Your Daily Learning Platform

Grades K-5

Elementary students become life-long learners with developmentally appropriate media content across subjects, engaging instructional strategies that scaffold critical-thinking skills, and digital tools to support students as they build their understanding and independence. Ready-to-use activities blend learning content with instructional strategies.

Media Content for All Subjects

Authentic, real-world content supports students as they learn about topics related to science, social studies, math, English/Language Arts, STEM and more. Multimedia content supports all types of learners with video, interactives, images, audio, and text and is organized into collections curated by topic.

- **Virtual Field Trips**: Connect your classroom to the world with learning experiences that expand horizons and explore careers, cultures, wildlife and more.
- **Science Content**
  - *Earth to Luna*: Join animated character Luna on real-life and imaginary adventures to explore life, physical, and earth and space science concepts.
  - *Discovery Science Alliance*: Encourage scientific thinking as students learn to think things through, examine data, apply tools, and develop skills.
- **Social Studies Content**
  - *Animated Hero Classics*: Explore this series of biographies of scientists, inventors, explorers, and social champions from around the world.
  - *Holidays, Observations, and Timely Events*: Curated resources and instructional materials to support students in learning about special days of celebration, remembrance, and reflection.
- **Math Content**
  - *Problem Solving*: Engage students with videos and activities that support development of problem-solving strategies, as well as connections and communicating mathematical reasoning.
  - *Cha-Ching Money Smart Kids by Jackson Charitable Foundation*: Go beyond counting coins with these fun and engaging videos and activities that introduce concepts of finance to younger students.
- **English/Language Arts Content**
  - *Reading Rainbow*: Ignite a love of learning and enrich reading experiences while discovering the places and faces waiting inside books.
  - *Wordgirl*: Follow the adventures of WordGirl as she learns new vocabulary words every day.
- **STEM Content**
  - *Visual Classroom*: The Language of Science and Math: Learn science and math concepts, as well as the related vocabulary, in this structured series available in English and Spanish.
  - *Fishtronaut*: Explore bite-sized episodes that support problem-solving skill development in STEM topics related to life and earth sciences.

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Engaging Instructional Strategies

SOS Instructional Strategies provide creative, research-based strategies that support students in developing critical-thinking skills when engaging with information sources. These easy-to-use instructional strategies incorporate digital media into meaningful, effective, and practical ways.

- Summarizing
- Key Ideas and Details
- Vocabulary Development
- Compare and Contrast
- Questioning

Digital Tools

These digital resources support students as both content consumers and content creators as well as provide equitable access to digital content.

Discovery Education Features:
- **Closed Captions**: Closed captioning is available for some videos and can be customized for text size, color, and background.
- **Transcripts**: Videos may have searchable transcripts that highlight text in sync with audio and visuals.
- **Text Features**: Reading Passages open in a PDF viewer window that includes additional features such as read aloud, page ruler, and page mask.
- **Language Versions**: A growing population of videos and channels that are available in multiple languages.
- **Google Translate**: Change the language of headings, titles, descriptions, and buttons within Discovery Education, as well as encyclopedia articles.

**Studio**: Students can engage in contextualized learning activities and supports as well as demonstrate their understanding of topics. Immersive Reader provides language, grammar, and reading support for text within Studio.

- **Welcome to Studio!**
- **Teacher Guide: Studio**
- **Student Guide: Studio**
- **Immersive Reader**

Ready-to-Use Instructional Activities

A wealth of instructional activities combine Discovery Education's rich content with engaging instructional strategies. These ready-to-use activities can be customized or used as-is for a turnkey assignment. Educators can access ready-to-use content in curated channels as well as within a growing number of topic-specific channels.

- **Learning at Home Channel**: Explore your interests, sharpen your skills, and have fun with this awesome collection of activities you can do at home.
- **Student Learning Activities Channel**: Inspire curiosity around topics, places, experiences, and career opportunities with these engaging activities.
- **Instructional Inspiration Channel**: This collection of quick instructional activities covers popular topics across science, math, social studies, English/Language Arts, health, and Visual and Performing Arts.

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