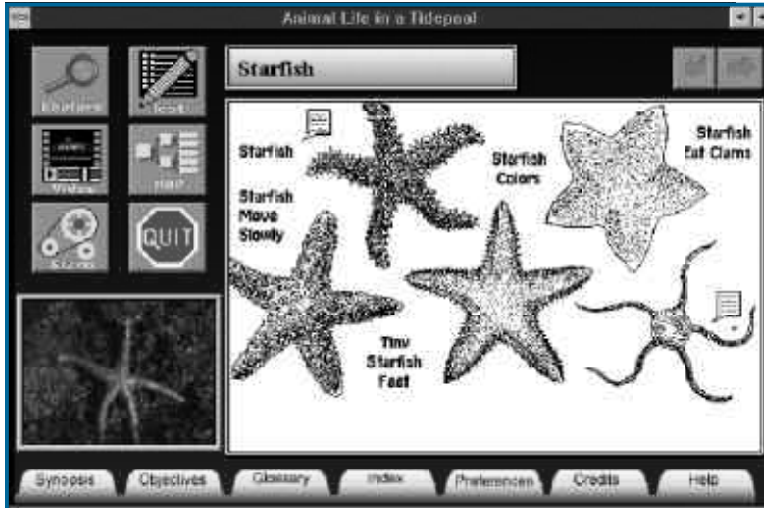
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*See page 6 for details*

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*See page 9 for details.*





Join us for an illustrated journey into **The Zone**—the fascinating world of the inter-tidal zone. Come and explore, see the many creatures that inhabit this wondrous place.

See how these animals eat, interact and survive in a world that exists above and below the coastal waters in **Animal Life In A Tidepool**

### Atoms And Molecules

Two of the most basic units of matter, are examined in this program by means of animated graphics, charts, graphs, demonstrations and experiments. Models of three simple elements, hydrogen, helium, and lithium, are used to explore the structure of atoms. The various features of subatomic particles are described and graphics are used to depict the 'electron cloud' model currently used by scientists.

Animated experiments illustrate various processes which occur in the atom, how atomic mass and numbers are calculated, and an illustration of a simplified periodic table showing how elements of similar chemical properties form a group, or 'period'.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-8271NL101

### Beneath The Caribbean

*The Beneath The Sea Series*

Embark on a voyage to the Caribbean Sea and learn about the many unique marine animals living in this tropical paradise!

Unlike the fertile waters of temperate oceans, the Caribbean Sea is warm and clear - and nutrient-poor, due to the scarcity of plankton and suspended particles. Spectacular footage illustrates how mangroves and coral reefs form the basis of the tropical ocean ecosystem. The program instills respect and understanding for creatures of the seas.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-8882NL101

### Evolution

Fabulous nature footage and dramatic graphics illustrate the forces that drive this fascinating process. Discusses mutations and the impact of human and natural processes on "natural selection".

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-7519NL101

### Animal Life In A Tidepool

Outstanding nature photography vividly depicts the wonder of life in these delicate communities, uncovering many fascinating animals, including sponges, anemones, tubeworms, barnacles, mussels, sea urchins, starfish, sea cucumbers, limpets, slugs, and crabs. Includes brief discussion of ocean tides.

Ages 8 - 11  
Order 1-8384NL101

### The Animal Life Series

This introduction to the study and classification of animals, by award winning wildlife cinematographer Wolfgang Bayer, illustrates the web that unites all life on earth, and reminds students of their own roles in the scheme of nature.

### How We Classify Animals

Surveys the diversity of animal life on Earth, illustrating the taxonomic system that scientists use to classify animals.

Ages 8 - 11  
14 minutes, order 1-8205NL101

### How Animals Survive

Illustrates physical and behavioural adaptations animals have evolved in order to survive.

Ages 9 - 13  
15 minutes, order 1-8206NL101

### Animal Communities

Explores relationship of animals to their surroundings and their interactions with each other.

