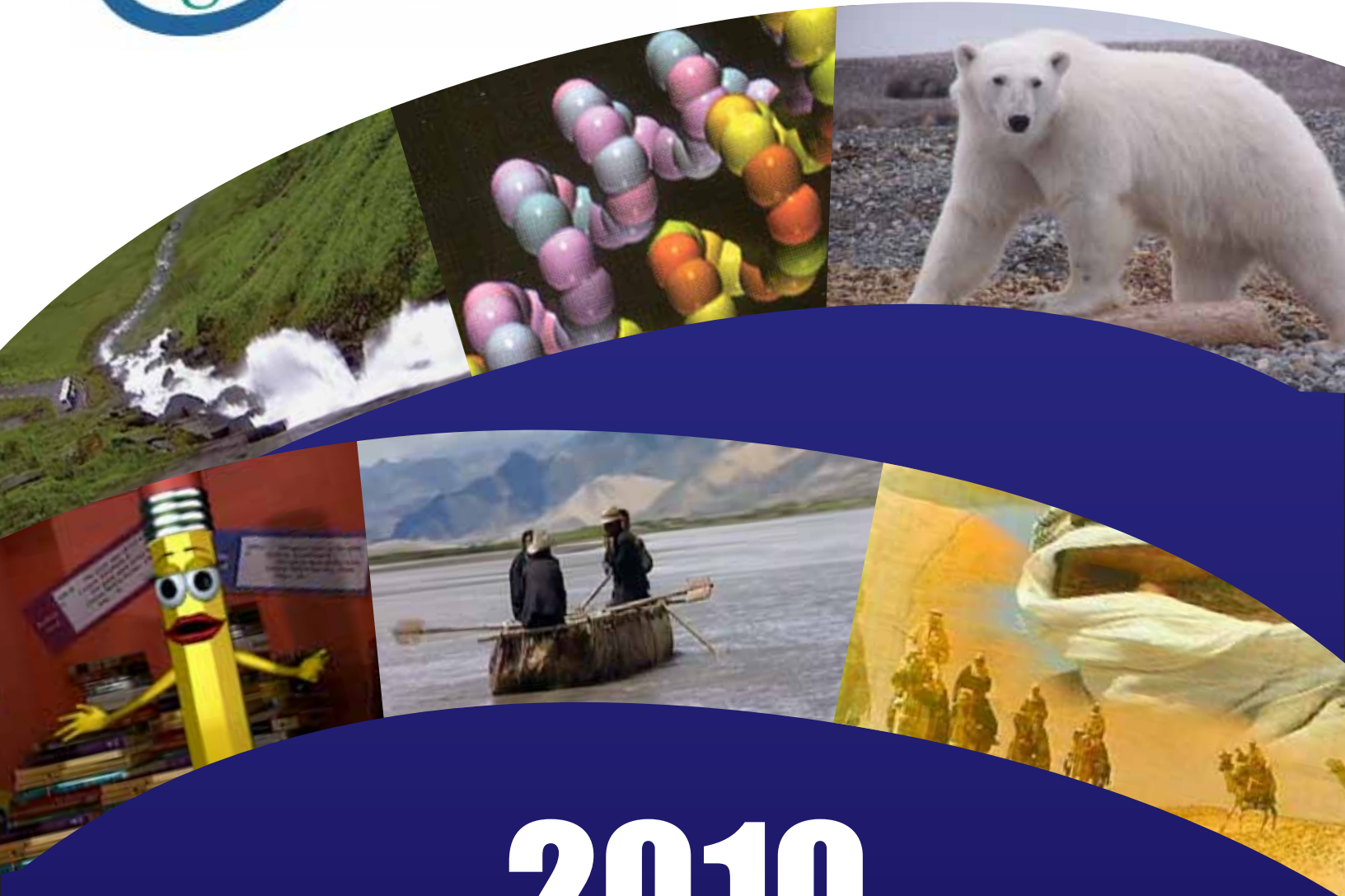




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# Business Studies

## Creativity & Innovation

### **DEWITT JONES BEST-SELLING VIDEOS:**

#### **Celebrate What's Right With the World**

DeWitt Jones teaches you how to embrace and use the resources around you and how to celebrate your successes. This video will inspire students to focus on what they have and what they can do, rather than what they are lacking.

