

Starter
Book

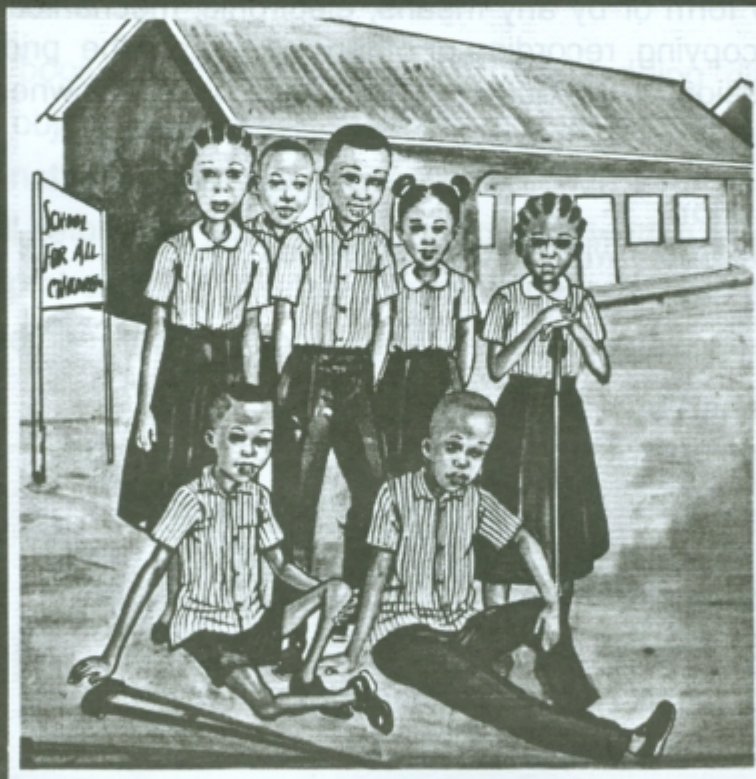
School for all CHILDREN



Mary M. Aiyeleso Ph.D

Starter
Book

School for all CHILDREN



Mary M. Aiyeeleso Ph.D

© 2017

ISBN: 978-978-54832-5-3

Copyright © 2017 by Mary M. Aiyeleso

All right reserved. No part of this publication may be produced, stored in retrieval system, or transmitted in any form or by any means, electronic, mechanical, photocopying, recording or otherwise without the prior permission of the author, who is the copyright owner.

Dedication

To all learners with reading difficulties

Published by:

Jos University Press Ltd.

Printed in Nigeria by:

EMDEE PRESS LTD.

81/2 Usmobik House (Sadeeq Plaza)

Bauchi Road, Jos.

Tel: 08037030157

INTRODUCTION

NOTE TO TEACHERS AND PARENTS

This book is written for all learners with reading difficulties. The objective is to help them improve in their reading skills and not for English Language instruction.

It will help them learn to read, recognise written words with comprehension and relate the familiar events from the story to their background knowledge in acquiring new experiences.

A long time ago
there were three children
named Bolu, Chinedu and
Ibrahim.

They lived in a village called
Muroko.



Bolu cannot see, Chinedu cannot walk and Ibrahim cannot hear. But they want to go to school.