Ages 9 - 13  
14 minutes, order 1-8207NL101

### Animals And How They Live Series

#### Ecosystem Of A Pond

Explores a tranquil pond to show an ecosystem teeming with life. Remarkable photography allows up close examination of creatures living on and in the water. The chloroplast in spirogyra and cells in pond weed are examined under a microscope. Encourages exploration and appreciation for the delicate balance that exists in any ecosystem.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-8397NL101

#### Frogs And How They Live (revised)

Extreme close-up photography and graphics reveal the life cycle of the frog and the unusual ways frogs see, hear, taste, and smell; also highlights specialized adaptations like tongues, webbed feet, hibernation, and "breathing" skin.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-9984NL101

### Worms And How They Live

Slender, wiggling, eyeless, earless, soft-bodied worms are the stars of this thorough exploration into the way worms eat, move, and, as hermaphrodites, reproduce.

After showing how to build a wormer, Chris, his mother, and a friend observe the natural behaviours of earthworms. Burrowing while actually eating the soil and bits of leaves, the worms mix up the soil and pull leaves down that decay and enrich it. Highly valued by gardeners and farmers, earthworms put air into the soil. They also churn the soil, bringing enriched soil to the surface and making channels through which water drains. Brandling worms and the tubeflex are also seen.

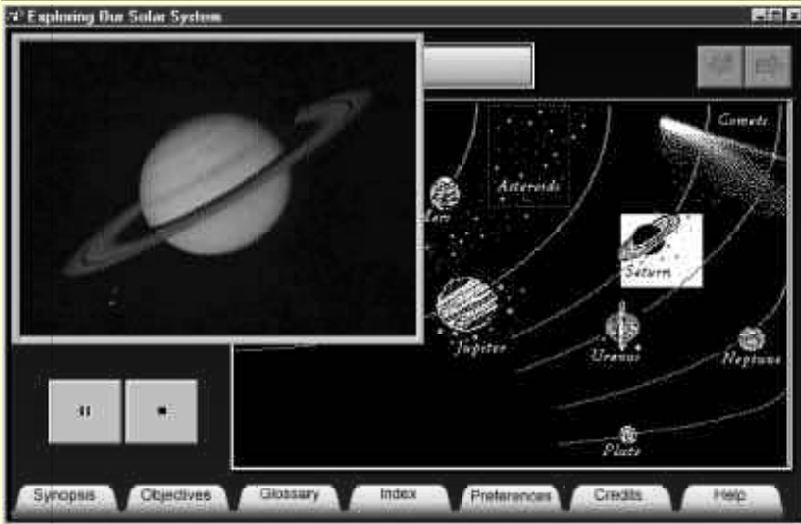
Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-8223NL101

### Ecosystems: Nature In Balance

Explores the ecosystem as a food chain with producers (plants), consumers (animals), and decomposers (bacteria and waste), showing how relationships in an ecosystem work and depend on each other.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-8559NL101





*Saturn's beautiful and fascinating rings are just one of the amazing parts of our solar system that will be seen by viewers of Exploring Our Solar System.*

*The inter-active screens allow users to be the navigator on a learning journey to all parts of the solar system. Viewers can quickly move through the different components—QuickTime™ movie clips, challenging quizzes, charts and illustrations—which make this program an engrossing way to take-off on a personal exploration of the sun, planets, and other heavenly bodies making up our neighbourhood in this vast universe.*

### It's Chemical: Phase Changes

**I**ntroduces the property of state of matter, building on concepts discussed in previous parts. Explore what permits skaters to glide on an ice rink, how cold water can crush a can, how candles work, and why cream separates when milk is frozen.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-8151NL101

### Living Soil

**S**pecial photographic techniques reveal activities of nature that human senses cannot normally perceive...the powerful and subtle natural processes that create the fragile few inches of soil that sustain life on this planet. The relentless cycle of life, decay, then new life is strikingly portrayed by remarkable time-lapse visuals.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-8024NL101

### Living Trees

**A**erial views, close-up shots, and time-lapse photography, echoed by occasional touches of classical music and gentle narration, capture the majesty of trees... Booklist, American Library Association

Live action footage of trees in all seasons and captioned graphics show the various structures of trees and their processes of growth, photosynthesis, and transpiration.