Order #12006                      22 min                      2002

**French Version: Célébrons le monde dans sa beauté**

#### **Everyday Creativity**

Dewitt Jones teaches us the techniques to be creative; how to develop and share our individual talents; and that there is always more than one right answer.

Order #12007                      20 min                      2001

**French Version: Créativité quotidienne**

#### **For the Love Of It**

Dewitt Jones new program is about falling in love with what you do! We all have the ability to love what we do through honouring our passion, making a contribution to those around us, and expressing gratitude. When you work for the love of it, you will serve as an inspiration to yourself and to those around you.

Order #12048                      25 min                      2007

**French Version: Pour l'amour du travail**

Grades 9-12                      From Star Thrower

**Educational Price \$618.75 Each**

#### **Innovation at the Verge with Joel Barker**

Barker has always believed the future is something you create, not something that happens to you. In this program, he teaches how to create your own future by finding your next innovation. Through stories and examples, you will learn how to combine your ideas with the ideas of others.

Order #12059                      18 min                      2009

Grades 10-12                      From Star Thrower

**Educational Price \$693.75**

## Diversity

#### **Clown**

Follow the lives of three "Clowns" and their families as they make poignant observations about life on the other side of stereotypes. This unique program combines drama and comedy to explore the effects of bias and racism.

Order #32006                      17 min                      2005

Grades 9-12                      From Coastal

**Educational Price \$225**

#### **Differences**

By BJ Gallagher. Differences affect everything we do in organizational life. How we regard differences is a major factor in problem-solving and innovation, strategic planning, and our ability to anticipate and respond to a rapidly changing world. This program was created to help people explore and discuss their own differences through the "voices" of dogs.

Order #12058                      4 min                      2008

Grades 9-12                      From Star Thrower

**Educational Price \$318.75**

#### **Village of 100, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition**

This video asks the simple question: If we shrunk the earth's population to a village of precisely 100 people, with all existing ratios remaining the same, what would it look like? This program statistically approximates what that village would be like. These dramatic figures make the need for both tolerance and understanding glaringly apparent.

Order #49005                      3 min                      2006

Grades 9-12                      From ATS Media

**Educational Price \$348**

## Forensic Science

#### **All About Forensic Science: An Introduction**

This program delves into the day-to-day activities and tasks of real-life forensic scientists and compares them with typical TV stereotypes. What is the real role they play in solving crimes and other incidents? How diverse is a typical forensic scientist's job description? Do they do everything from gathering clues and examining all sorts of physical evidence to interviewing suspects and appearing in court, or does real forensic science require more of a specialist approach?

Order #15529                      2007

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

#### **Forensic Science in Action: From Crime Scene to Courtroom**

Before you draw a conclusion that specialist forensics work must be dull, let's put on our lab coats and get involved in the forensic investigation of a mock-up crime! Follow our intrepid scientists through a crime scene investigation, various facets of evidence analysis and the presentation of the forensic findings in a court of law.

Order #15530                      2007

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

# Business Studies

## Interviewing & Hiring

### **Good Company**

This fun, hip-hop music video designed for young employees to boost morale and work ethic. It features fifty famous folks at their first jobs, and is an upbeat way to remind employees that no matter where they are in their career, success happens one step at a time.

Order #14033                      3 min                      2007

Grades 9-12                      From Media Partners

**Educational Price \$260**

### **Developing a Career Portfolio**

A career portfolio is a collection of documents that provide evidence of a job seeker's interests and skills. This program covers a range of aspects relating to the compilation of a career portfolio, including defining a career portfolio, collection of information relevant to both specific and generic skills, and putting it all together. We follow the experience of two students who applied for the same job one having prepared a career portfolio and the other without.

Order #15527                      24 min                      2009

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

### **Face to Face With Your Competition: Approaches to Group Interviews**

The group interview is a relatively new approach to job interviews that involves assessing a group of applicants completing some kind of common, group or problem solving exercise. Employers use this approach to assess the personal efficacy of individual job applicants in order to ascertain the way they can work in teams and groups. A checklist is used to rate their qualities in a group setting.

