

Welcome Teachers to the 2010-2011 News in Education Program! This year we will continue to bring you both The Standard-Times and Cape Cod Times e-Editions at no cost thanks to our local businesses and sponsors. These are the exact replicas of our newspapers only economically and environmentally friendly. We are confident that you will enjoy and benefit from these new additions to our program! Also, to help better understand and utilize our e-Editions please check out one of our newest programs, **E-News Tools for School!**

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## **Our Programs for the 2010-2011 School Year:**



### **E-News Tools for School**

To help educators better understand and utilize this new process we are introducing a new program this year entitled E-News Tools for School. This new section will demonstrate just how easy and fun it is to use an online newspaper. Chock full of helpful definitions and clear explanations of how an E-edition works, this tab will prove invaluable to teachers and students. It also offers a wide variety of NIE activities in several content areas.

## **Reading/Language Arts**



### **All in Good Time**

#### **9 Chapter serialized story and teacher guide by Jane Kendall**

Eddie is a young boy who is not interested in learning history. That is until his teacher gives him a magical subway token that enables Eddie to time travel back to the 1930s where he learns that history is not just dull dates on a page, but rather, the people and events that color our lives. The illustrations are beautiful paintings that bring the characters and settings into vivid focus. Jane Kendall was born in Manhattan, and her lifelong fascination with the city's rich history was the inspiration for All in Good Times.



## Read, Write, Relate ... Communicate

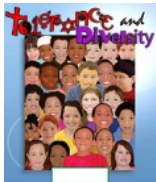
Having excellent communication skills enables students to do well on standardized tests and to go on to successful careers later in life. When you can read and write well, you can speak articulately and communicate clearly. The exercises in this section use the newspaper to help students hone these valuable skills.



## The Life of Abraham Lincoln

Published in 1901, this offers young readers an intimate portrait of Lincoln with some anecdotes they probably have not previously read. Because it was published in 1901, the author was able to research Lincoln by reading many firsthand accounts of people who knew him well. For each chapter of this serial, we have provided a summary, a variety of vocabulary development exercises, comprehension questions, writing activities, and learning standards. In addition, many of the chapter guides also include a character education lesson based on an aspect of Lincoln's life and/or a lesson about Black History, based on Lincoln's times. Those activities are directed to the teacher.

## Social Sciences & Civic Education Initiatives



## Teaching Tolerance and Diversity

Diversity makes our society stronger and young people know that well. In this program, students will read the thoughts of other young people as they share poems and essays about the value of celebrating our differences.



## Bullying

Graphic novels are the hottest new things in education. Like comic books, they are engaging and concise, utilizing small amounts of text and detailed graphics. This "graphic novella" for NIE focuses on the prevalent problem of bullying. In it, readers are asked to make choices and to think about strategies for handling a bully. Every child in school knows about bullying, as each one is a victim, a bully, or a witness. This important section helps them cope. This section is in full color.



## The Secret Life

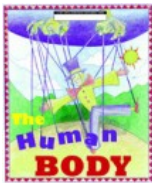
Celebrate Women's History Month in March with this dramatic tale filled with intrigue, dedication, frustration, commitment, success and failure. There are many mysteries and secrets brewing in 11-year-old Susan's life. The new boarder is not what she seems. Susan is secretly pretending to be a boy in order to work shining shoes to help the family's financial woes. Mum goes off to visit a relative and disappears. The year is 1914. The setting is New York City, but the message is one of national importance because, behind it all is the inspiring inside story of the movement to earn the right to vote for women. And earn it they did. Without firing a single shot, women won the vote, changing our democracy forever. For 150 years our country excluded more than half of the population. In reading this story, students will learn how this changed only after one of the most remarkable and successful nonviolent efforts the world has ever seen. The woman suffrage movement is a record of the experiences of ordinary citizens like the characters in this story. It's vital that students learn more about this history in order to appreciate and understand the value of democracy.



## Immigration - The Story of America's People

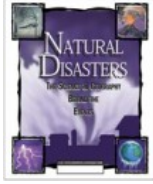
The different people that have come to America throughout history have blended together to form this country. And still they come. Each day, about 2200 people arrive legally while 5,000 arrive illegally. That immigration is the backbone of this nation. This section will provide background information on who came, when they came, from where they came, and why they came. Then, it will address some of the contemporary controversy that surrounds immigration.

## Science Initiatives



## The Human Body

This teacher's guide peeks inside the amazing machine that is human. We look at each of our systems—how it works and how it fits into the total package. The focus is on understanding how the body works so that we can all take spectacular care of ourselves.



## **Natural Disasters: The Science & Geography Behind the Events**

Earthquakes, hurricanes, tornadoes! Nothing is more fascinating than a natural phenomenon. Why do they happen? What are the causes? Where are they likely to occur? How do humans react? This tab takes an in-depth look at natural disasters and relates them to the 5 themes of geography. **This program is great for Geography Awareness Week in November or anytime of the year.**



## **Global Warming**

Global warming continues to be one of the critical ecology issues of our time. Students are challenged to use published facts, projections and predictions to comprehend the warming trend.

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