The functions performed by trees that are crucial to Earth's habitable environment are also described.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-9830102

### Mass And Density: Investigating Matter

**D**etective Will Slater conducts experiments that demonstrate the Law of Conservation of Mass, how changes in volume affect density, and how buoyancy works.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-9812NL101

### Exploring Our Solar System

**R**ecently, sophisticated space probes have provided a wealth of new information to help unlock the mysteries of our solar system. Breathtaking footage from space, artwork, and three-dimensional models combine to present much of that new information in an exciting introduction.

Presents visuals of the relationship of the sun to the nine planets. Each planet's surface is described along with its atmosphere, distance from the sun, temperature, rotation, orbit, and moons. The Voyager space probe has provided amazing new glimpses of the outer planets including the discovery of additional moons around Saturn and Jupiter and faint rings around Jupiter and Uranus.

Describes the composition and movement of asteroids, comets, and meteors. Theories on the origin of the solar system, life on other planets, and the existence of other solar systems in the universe are presented.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-8060NL101

### A First Look At Birds

**D**escribes the anatomical features and behaviours which make these creatures truly unique, pointing out which features enable birds to fly, swim, run fast or hover in the air. Explains migration, breeding and feeding habits, from hummingbird to ostrich.

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-8503NL101

### Grand Canyon Chronicles

**D**ramatic animation offers a visual representation of life in the Age of Dinosaurs and the Age of Mammals with an original musical score.

See the events and forces that shaped the Earth, and the appearance of the earliest plants and land animals.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-9700NL101

### Electrical Current And Magnetism

**T**hrough simple experiments, the basic principles of electromagnetism are explored. Electromagnets are contrasted with permanent magnets and their differences and similarities are clearly shown. Also teaches basic principles behind common electrical devices.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-8381NL101

### Heat: Molecules In Motion (2nd Edition)

**E**xamines the ways we use heat by looking in on a typical family and following them through one day's activities to show how heat affects their lives.

Animation is used effectively to illustrate the main points. The narrator speaks both to the audience and to the characters in the film, which works well. This film correctly and effectively presents science and would be an excellent introduction to the topic of heat—*American Association for the Advancement of Science*

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-9811NL101

### It's Chemical: Density In Solids

**J**oan and her aunt use kitchen experiments to gain an understanding of the basic principles affecting density in solids. Teachers guide provides additional experiments.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-8150NL101





*This informative 5 part series introduces children to the amazing world of mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians, and fish. Each class of animals is included on an individual CD-ROM. Over 60 minutes of video, beautiful still shots, and educational facts illustrate physical and behavioural characteristics as well as some unusual features of animals.*

### All About Animals Series

Introduce children to the amazing world of animal behaviour and adaptation. Concepts are introduced in songs children learn to sing, and key vocabulary is captioned on screen.

#### Birds

Birds are shown nesting, caring for their young, flying, and moving on the ground. Their feathers and other physical characteristics are examined in fascinating detail. Music, diagrams and vivid outdoor photography help children learn and remember. Stimulates children's curiosity and help them develop an awareness and understanding of birds in their own environment. Words superimposed over visuals reinforce primary reading skills.

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-4013NL101

#### Fish

The characteristics of fish are related to behaviours such as movement, adaptation, and defense. Artwork, music, and vivid underwater photography make adaptation and behaviour clear to young viewers. The program provides a unique close-up view of fish as they move in their environment. Words from primary reading programs are captioned for reading.

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-4010NL101

#### Mammals

Both familiar and exotic animals illustrate the characteristics of mammals. Music, diagrams and engaging photography introduce and reinforce concepts of animal adaptation and behaviour. Movement, building or seeking shelter, and caring for offspring are shown. Captioned words reinforce basic primary reading vocabularies. Nearly every youngster will relate enthusiastically to this close-up view of animal life.

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-4004NL101

#### Reptiles

Shows the physical characteristics and behaviour of representative reptiles, and encourages children to use the science skills of observing, classifying, analyzing, and generalizing. Selected vocabulary words from beginning reading programs are superimposed and used repeatedly throughout the program. The combination of song, action-filled visuals and carefully selected vocabulary will motivate youngsters to extend their use of language in follow-up activities.

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-4006NL101

#### Insects

Children will learn that there are helpful insects like the bee and silkworm, and troublesome insects like the mosquito and fly. Through close-up photography, the program shows that all insects have three main body parts, six legs, and skeletons on the outside of their bodies. Insects can be found anywhere on our planet, and in all environmental extremes.