Order #15549                      25 min                      2007

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

### **First Impressions – Winning Over Your Boss**

Learn how to make a good first impression whenever you start a new job. We'll look at preparing to start work, induction and training, working with others and how to deal with problems along the way. This is a practical and informative look at your new working environment.

Order #15502                      21 min                      2008

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

### **Job Application - Looking Good on Paper**

Applying for a job can be an intimidating process and how do you really know what they're looking for. This video will help you focus on expressing your skills and experience, writing applications that really stand out, and addressing the all-important selection criteria.

Order #15515                      22 min                      2008

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

### **My First Job**

Going to work for the first time can be an overwhelming experience. Who to report to, what to know, what travel arrangements to make, what are the regular hours, what if things go wrong, who can I talk to for support, what are my entitlements, what responsibilities do I have? All these issues are addressed which provides useful advice on surviving your first job and making life easier.

Order #15550                      30 min                      2008

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

### **My New Job**

Settling in and finding your way around a new workplace can be daunting. New employees can be reticent and feel uncomfortable about finding out the information they want and need to know. This video explores a range of issues including what a new employee should consider and prepare for and ways in which workplaces are typically set up to ensure a smooth induction for new staff.

Order #15551                      24 min                      2008

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

### **What Will I Say At The Interview**

This program addresses the key issues that impact on achieving a good job interview. They include the importance of doing your research, being well prepared and having a list of questions ready to ask the interviewer. You must also be confident and be able to effectively market yourself as the best candidate for the job. Listen carefully, take your time to answer questions, and turn negatives into positives.

Order #15516                      28 min                      2009

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

## Leadership

### **The Leadership Secret of Gregory Goose**

This animated video is a fresh way to understand how sharing power releases the leadership instincts in others. Gregory's transformational journey started on the day he was promoted to lead goose. And now you can learn Gregory's leadership secret.

Order #18602                      10 min                      2007

Grades 9-12                      From Learning Communication

**Educational Price \$476**

### **Once Upon a Leader**

Inspiring students to enhance leadership skills in their everyday lives, this video shares a whimsical, yet powerful message on the practices of effective leaders. Through the animation and discussion of popular tales, familiar characters will lead students on a journey to discover the value of four leadership practices. Excellent for youth leadership initiatives.

Order 40105                      17 min                      2004

Grades 9-12                      From VisionPoint

**Educational Price \$636**

# Business Studies

## Legal Studies

### Alternative Dispute Resolution

The average person who needs access to the legal system finds the court system time consuming, frustrating and intimidating. Alternative Dispute Resolution Mechanisms allow more people to have their individual needs met in a less formal and intimidating manner, faster and cheaper and frees up the court for more serious matters. See the different mechanisms available, the process and the steps involved and who can use them.

Order #15531 28 min 2008

Grades 10-12 From VEA Group  
Price \$95

## Motivation

### Get on the Right Bus

With Mike "Coach K" Krzyzewski, the highly successful basketball coach at Duke University and Coach of the U.S. Olympic Basketball Team. Coach K shares his philosophy of the power of words, explores the powerful words that have motivated and inspired so many individuals and teams, and encourages you to find the specific words that will change your life and give your team the winning edge.

Order #43007 29 min 2008

Grades 9-12 From Push Play  
Educational Price \$660

### Is "Good" Enough

Combining dynamic graphics, captivating music, and striking images, this video explores what would happen if 99.9% were the acceptable standard of excellence.

Order #14040 3 min 2008

Grades 9-12 From Media Partners  
Educational Price \$265.50

### People

This engaging video beautifully illustrates the potential of the universal human traits of kindness, generosity and respect in our workplace. It gets to the heart of the one thing that unites all people; this one thing is the key to success in all our relationships.

Order #16123 4 min 2005

### French Version: Les gens

Grades 9-12 From Workplace Publishing  
Educational Price \$340

### A Second Chance

Everyone deserves a second chance. A real, life-changing event that's so much more than back to business as usual. This inspirational program is based on the second chance choice Robert Frost made before his first poem, "The Road Not Taken", was finally published.

Order #12056 4 min 2008

Grades 9-12 From Star Thrower  
Educational Price \$311.25

### Seeing Red Cars

Encourage your students to focus on what they DO want instead of focusing on what they don't! By having a positive attitude, they will be motivated to make better decisions, combat negativity, and create a positive environment.

