

# An ABC Escapade through Egypt

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An alphabet book for all ages that allows readers to explore the sounds of the English language while discovering many of the people, places, foods, animals, and customs of modern Egypt.

On this escapade through Egypt, the author stops at each letter of the alphabet to share one of the many wonders of modern Egypt. Each topic is introduced to the readers through a fun alliterative phrase. Colorful photographs and interesting descriptions give readers more information about each topic. Readers will discover foods like mangoes and *konafa*, places like the Red Sea and *Zamalek*, animals like foxes and jerboas, and much more. A glossary is included that provides the meanings of some of the more challenging English words found in the text. All of the Arabic words are also defined.

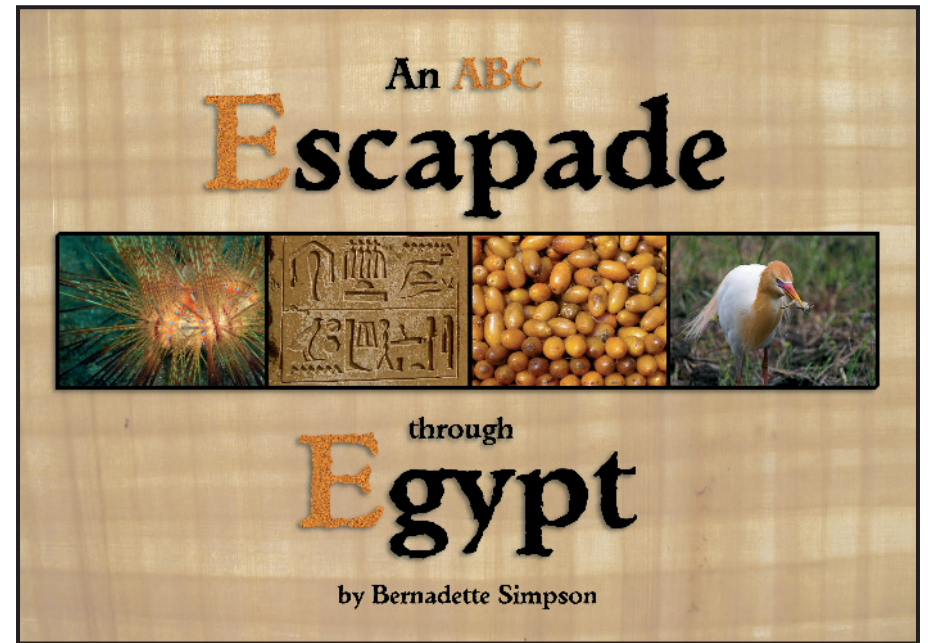
The website that accompanies *An ABC Escapade through Egypt* hosts a range of resources: multimedia so readers may explore Egypt even further; audio recordings of all the Arabic words used in the book; writing tips and a place for young authors to publish their own alphabet adventures; and lesson ideas and resources for extension activities to complete after reading.

## About the Author

Bernadette Simpson has a passion for Egypt and language learning and has brought the two together in *An ABC Escapade through Egypt*. She holds a master's degree in education with an emphasis on literacy studies. She taught in Cairo for eight years and now lives and writes in Dahab, South Sinai.

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## Who Should Buy this Book?

- Teachers, parents, and librarians needing English language books with images and information that children living in Egypt can relate to
- Readers of all ages who enjoy nonfiction and are interested in learning more about modern Egypt
- Teachers, and parents who home-school their children, looking for literature and other useful resources to supplement a unit of study on Egypt
- Travelers to Egypt looking for a unique keepsake or souvenir

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