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-9804NL101

#### Amphibians

Music, artwork and lively nature photography give a vivid definition and illustration of the characteristics and behaviours of various amphibians. Shows clearly how amphibians live part of their lives in the water, and part on land.

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-4012NL101

#### Learning About Science Series

Basic principles of physical science, hands-on, insightful experiments and demonstrations.

#### Learning About Ecology

Introduces the key elements of ecology. Students learn that they too are part of an ecosystem, with specific responsibilities for its improvement and protection.

Illustrates, with beautiful footage, the relationship between animals and their environment. Stresses the interrelationship of all elements in an ecosystem and the balances necessary to maintain and continue life.

Ages 9 - 11  
Order 1-8786NL101

#### Learning About Science: Flowers

We all enjoy smelling and looking at flowers, but not everybody recognizes that trees, grasses and even weeds have flowers.

Students will see how a variety of plants, including broccoli, snapdragons, blackberries, apple trees, corn and others, grow and flowers to reproduce.

Vivid close-ups show a variety of flowers with a good explanation of how pollination and fertilization occur.

Ages 9 - 11  
Order 1-8598NL101





**Microbes: Bacteria and Fungi** introduces viewers to the beneficial and harmful roles that these organisms play in our lives. There is also a Teacher management system that allows teachers to write and edit quiz and test questions; select video feedback sequences; track student scores; create and edit glossary terms; and print the various components as well as class rosters with scores.

#### Learning About Electricity

Introduces basic principles in ways both instructive and fun to watch. Examples give form to the concepts of static electricity, polarity, conduction and circuits. Shows daily life examples of how concepts are applied.

Ages 4 - 11  
16 minutes, order 1-9824NL101

#### Learning About Light

Properties of light are shown using magnifying glass and prism. Color composition is demonstrated in a homemade rainbow. Light is related to heat, stored light and heat in wood and coal is mentioned.

Ages 4 - 11  
9 minutes, order 1-4044NL101

#### Learning About Air

Balloons, sailboats and windmills use air for a purpose. Kids learn the properties of air and enjoy games that are really demonstrations of what air and wind do.

Ages 4 - 11  
11 minutes, order 1-4039NL101

#### Learning About Liquids, Solids And Gases

Ice, water, steam, it's all the same thing as kids learn when they explore the properties of matter. While changing it from one state to another they learn shape, mass, weight and molecular action.

Ages 4 - 11  
11 minutes, order 1-4045NL101

#### Learning About Solar Energy

Kids find ways to heat water for an outdoor shower and cook a hamburger in miniature solar furnace. They learn how solar energy is used in many other ways. Award Winner Science, National Education.

Ages 4 - 11  
12 minutes, order 1-4020NL101

#### Learning About Sound

A diagram of the ear illustrates how sound waves are transmitted through the air to the inner ear, and experiments demonstrate how sound travels through solids, liquids and air.

Ages 4 - 11  
13 minutes, order 1-4059NL101

#### Learning About Water

Kids learn that water is a major component in our bodies, in our foods and in our world. Explore water and its various forms in ice and steam and its natural source, rain. Water cycle is shown.

Ages 4 - 11  
12 minutes, order 1-4042NL101

#### Let's All Recycle

Woody Woodpecker, the official recycling mascot, explains the importance of the famous "three R's": reducing; reusing; and recycling. Youngsters learn that the Earth's resources are limited, and that their participation in conserving energy is valuable.

Ages 4 - 11  
Order 1-8390NL101

#### Microbes: Bacteria And Fungi

Bacteria and fungi carry on all the processes necessary for life...they grow, get energy from food, move, and reproduce. In this program, the physical characteristics, the risks and benefits to humans, and the ways to impede and prevent the growth of microbes are examined. Biology and the scientific method are taught in a context familiar to students...through food.

Common foods, such as pizza dough, mushrooms, and yogurt, illustrate the results of beneficial microbes. Various methods of food preservation: canning, refrigeration, freezing, dehydration, pasteurization, and irradiation are seen.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-9775NL101

#### Photosynthesis

Shows students why whenever they see plants, animals, people working, planes flying, or cars traveling on the highway, they are seeing the results of photosynthesis.

