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1. Cracking the reading code: An audio-visual resource for students on how to read academic texts - 2012 (NZ)

This project, from Whitireia New Zealand, provides practical resources for students wanting to improve their academic reading skills and tool to help educators understand the reading needs of their students. This resource consists of a tutor guide, a student guide to reading non-fiction and 8 videos.

- [Cracking the reading code \(guides and videos\)](#)

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2. Putting the story on screen: digitally supported reading for adult learners - 2012 (NZ)

These resources, from Adult Learning Support Nelson Inc, are designed to help improve the reading skills of adult literacy learners using digital short stories. The templates and tutor manual guide participants through the process of producing their own digital stories. This resource consist of five short stories (text slides with narration), three templates using different software options, a guide for using the templates and a manual for tutors.

- [Putting the story on screen \(guide, templates and digital stories\)](#)

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3. How to use Google Forms: A Step-by-Step Guide - 2012 (Can)

Google forms is a free online tool that creates forms which can be used on websites, sent by email or used in webinars. This guide (26 pages), from Sarah Elaine Eaton, is written for tutors who want to learn how to design online forms for registration purposes or to gather feedback. This resource could also be used with learners in digital literacy courses.

- [How to use Google Forms](#)

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4. Skills That Work: Workforce Materials for Literacy Programs (Can)

This manual (452 pages), from Literacy Link South Central Ontario, contains activities built around eight workplace skills deemed important by employers. These skills include filling out forms; following spoken directions; following written directions; presenting information orally; reading labels; reading schedules; reading a form; and using fractions. Each lesson uses authentic workplace materials and examples.

- [Skills that Work: Workforce materials for literacy programs](#)

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5. Free print and online resources for the New Zealand adult education sector (NZ)

The Workbase Library contains 10,000 print and multimedia adult literacy, language and numeracy resources. Joining the library and borrowing resources is free for adult educators living in New Zealand. All resources are listed in the online catalogue and can be requested online, by phone or email.

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