Order #12054 10 min 2008

Grades 9-12 From Star Thrower  
Educational Price \$468.75

### Your Summit Awaits (Revised)

Join Jamie Clarke, Canadian mountaineer, adventurer, and three-time Mount Everest explorer, as he shares from the heart his incredible experiences on the mountain. Jamie's messages about making your dreams your goal, following your passion, finding success in failure, and showing gratitude, are universal.

Order #12042 21 min 2007

### French Version: Votre sommet vous attend

Grades 9-12 From Star Thrower  
Educational Price \$619

## Retail

### THE RETAIL LEARNING LIBRARY

#### Actions & Attitudes - Customer Service

Learn to develop and enhance your customer service techniques by focusing on 5 specific "Actions and Attitudes".

Order #54017 18 min 2007

#### Building Your Team

Learn specifically what to say during an initial meeting, how to follow up with the prospective recruit, and how to make the transition from casual conversation to a formal interview.

Order #54018 12 min 2007

#### Five Star Selling - Retail Sales

Presents a five-step selling process which new hires can easily memorize and start using with customers right away.

Order #54019 14 min 2007

#### Leadership Through Communication

Focuses on building new leaders at all levels of your retail organization. Learn some specific tools managers may use to improve individual and team performance.

Order #54020 12 min 2007

#### The S.T.O.P. Shop - Loss Prevention

Learn what is expected in preventing losses including dealing with short change artists, spotting shoplifters, combating theft through positive customer service.

Order #54021 15 min 2007

#### Welcome to the Team

Discusses the basics of retail employment: Basic loss prevention, Job responsibilities, Appearance, Dress code.

Order #54022 10 min 2007

#### Zero Tolerance: Harassment & Discrimination Awareness

Covers definitions, inappropriate behaviours, what to do if you observe a problem, what to do if you feel harassed.

Order #54023 8 min 2007

Grades 10-12 From TrainingABC  
Educational Price \$260 Each \$995 Series

# Canadian History and Politics

## Bang For the Buck

Will billions more in defence spending save Canada's Forces? Or is it the bureaucratic process of defence procurement that needs to be fixed? With a defence budget of nearly \$17 billion and new money for planes, ships and more, can we realistically expect to get the most for our money? This documentary examines the issues surrounding military spending and defence procurement.

Order #55009                      60 min                      2006

Grades 10-12                      From Stornoway/Breakout  
Price \$129                      School Price \$39

## Citizen. Soldier.

Reservists are the unsung Canadians who have become the backbone of Canada's armed forces, and who now fill the ranks of its heavily depleted full-time soldiers. Nearly half of Canada's soldiers in Afghanistan are reservists; while others will be called upon when disasters strike at home, like they did during the 1997 Red River Flood and the 1998 Ice Storm. This program looks at the men and women who make up our "military reserve"—the *volunteers* who dedicate their free time to serve this country.

Order #55010                      60 min                      2006

Grades 10-12                      From Stornoway/Breakout  
Price \$129                      School Price \$39

## The Dark Side of Power

By way of rare archival footage, punctuated with up-to-date interviews and personal profiles, this 2 part documentary examines how politicians and officers of the government-owned Ontario Hydro, once the most powerful electricity company in the world, dug the financial grave for its entire electricity sector. Ontario's hydro production has become a costly monolith and has blocked out the potential alternative energies of the future.

Order #55011                      2 x 60 min                      2006

Grades 10-12                      From Stornoway/Breakout  
Price \$199                      School Price \$49

## The Day Peacekeeping Died

This documentary sets out to examine why Canadian soldiers, often in antiquated equipment and under-manned units, were repeatedly dropped into war zones to perform "peacekeeping missions" where there was no peace to keep. From corporals to generals, from the frontlines to the backrooms, "A Question of Honour" examines the decline of the Canadian military in our soldiers' own words.

Order #55007                      90 min                      2006

Grades 10-12                      From Stornoway/Breakout  
Price \$129                      School Price \$39

## Disorder in the House

A documentary exposé on the strengths and shortcomings of Canada's Parliament. The film is told through the story of one man's journey trying to influence the political system.