Ages 9 - 11  
Order 1-8595NL101

#### Newtons Laws Of Motion: Demonstration Of Mass Force Momentum

Experience a lesson on mass, force, and momentum. Simple but memorable demonstrations, show the principles and vocabulary associated with Newton's laws of motion.

The actual physics being taught is clearly stated, and demonstrations are well chosen. Students find the content helpful in understanding the laws of motion—Science Books & Films, American Assoc for the Advancement of Science.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-9777NL101

#### Plants In Action

Plant movements are quite complex, but they usually go unnoticed. Using time-lapse photography, this film allows students to view the activity of plants growing and responding to changes in their environments. Leaves open by day and close at night. Flowers open to sunshine. Climbing plants send out tendrils in search of support. Clover leaves twist and turn in search of sunlight.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-8022NL101

#### Recycle

*The Protecting Our Environment Series*

Many items thrown out in the trash can be recycled. Learn what recycling means.

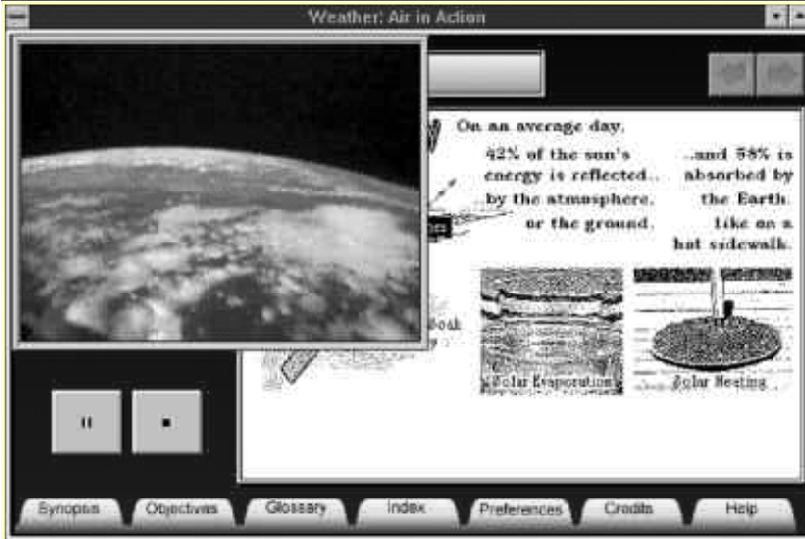
This program demonstrates recycling and shows that the list of recyclable items is a long one indeed — everything from papers, can and bottles, to tires and used motor oil.

Even certain kinds of plastic can be recycled. Several items are shown as they're broken down, sent through the recycling process, and manufactured into new products.

Recycling saves space, energy, and money, and reduces the number of landfills that can harm our environment and our health.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-8253NL101





See how weather systems develop across the entire surface of the planet, hear the crash and splash of torrential rain storms, experience the power of winds that gather into one of nature's most overwhelming forces—the TWISTER.

Packed with amazing facts, this two-part program first shows how the four main elements that make up our weather system combine in many ways to bring both life and devastation to the planet. The second part of the program is a comprehensive study of the formation and movement of air masses.

## The Wetlands

Beautifully photographed program provides a portrait of North America's imperiled wetlands, chronicling the life in these ecologically vital areas. Today, with fifty percent of North America's wetlands drained, people are becoming aware of the importance of these delicate parts of our planet's ecosystem and working to save them.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-8234NL101

## World Of Protozoa

Two types of these single-cell organisms...amoebas and paramecia...are used to show the physical features, methods of movement, and reproductive processes common to many protozoa. They are seen moving and changing shape in a variety of habitat.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-8380NL101

## Reuse

### The Protecting Our Environment Series

The utility value of many household items can be extended by modifying or creating new uses for them.