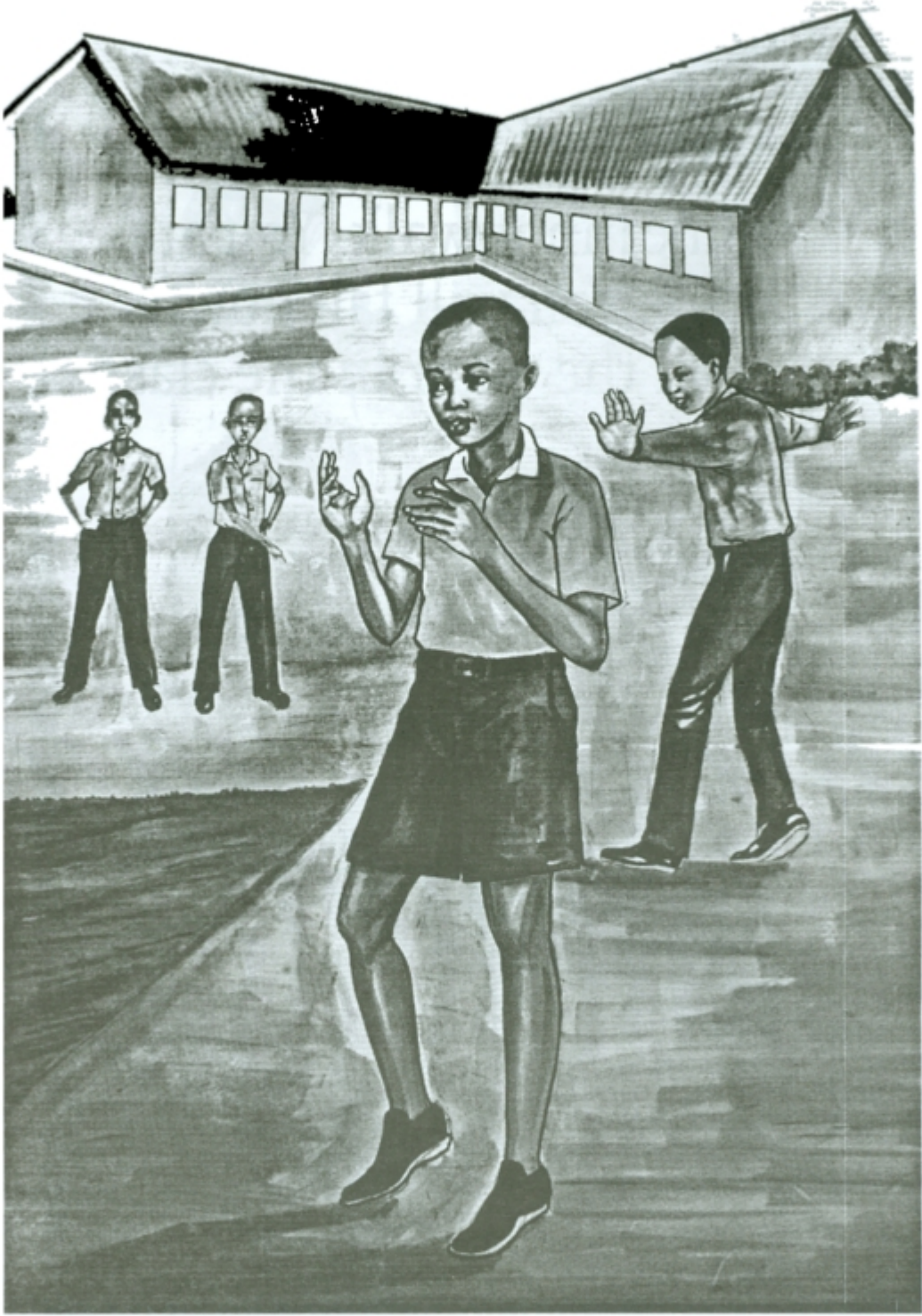


One day, Bolu said "Ladi, I want to follow you to your school" But Ladi said, "No! Do not follow me, stay at home. We don't have blind children in our school".



Another day, Chinedu went to the school and said, "Yaro, I have come to your school".

But Yaro and some children sent him back saying, "You are deaf. Go back home! You cannot hear what the teacher is saying."



Ibrahim said, "Mother
I want to go to school"
But the Mother said, "No!
You cannot walk. You are
lame. You will fall down
from the chair in the class".



One day the mother of Ibrahim and the fathers of Bolu and Chinedu walked to the school. They saw a teacher. Ibrahim's mother said, "Teacher, Bolu is blind, Chinedu is lame and Ibrahim is deaf. Can they come to this school?"

The teacher said, "Yes! this school is for all children. They can learn in this school."



The mother of Ibrahim
and the fathers of Chinedu
and Bolu were happy.
All the children in the
village were happy too.



