

NCLB's Enhancing Education through Technology and *IntelliTools*® Classroom Suite

Title II, Part D, of the No Child Left Behind Act, the Enhancing Education through Technology (E2T2) State Grants Program, is designed to improve student academic achievement through the use of technology in elementary and secondary schools.

E2T2 is also designed to assist every student in becoming technologically literate by the end of eighth grade and to encourage the effective integration of technology resources and systems with teacher training and professional development. The program targets funds primarily to school districts that serve concentrations of poor students.

IntelliTools Classroom Suite is an excellent application for the Enhancing Education through Technology program. Designed for K-8 curricular support, *IntelliTools Classroom Suite* is a hands-on practice tool for students that is engaging, interactive, motivational, and intentional in skill building. It also incorporates the concepts of universal design and is fully accessible by students with special needs.

Title II, E2T2 Strategies	<i>IntelliTools Classroom Suite</i> Solutions
Improve student academic achievement	<p><i>IntelliTools Classroom Suite's</i> multimedia activities provide scaffolded support and practice in reading, writing, and math, enabling all students to meet the standards, especially struggling readers, reluctant writers, English language learners, and students with special needs.</p>
Integrate technology into curricula	<p>Using <i>IntelliTools Classroom Suite</i>, students practice curriculum-based activities in a variety of formats across multiple subject areas. The activities and flexible templates give students practice that is independent, self-regulated, engaging, content-based, leveled to build skills, monitored for success, and reported for assessment.</p>
Improve technological literacy	<p><i>IntelliTools Classroom Suite</i> provides activities and templates for multimedia presentations that can incorporate animations, video, sound; writing projects in age-appropriate formats; and math modeling with virtual manipulatives. The program is also fully accessible for students with special needs using scanning or an IntelliKeys adaptive keyboard.</p>
Boost data-driven decision-making	<p><i>IntelliTools Classroom Suite</i> tracks each student's activity progress and performance. Teachers can use its real-time embedded assessment to decide what practice the student needs next and personalize instruction accordingly. Teachers are able to review and assess a student's work at any time and record and print reports.</p>
Support professional development	<p><i>IntelliTools Classroom Suite</i> includes a comprehensive Teacher's Guide with lesson plans. IntelliTools also offers professional development at 30 IntelliShare centers around the country, holds an annual Masters Institute for hands-on training, and can provide on-site professional development and personalized instruction.</p>



Additional Classroom Benefits of *IntelliTools Classroom Suite*

- *IntelliTools Classroom Suite* adheres to the principles of differentiated instruction and is customizable to support different learning styles and special needs.
- *IntelliTools Classroom Suite* provides strong scaffolding to support English language learners, incorporating recorded speech, talking text for auditory support, word prediction to access newly learned vocabulary, and more.
- *IntelliTools Classroom Suite's* activities can be correlated to state content standards across grade levels and subject areas, enabling all students to meet the standards.



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