This program demonstrates how yard trimmings and kitchen scraps can be turned into compost heaps that add minerals to the soil. It shows that containers, jars and bottles can be refilled countless times and that auto parts can be reconditioned. Broken furniture and appliances don't have to be thrown away; they can be cleaned, repaired and resold by voluntary organizations, and used all over again.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-8254NL101

## Seasons: A Year Of Change

Painstakingly shot in North America, this program takes viewers through a year of changes and adaptation, birth, growth, and death to discover insights into ecology, life and its cycles.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-9654NL101

## Simple And Compound Machines: How They Work

No matter how "high tech" our world becomes, much work continues to be accomplished by simple machines — the lever, wheel and axle, pulley, wedge, inclined plane, and screw. See everyday activities as physics at work.

Two students go to a local equipment rental shop seeking help with their science fair project. The woman shop owner gives them the help they need, along with a lesson in basic physics.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-9776NL101

## Trees: Evergreen And Deciduous

See why some trees lose their leaves in fall, while others keep them through the year, what makes the leaves of some trees turn red, while others turn yellow.

Stunning time-lapse photography combines with extreme close-up photography to show the similarities and differences between deciduous (cherry) and evergreen (Camellia) trees. The process of transpiration is defined and the effect of temperature, water, and seasonal change on both types of trees is explored.

Ages 9 - 13  
Order 1-8382NL101

## Weather: Air In Action

Weather - always changing, always moving. Two programs provide a thorough examination of weather in all its forms. Covered are such topics as the effect of temperature on weather, the different qualities and behavior of hot and cold air, the function of a barometer, the water cycle, the causes of winds, storms and lightning, the rotation of the earth and its relation to weather, and the formation and types of clouds.

Temperature, Pressure and Humidity, Solar energy, air, water and earth are explained, along with their effects on temperature and humidity.

Clearly see weather fronts, wind, clouds, tornadoes and hurricanes, and the various forms of precipitation.

Ages 9 - 17  
Order 1-7518NL101



## Each CD-ROM can run on MACINTOSH or WINDOWS

For MacIntosh, you will need:

1. MAC LC II or later model with 68030/25 Mhz or faster CPU
2. System 7.0.1 or greater
3. 14" or greater Mac compatible monitor with 256 (8-bit) colours
4. At least 4MB free RAM
5. Hard drive with at least 5MB free space
6. Mac compatible double speed or faster CD-ROM Drive
7. Apple QuickTime 2.0. (Included on CD-ROM).

For Windows, you will need:

1. 80486/33 MHz or faster CPU
2. Windows 3.1 or greater
3. 14" or greater VGA Monitor
4. Video card providing 256 (8-bit) colours
5. Sound card
6. At least 4MB free RAM
7. Hard drive with at least 3MB free space
8. PC compatible double speed or faster CD-ROM drive
9. Apple QuickTime for Windows 2.0 (included on CD-ROM)



## Reading With Peter Cottontail

Based on the classic series by well-known author Thornton Burgess, this series offers the comforts of a real book coupled with high-tech enhancements that encourage kids to read.

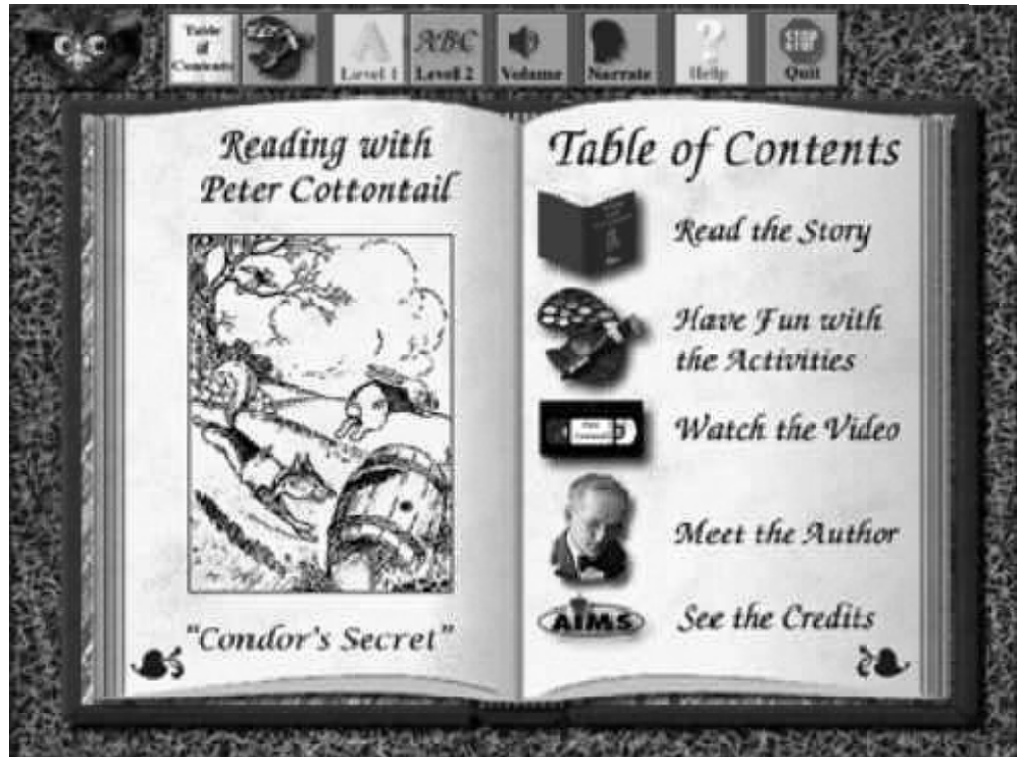
Each CD-ROM contains more than 20 minutes of fully animated video. Students can read at either of two levels of difficulty, with or without voice-over narration.