Order #55095                      52 min                      2008

Grades 9-12                      From Stornoway/Breakout  
Price \$129                      School Price \$39

## Days of Reckoning Series

In the mid-1990's a team of university graduates set out to investigate why their generation was handed a \$580 billion national debt. They chronicle the stories of politicians and bureaucrats, economists and cattle ranchers, and business people as they paint a picture of government spending and political attitudes.

**Part 1: Tracking the Debt** (54 min)

**Part 2: The Growth of Government** (52 min)

**Part 3: The Trial** (28 min)

Order #55000                      150 min                      2007

Grades 10-12                      From Stornoway/Breakout  
Price \$179                      School Price \$49

## For Queen and Country

Britons have kept a strong connection with their military by building an important relationship between their armed forces and their universities. Each year, hundreds of students join the "Officers Training Corps" where they develop leadership skills that will serve them well in their future work world. Dr. Neville Poy, Honorary Colonel of Toronto's Queen's York Rangers, travelled to Cambridge University to witness what makes the OTC one of the most popular clubs on campuses across the UK.

Order #55103                      52 min                      2009

Grades 10-12                      From Breakout/Stornoway  
Price \$129                      School Price \$39

## John Turner: In His Own Words

Former Prime Minister John Turner never compromised integrity for political gain during his 25-year parliamentary career. In Turner's own words, this documentary recounts pivotal Canadian historical events from the 1960s through to the early 1990s - from the War Measure's Act to Free Trade debates.

Order #55008                      47 min                      2006

Grades 9-12                      From Stornoway/Breakout  
Price \$129                      School Price \$39

## No Country For Young Men

In a by-gone era, the bells at Canadian universities once rang out in tribute for students in uniform, when young people received army, navy and air force training on campus. This documentary revisits the memories of Canada's lost tradition of university military training when citizenship, leadership and service were part of a university education.

Order #55102                      52 min                      2009

Grades 10-12                      From Breakout/Stornoway  
Price \$129                      School Price \$39

## Portraits of War

This is a story told by two men – internationally acclaimed artist, Alex Colville, and funeral director-turned-photographer, Harold Morden. Through their respective paintings and photographs, both created images that captured the nightmarish truth that was WWII. Both would have their notions of humanity eternally altered. This documentary shares the saga of two Canadians, their reactions to war and death, and how their future works would be defined by escaping its trauma.

Order #55067                      52 min                      2007

Grades 9-12                      From Stornoway/Breakout  
Price \$129                      School Price \$39

# Canadian History and Politics

## IT'S YOUR GOVERNMENT SERIES

This documentary series talks about the Canadian government. Interspersed throughout each program is an "It's Your Neighbour" segment by Pamela Wallin, an "It's Your Perspective" segment by Mercedes Stephenson on the issue of language, and an "It's Your Country" segment with musician Joel Plaskett.

### Breaking The Code

This first episode discusses the various forms of influence language can have on things governmental. Words lead actions and writing effective government speak is a major creative industry in Ottawa. Here's how it works, from writing the Throne Speech to penning befuddled acronyms that divide and conquer.

Order #55077                      26 min                      2008

### I've Got A Secret

Join reporter John Robson in the journalist's lockup on Budget Day, and endure the silliness of Canada's annual "mission impossible" for political reporters to turn hundreds of pages of numbers into sound bites and news stories.

Order #55078                      26 min                      2008

### Citizen Politicians

A talented young filmmaker presents her first documentary, a sad story about running a family farm, and it's her family! Then visit a beautiful Bollywood actress, now performing live on Parliament Hill as an MP.

Order #55079                      26 min                      2008

### Battle Signs

If all the world's a stage, the political convention is one of its strange plays. With contrived enthusiasm, delegate-wrangling and intricate sign strategies, we go backstage at the Liberal Convention to separate "show and tell".

Order #55080                      26 min                      2008

### Change Agents

Does the Public Service ever want change, no matter who it hires? Garth Turner wanted to change the way a MP works and had to change Parties! Host Lynne Bermel becomes a "hockey junkie" checking changes to an MP's waistline.

Order #55082                      26 min                      2008

### Lessons Under Fire

In the 21st century, wars will be fought over religion and terrorism, over resources and resentment. Learn how Canada is fighting the war in Afghanistan and how a soft spoken hero, Tom Hoppe, tries to make a difference.

