

STARTER LEVEL

Ski Race by Eleanor Jupp

A Before Reading

1 Look quickly at the pictures.

Find:

	Page
(a) a village
(b) a ski lift
(c) a café
(d) some pine trees
(e) the start of a race

2 Guess: What season is it?

- (a) winter (b) summer (c) autumn (d) spring

B While Reading

3 Start reading. Read to the end of page 7. What colours are the clothes?

	SUE	REBECCA	MARK	DAVID
SKI SUIT			red	
HAT				
BOOTS				
SKIS	blue			
GLOVES				

4 Read to the end of page 15.

Who is going to win the race?

C After Reading

5 Write T (True) next to sentences that are correct.
Write F (False) next to sentences that are incorrect.

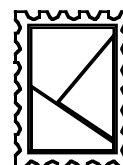
- (a) The holiday starts on a Tuesday.
- (b) Mark trips over Rebecca's skis.
- (c) David and Mark are good skiers.
- (d) The ski race is 10 kilometres long.
- (e) Sue likes drinking Coke.
- (f) David undoes the binding on Sue's skis.
- (g) Rebecca's ski comes off.
- (h) The holiday ends on a Saturday.

6 Sue writes a postcard to her mother and father. What does she say? Use these words:
love snow win Rebecca ski fast race fine

Dear Mum and Dad,

**The weather is ____ . We
____ every day. The ____ is
hard and the pistes are
____ . I ____ skiing. There is
going to be a ____ on
Saturday. ____ and I want
to ____ the race!
See you soon.**

Love from Sue.



Here are the titles of two more Starter Level books:

*Sugar and Candy by Elizabeth Laird and **Blue Fins** by Sarah Axten.*