



**Around the World in
Eighty Days**
Jules Verne



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Level Control

Information, structure and vocabulary are controlled to suit the students' ability at each level.

The number of words at each level:

Starter	about 300 basic words
Beginner	about 600 basic words
Elementary	about 1100 basic words
Pre-intermediate	about 1400 basic words
Intermediate	about 1600 basic words
Upper	about 2200 basic words

Vocabulary

Some difficult words and phrases in this book are important for understanding the story. Some of these words are explained in the story, some are shown in the pictures, and others are marked with a number like this: ...³. Words with a number are explained in the Glossary at the end of the book.

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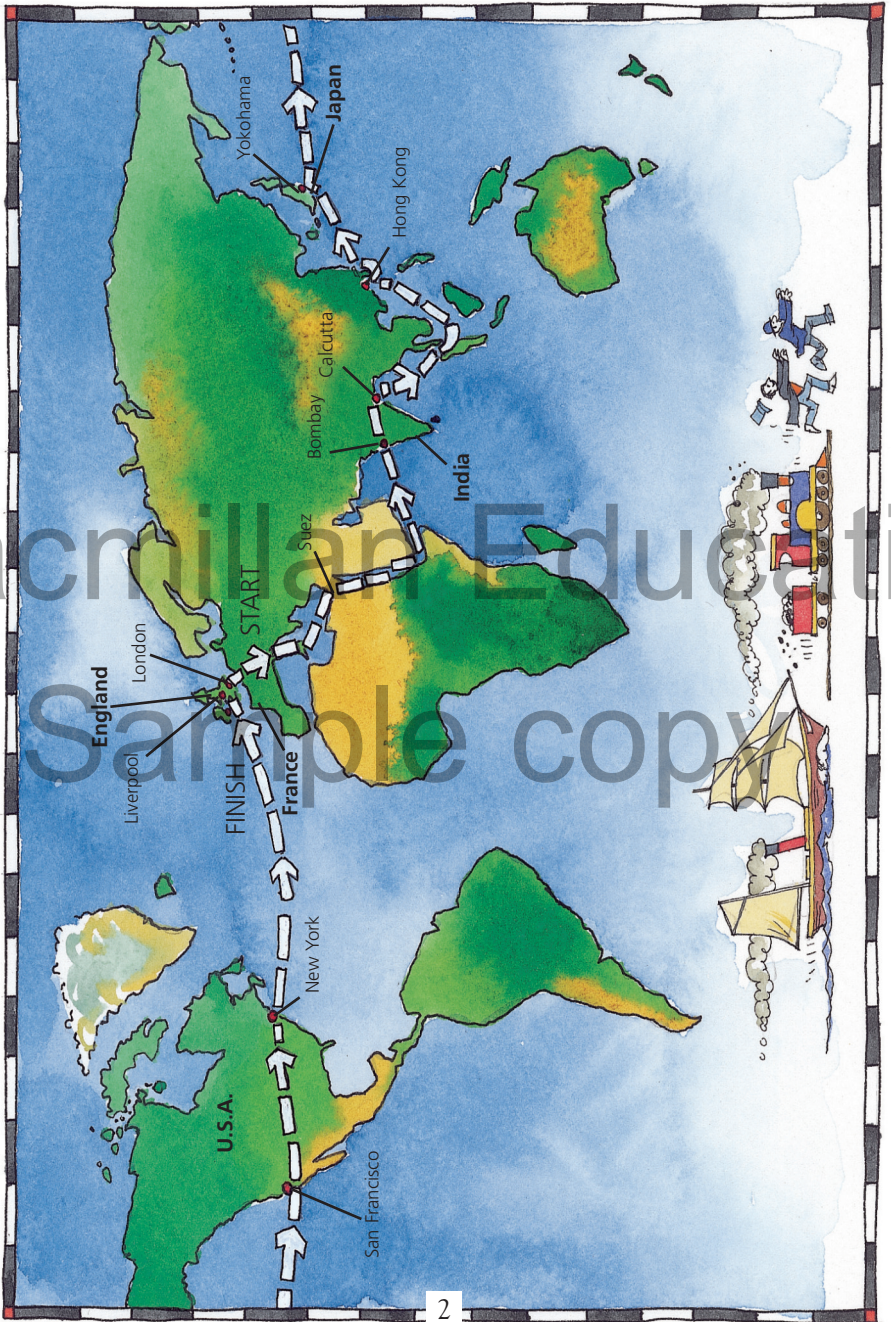
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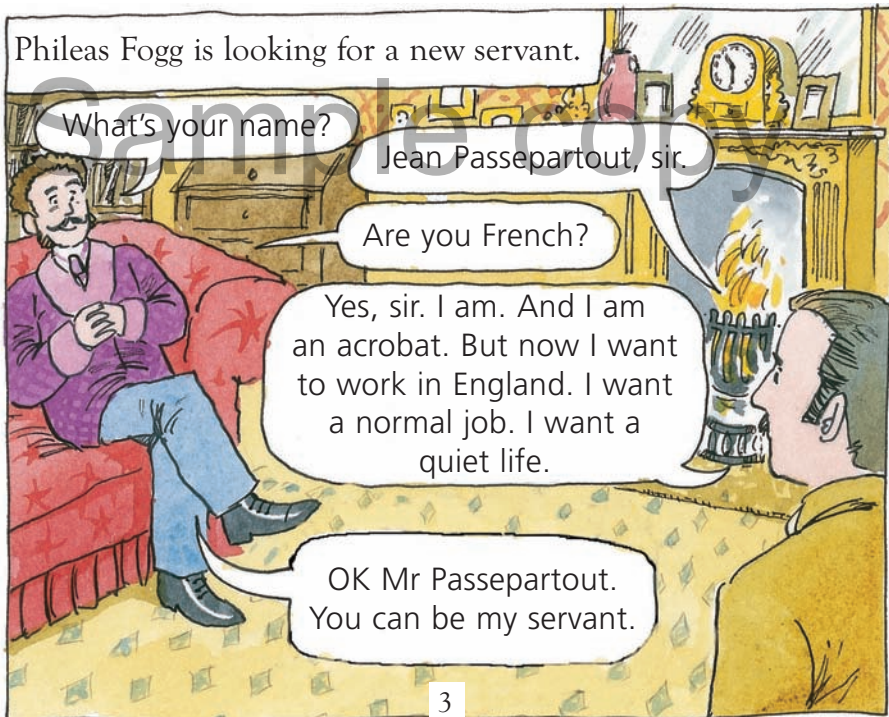
Phileas Fogg's journey around the world




Phileas Fogg is a rich man. He lives in London. He has no family. Every day he has breakfast at 8.25. He has lunch at 12.15 and dinner at 7 o'clock.



Phileas Fogg is looking for a new servant.




Phileas Fogg is a member of the Reform Club. He goes to the Club every day at 11.30 a.m. At the Club he reads newspapers and books. He also plays cards. Today it is Wednesday, 2nd October, 1872 ...



There is a story in the newspaper. It's about a big bank robbery. A man stole £55,000. The police can't find the robber anywhere.

Well, the world is very big. The robber can hide anywhere.



But now there are railways. The world is smaller. People can travel quickly. I can travel around the world in eighty days...

I will show you. I will go this evening. I will return here on Saturday, 21st December, at 8.45 in the evening. I can do it! I bet you £20,000!

Impossible!

We accept your bet.