Order #55081                      26 min                      2008

### Auditing The Auditor

We ask Canada's Auditor General if we're getting a "bang for our bucks". Looking at some of the early books we discover that even the cost of ice was once accounted for. Now fast forward to today's complicated performance and financial audits. How does Sheila Fraser do it?

Order #55097                      26 min                      2008

### Global Causes

We turn our camera eye to the international scene: what motivates a dedicated group of young people to support NATO, and others who have chosen careers with Non-Governmental Organizations (NGO's)?

Meanwhile, former U.S. Ambassador to Canada, Paul Cellucci, explains why our relationship with the U.S. is the envy of the world.

Order #55098                      26 min                      2008

## Political Plays

The Neorhino party's recent frolic on Parliament Hill prompts us to ask: what the heck are fringe parties all about anyways? We also explore a call for more politics in our schools to ensure a healthier democracy. And what's it like being a party member who doesn't always buy the party line?

Order #55099                      26 min                      2008

## Down The Drain

As long as the lights are on, the taps work and the basement isn't full of sewage, infrastructure seems boring. But when bridges collapse, everyone asks why governments let it happen. Join us for a look at how dire things are in Canada and what you can do about it.

Order #55100                      26 min                      2008

Grades 7-12

From Stornoway/Breakout

Price \$129 Each

School Price \$39 Each

## A Question of Honour

This series chronicles the deterioration of the Canadian Forces through the soldiers who served and the decline of global Canada's influence.

Episode 1: The Balkan Blues

Episode 2: Lies and Dishonour

Episode 3: Disarmament by Neglect

Episode 4: The Bungle in the Jungle

Episode 5: An Empty

Order #55075                      5 x 52 min                      2005

Grades 9-12

From Stornoway/Breakout

Price \$199

School Price \$49

## Secrets in High Places

An exposé of the Canadian government's wasteful spending practices. The researchers are part of a unique study to determine what actually happens when a Canadian citizen inquires into the nature of government spending. The issue: how decisions were made on more than \$8 billion spent on the Canada Infrastructure Works Program, and what benefits resulted for Canadian taxpayers.

Order #55004                      2 x 55 min                      2007

Grades 10-12

From Stornoway/Breakout

Price \$179

School Price \$49

## Why Canada Fights: Afghanistan

Canada is now part of a dangerous NATO mission in Kandahar province in southern Afghanistan, the home of the Taliban and its renewed insurgency. How did Canadian soldiers end up in a war? Have we abandoned peacekeeping a historic pillar of our foreign policy? This program puts these issues into the context of the larger question about "failed states." What are we going to do as a nation and as a member of the UN, NATO and the G8 about a country where our efforts at development and stabilization may be on the verge of failing?

Order #55012                      60 min                      2006

Grades 10-12

From Stornoway/Breakout

Price \$129

School Price \$39

# Career Education

## REAL LIFE 101 – SERIES 1

Do you know what you want to do for the rest of your life? Have you thought about your “dream job?” Do you have any idea what it takes to get there? See real people doing real jobs and find out for yourself why these professionals love what they do.

### Aviation

Carolyn Fennell, the Director of Public Affairs for the Aviation Authority of the Orlando International Airport shows us what she does to keep travelers happy. Hop in the cockpit to find out what it takes to become a commercial airline pilot. Learn how a job as a helicopter pilot for a local police department may be a career for you.

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### Banking

Get some insight into the world of finance. First, hear about all of the different jobs in finance from the CFO at a bank. Then, receive a lesson on being money smart from a Financial Planner and learn about the tools he uses for keeping people financially secure. Find out what's involved in getting a home loan from a Mortgage Banker.

*Order #46169*

### Cars

A Car Salesman shares some tricks of the trade. Next, visit with a pair of auto mechanics who help their customers keep their cars running properly, and learn what to expect on the job. We take you to an Auto Repair shop where they can repair your vehicle and learn how to start a career in the automotive industry.

*Order #46170*

### College Prep

Get some helpful suggestions about applying to schools from a college counsellor. Then meet a special tutor whose job is to help students ace those dreaded SAT exams. We speak with a woman who gives writing tips for application essays and those challenging classes to come.

