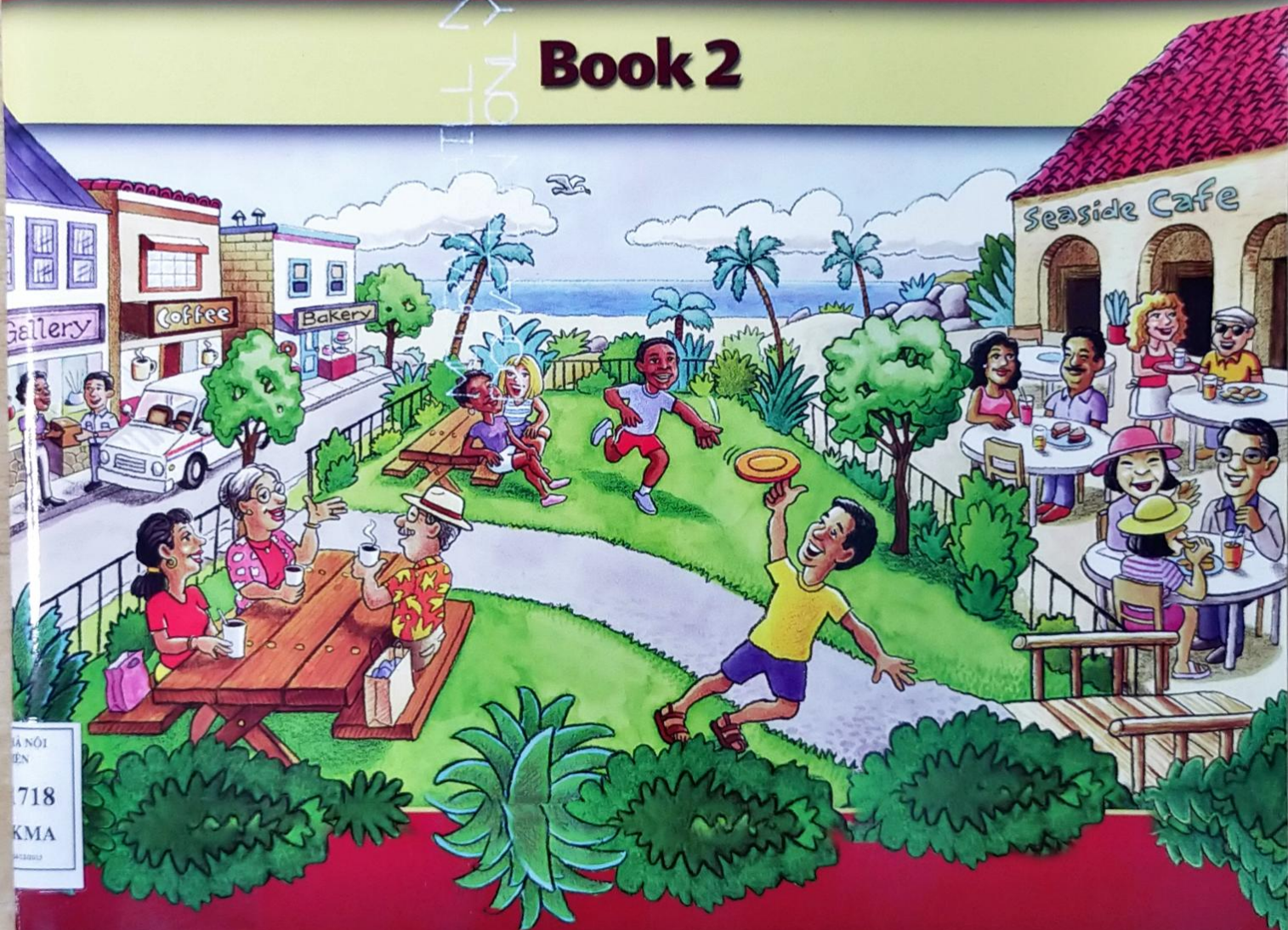


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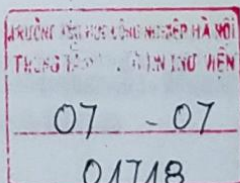
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About the Workbooks

Contemporary English is a four-level interactive topic-based English-as-a-Second-Language series for adult learners ranging from the high-beginning level to the low-advanced level. The *Contemporary English* workbooks are designed for individual independent study as well as for classroom work. In the workbooks, as in the student books, a predictable sequence is maintained.

For ease of use, the essential information in the Spotlight boxes of the student books is reproduced in the workbooks. Each Spotlight is followed by a series of practice exercises, progressing from simple fill-in-the-blanks to more challenging activities that ask students to use the target structures as they write answers to real-life questions about themselves. Each unit contains a Focus on Vocabulary section, in which students practice using new and recycled vocabulary in meaningful contexts. The activities in each unit's Read, Think and Write section cover higher-order thinking skills. Answers to all workbook activities can be found in the Annotated Teacher's Edition.

At the end of each unit of the Book 1 workbook, one or two activities ask learners to organize the information, usually with the same type of graphic organizer used in the Wrap-Up section found in the student book. The final problem-solving activity challenges learners to apply the content to their own lives. Each unit closes with a brief questionnaire, similar to Think About Learning in the student book, in which students note what was most enjoyable and helpful in the workbook.

In short, the *Contemporary English* workbooks provide the additional individualized practice students need, in a learner-friendly format.