There are also supplemental games and reading practice including: Peter's Paint book (an electronic colouring book using scenes from the video); Character Crazies and Clone Zone (two games to develop recognition and memory); and Tale Twisters (which allows children to create their own rhyming story).

In addition each program has two or more of these activities: Tale Teasers (select nouns, verbs, adverbs and adjectives from a supplied list then have the computer turn your selections into a story, then save, print, or hear your story read back to you); or Memory Meter (questions viewers on events from the featured story); or Peter's Puzzler (an electronic jig-saw puzzle of pictures from the story).

This fully inter-active program involves children in the adventures of Peter and his friends to stimulate reading interest.

Each reading program includes an AIMS Teaching Module - *see the description of the ATM on page 9*



*This electronic "book" has pages to turn just like reading a print book, but that is where the similarities end. This book has an array of multimedia components designed to educate while they entertain. Readers have the option of adding narration to the story while they read along—there is even a choice of two reading levels so the CD-ROM can grow along with the vocabulary of each student.*

### Bobby Returns

When Bobby Raccoon hurts his leg, he is cared for by Tom the farmhand, while his friends plot an unnecessary "rescue".

Includes the following added activities:

- Dot-To-Dot
- Peter's Puzzler

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-1007NL101

### The Story of Mrs. Quack

Mrs. Quack, wounded by a hunter, recovers in a pleasant pond with the help of her animal friends and Tom, the farmhand.

Includes the following added activities:

- Dot-To-Dot
- Peter's Puzzler

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-1008NL101

### The Chase

Peter learns a lesson about playing practical jokes when one of his tricks backfires, resulting in a scary chase.

Includes the following added activities:

- Memory Meter
- Tale Teasers

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-1001NL101

### Condor's Secret

Peter's irrepressible curiosity leads him to discover a wonderful secret about the Condor Family.

Includes the following added activities:

- Memory Meter
- Tale Teasers
- Peter's Puzzler

Ages 4 - 8  
Order 1-1005NL101



**The Children's Encyclopedia Of Mathematics: Fractions Series**

Fully animated educational cartoons produced in cooperation with the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (U.S.). With the click of a mouse, your child can explore fractions independently. These six interactive, animated programs engage children in stories and activities guaranteed to keep them learning for hours.

**Caveman - Between the Whole Numbers**

Go back in time to the Stone Age and chisel whole numbers with cavemen.

Ages 9 - 11  
Order 1-82131NL101

**Machine - Adding with Fractions**

A little boy learns how to use a "number re-namer" machine to help him add fractions.

Ages 9 - 11  
Order 1-82171NL101

**Gems - Subtracting with Fractions**

Meetoo, assistant keeper of the Moongolian gems, learns to record the number of jewels left after the chief takes various amounts.

Ages 9 - 11  
Order 1-82201NL101

**Knights - Between Rational Numbers**

Visit the land of knights and joust it out in the challenging world between rational numbers.

