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AOL@SCHOOL Fact Sheet

One click on www.aolatschool.com provides access to six different learning portals, organized by audience and grade level, which assembles content, resources, and tools available on the Web specifically for the K-12 learning environment. These learning portals include four student areas; Primary (K-2), Elementary (3-5), Middle School (6-8), High School (9-12) and separate portals for both Teachers and Administrators. These portals provide access to over 900 different education content, resource and tool providers organized in an effort to save you time and eliminate the frustration of searching for valuable education resources on the Web.

The AOL@SCHOOL software provides filtering technology compliant with the CIPA requirements for E-rate funding recipients. The software must be installed on each computer workstation at the school. The AOL@SCHOOL software filters at appropriate levels for Primary, Elementary, Middle School, High School, Teacher and Administrator accounts.

AOL@SCHOOL content filters are effective only when a student or educator is logged into the AOL@SCHOOL software environment. Internet access to the AOL@SCHOOL Web site (www.aolatschool.com) through a generic browser (such as Internet Explorer or Netscape) does not utilize the content filters available only in the AOL@SCHOOL software.

Students will also be able to access content from leading education companies including Apex Learning, Artsonia, Bartleby.com, Boxer Learning, Inc., BrainPOP, Children's eLibrary, Classroom Connect, CNN Student News, CountryWatch.com, Dell, Education World, EdVISION, Embark, ePALS Classroom Exchange, GoalView, iPicture books, KidsEdge, Merriam-Webster, PC Teach It, Purdue Pharma, Riverdeep, Standard Deviants/Cerebellum, TestU, ThinkWave, TIME For Kids, Tom Snyder Productions, Tritone Music, Warner Brothers Publications, and Western Governors University. MS.AOL@SCHOOL also allows for chat/instant messaging for teachers and students. AOL@SCHOOL E-mail, Instant Messaging and Chat functions are defaulted in the "Off" position for student accounts; until your school's AOL@SCHOOL Account Manager turns them on. If e-mail is turned on for a student, the educator can determine who the student communicates with and whether or not he can use attachments.