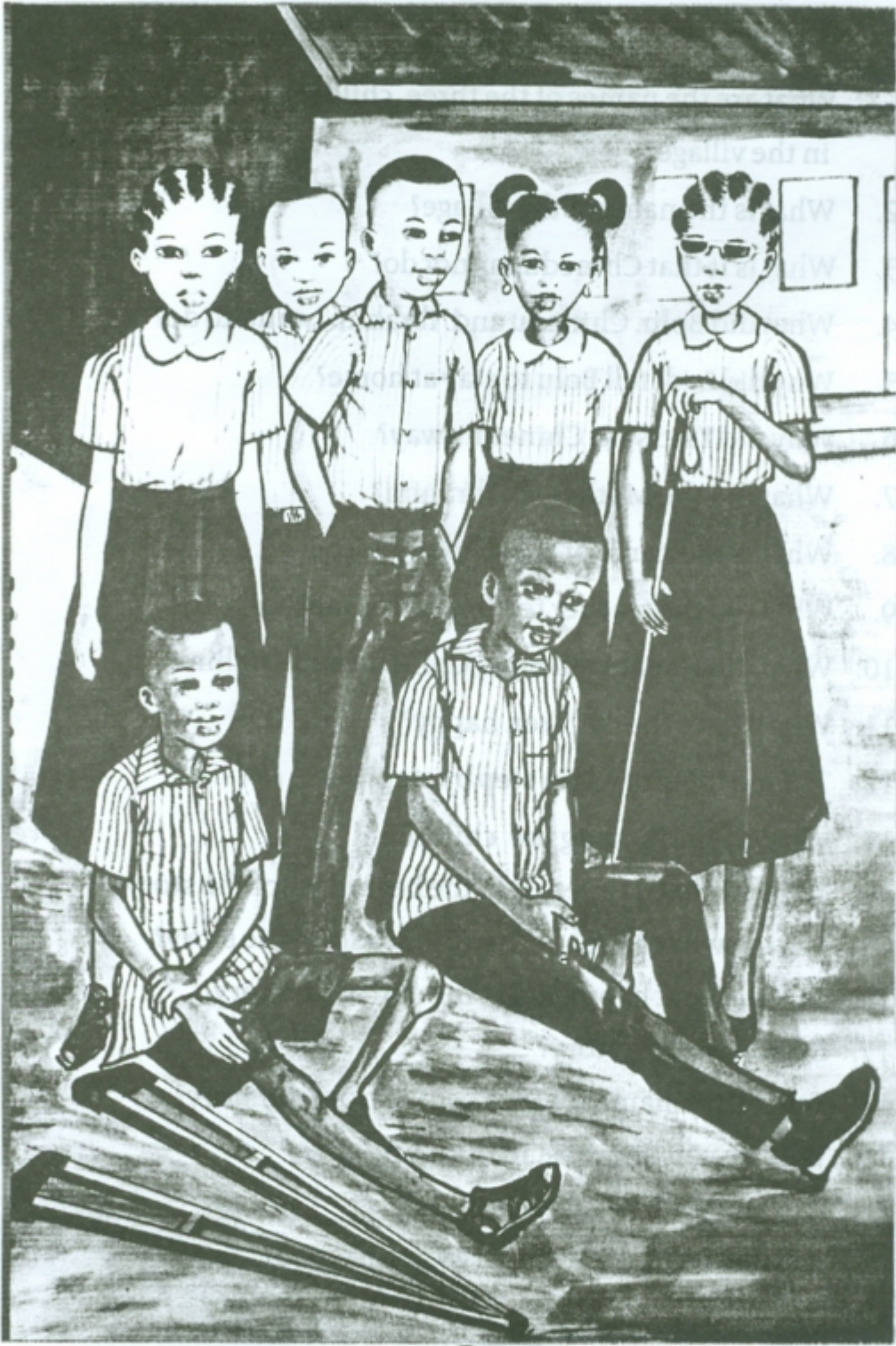
Hanatu said, "Bolu, Chinedu and Ibrahim, you can come to our school." The children were all happy. They said, "We will go to school tomorrow".



Oh! "The deaf, The blind
and the lame children
can now go to school"
said Bolu's Father.



We are all happy
learning together in our
school



ACTIVITIES

1. What are the names of the three children who lived in the village?
2. What is the name of the village?
3. What is it that Chinedu cannot do?
4. What did Bolu, Chinedu and Ibrahim, want to do?
5. Why did Ladi tell Bolu to stay at home?
6. Why did Yaro sent Chinedu away?
7. What did the Mother tell Ibrahim?
8. What is the name of the school?
9. What did the teacher tell Ibrahim's mother?
10. What did Hanatu tell Bolu, Chinedu and Ibrahim?
11. Why where the children happy?
12. Tell me the story agin step by step?
13. Who is blind among the children?
14. Tell me what happened in the beginning of the story?
15. Tell me what happened in the middle of the story?
16. Tell me what happened at the end of the story?
17. Do you like the story?
18. Tell me the names of four people from the story?
19. Who do you like most in the story?
20. Can you walk like Ibrahim?
21. Tell me the part of the story you like best.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

MARY M. AIYELESO is a Doctor of Philosophy in Special Education (Hearing Impairment) in the Department of Special Education and Rehabilitation Sciences, Faculty of Education, University of Jos, Jos, Plateau state- Nigeria. She has published widely in both local and international Journals. She is also a model teacher of an International project, Concentrated Language Encounter (CLE) Sponsored by Rotary Club U.S.A in collaboration with Rotary Club, Jos and the South Africa. "Read" Programme for literacy reading in primary schools sponsored by Shell Petroleum Development Company. She is the author of BEGINNING LANGUAGE WITH THE DEAF. School for all CHILDREN is one of her children's books. She is a member of Reading Association of Nigeria and International literacy Association, U.S.A.

ISBN: 978-978-54832-5-3