Ages 9 - 11  
Order 1-82161NL101

**Watermelon - Equivalent Fractions**

Play the numbers game on the farm and come up with endless ways to slice a watermelon.

Ages 9 - 11  
Order 1-82141NL101

**Genie - Comparing Rational Numbers**

Dive into the sea and help a clam and his genie uncork rational numbers.

Ages 9 - 11  
Order 1-82151NL101

**Eric Savareid chronicles the 20th century.**

Utilizing original source material that is a part, as well as a chronicle, of history, Eric Savareid provides an important perspective on the world in this series of curriculum-based history programs spanning 1918 to 1961.

**Between the Wars (1918-1939)**

An era of sports heroes and film stars; automobiles everywhere; floods and dust storms; the Hindenburg; the Depression sweeps America.

Ages 9 - 17  
25 minutes, order 1-9813NL101

**Seeds of Discord (1933-1936)**

Workers unite; Hitler and Mussolini rise; Gandhi leads India; Batista in Cuba; Mao takes China into civil war; Japan in Manchuria; FDR allies the U.S. with Russia.

Ages 9 - 17  
24 minutes, order 1-9814NL101

**Prelude to War (1935-1939)**

Hughes' flight around the world; Hitler rallies German youth, imprisons Jews, and forms the Axis; Japan conquers one-third of China. Russia signs peace pact with Hitler. America begins building for war.

Ages 9 - 17  
22 minutes, order 1-9815NL101

**The Darkest Hour (1939-1941)**

Hitler invades Poland; England and France declare war on Germany; FDR pledges to keep American out; Tojo allies Japan with Germany, and attacks Pearl Harbor.

Ages 9 - 17  
25 minutes, order 1-9816NL101

**The Turning Point (1941-1944)**

MacArthur in the Pacific; Hitler declares war on America, loses on the Russian front; Eisenhower and Allies victorious; air attacks on Germany; Italy surrenders; Battle of Midway.

Ages 9 - 17  
23 minutes, order 1-9817NL101

**End of the Ordeal (1943-1945)**

D-Day invasion at Normandy; Yalta Conference; Germany surrenders; Ike returns as hero; Europe left devastated; Truman, Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Ages 9 - 17  
26 minutes, order 1-9818NL101

**Out of the Ashes (1945-1949)**

Nuremberg Trials; relief for war-torn Europe; "Cold War" begins; FBI investigates communist supporters; Mao Tse-tung establishes communism on mainland China.

Ages 9 - 17  
28 minutes, order 1-9819NL101

**Policing the Peace (1948-1951)**

Israel created; India wins independence; Gandhi assassinated; Haile Selassie inspires African independence; North Korean troops cross into South Korea, U.N. peacekeeping force is dispatched; Arab nations increase power; Israel invades Sinai.

Ages 9 - 17  
28 minutes, order 1-9820NL101

**The Age of Anxiety (1952-1958)**

Eisenhower elected; Korean War ends; Hilary climbs Everest; Stalin dies; Khrushchev developd "good-guy diplomacy"; arms race begins; America unveils the Nike surface-to-air missile; Castro's rebels challenge Batista; Red China takes Taiwan's small islands near the mainland.

Ages 9 - 17  
28 minutes, order 1-9821NL101

**The Fragile Balance (1955-1961)**

Early warning systems and SAC bombers rendered obsolete by Russia's ICBMs; U.S. responds with nuclear subs; U.S. tests effects of radiation on troops and equipment; Hungarians revolt; Russia puts Sputnik into orbit; U.S. spy plane shot down over Russia. Kennedy defeats Nixon for Presidency.

Ages 9 - 17  
28 minutes, order 1-9822NL101.

**Health and Guidance:  
Safety**

**McGruff On Dangerous Strangers**

*McGruff The Crime Dog Series*

McGruff and his nephew Scruff are concerned about the disappearance of a neighbourhood child. This sparks a discussion about the definition of "stranger" and prompts McGruff to review practical ways children can stay safe on the way home from school. The story ends happily when the missing child is found unharmed.

Ages 4 - 8  
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# Jump right in, managing your lesson plan



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