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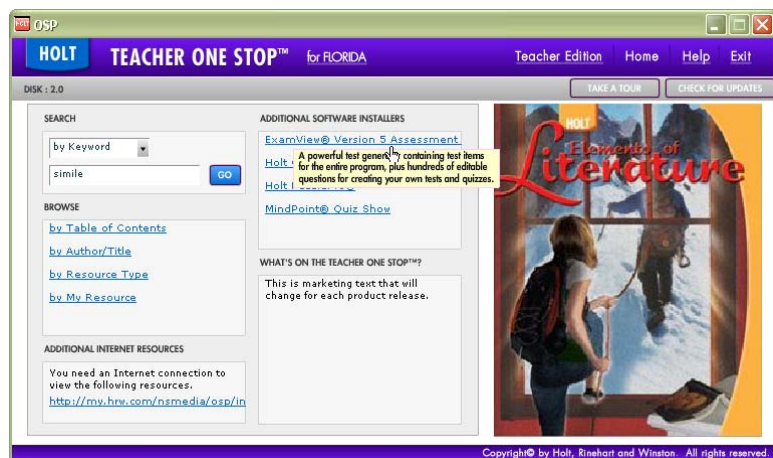
Redesigned Teacher One Stop from Holt Puts Every Resource in One Spot: Editable, Searchable, Expandable

ORLANDO, Florida - January 23, 2008 -- With today's announcement at the Florida Educational Technology Conference, gone are the days of flipping through ancillaries and photocopying pages from binders. Holt McDougal (www.hrw.com - formerly Holt, Rinehart and Winston and McDougal Littel) today released a completely redesigned and multi-functional Teacher One Stop that promises to save teachers time when planning their lessons.

The Teacher One Stop is a new product similar to Holt's award-winning One Stop Planner (OSP) that was originally launched in 2002. The One Stop Planner became an industry standard for the supplementary and teacher

resources that accompany classroom textbooks. In its earlier version, the One Stop Planner gave teachers all the materials they needed on one CD to complement their curriculum. The Teacher One Stop--now so full of documents, tools and multimedia that it comes on a DVD--builds on the OSP strengths and adds numerous technologies, search capabilities and new resources that promise to make a teacher's planning period a breeze.

"The Teacher One Stop is more powerful and contains more resources than our earlier versions of planning tools," said Allen Wheatcroft, president of Holt McDougal. "Teachers really can do away with their 3-ring binders and stacks of ancillaries now because every resource and every conceivable tool to manage those resources is on the Teacher One Stop DVD."



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Teacher One Stops include the ability to edit, adapt, search and expand the collection of Holt resources that come with a particular curriculum. This includes the ability for teachers to add their own resources or save the adaptations they make to existing materials where they are stored, easy to find, in a "My Resources" folder. This is particularly helpful for differentiated instruction and customized learning plans. Teachers can also alter resource descriptions for example, adding new state standards or notes to make it easier to locate specific resources in the future.

Teacher One Stops will be available for every Holt program starting with *Holt Elements of Literature* and *Holt Elements of Language* in March, 2008. The Teacher One Stop is the companion product to the soon-to-be-released, ThinkCentral, which will be launched in February. These complementary products allow teachers to pick the format that is more convenient for them to use when locating and editing supplementary resources: either on the DVD with the Teacher One Stop or through a web-based destination with ThinkCentral.

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