*Order #46171*

### Computer Technology

We visit an Information Technology Specialist to learn all about what this emerging field has to offer. Then, meet with a Software Development Manager for an Engineering Consulting firm to find out what skills are required. If the convenience of working at home appeals to you, we interview a computer programmer who does just that. An electrical engineer explains the importance of computer technology.

*Order #46172*

### Construction

An architect who creates fantastic designs for buildings throughout the world will speak with us. A professional land surveyor fills us in on how subdivisions and other properties are measured so that the lots can be built. Walk a construction site with the managers and engineers who transform vacant land. Lastly, most of us know what an architect does, but what do you know about an Architectural Engineer?

*Order #46173*

### Creative Design

A creative director at an advertising agency tells us what it's like to oversee more than one creative mind. Meet a graphic designer and follow the creation of graphics from a pen and ink drawing to the finished product. Then, learn about designing for the entertainment industry when we speak with the head of a design company.

*Order #46174*

### Culinary

Visit the Orlando Culinary Academy to find out what goes on at a culinary school and how they train future cooks and chefs. Then, we visit with the Executive Chefs at a fine dining restaurant as they fill us in on what it's like to run a busy kitchen. A cake designer explains what skills are needed to do her job. Finally, learn about opening a dining establishment when we talk with the owner of an Italian restaurant.

*Order #46175*

### Entertainment

Breaking into the entertainment industry takes passion and drive. We meet a gentleman who has mastered the art of improvisational comedy. Hear first hand from a young actor what it's like to find a place in the motion picture and television industry. Peek inside a studio where voice-over work is done for commercials and programs. Meet a puppeteer who spends his days working with some very charismatic creatures.

*Order #46176*

### The Law Firm

A paralegal has the challenges and stimulation of the legal profession without the need for law school. We talk to an immigration attorney who has become an advocate for people from other countries who want to make their home in the US. A partner in a law firm who has been hearing impaired since birth demonstrates how her disability has NOT prevented her from attaining success in her profession.

*Order #46177*

### Medical Specialists

Dr. David Molthrop is an Oncologist, who deals with treatment of cancer. Next, we take you to a Gastroenterologist's office to “scope” out how he treats disorders of the digestive system. Finally, check out some of the amazing technology that a Radiologist uses in diagnosing patients.

*Order #46178*

### Newspaper Editors

A Breaking News Editor will discuss how he oversees delivering news immediately to the paper's website. Then, the Visuals Editor, a person who oversees the eye-catching photos and graphics that help tell the day's stories. There is an editor who acts as a public liaison and who's not afraid to take a stand – even against his own newspaper. And finally, the Editor in Chief who oversees the entire production.

*Order #46179*

### The Newspaper

A staff writer tells us how he keeps up with the hectic pace of reporting the news while staying on top of our changing technology. Venture into a printing press room where we meet with a press operator and find out how they make hundreds of thousands of papers a day. Weigh all of your options after hearing about all the different careers available in the industry from a Human Resources manager and learn how to break in at a newspaper.

*Order #46180*

### Nursing

One profession always in need of dedicated people is nursing. In this episode, we step inside an operating room to speak with a Surgical Nurse about her job. Then, we will check in with a nursing student and learn about the training she is going through. Finally, stop in a physician's office to hear about the daily routine of a Physician's Assistant.

*Order #46181*

# Career Education

## Pediatric Medicine

We are introduced to an energetic pediatrician and some of his happy young patients. Do you know what a neonatal doctor is? Find out when we visit with one who puts an extra amount of care into his tiny patients. Meet a dietician who creates a special diet for kids with who have problems with seizures to keep them healthy.

Order #46182

## Physical Therapy

A Massage Therapist shows us some techniques she uses to help people relax and relieve them of their aches and pains. Put on a pair of sweats for a session with a Physical Therapist whose job is to keep young athletes in shape. Find out how a Pediatric Physical Therapist helps children with different disabilities and injuries develop and heal.

Order #46183

## Social Work

Meet a Social Worker who helps individuals with disabilities find stable jobs. Visit a Victims Services Advocate from Safe House, an organization whose mission it is to end domestic violence and help victims of abuse recover emotionally. The owner of an Outreach Ministry provides young men with a second chance at life.

Order #46184

## Surgery

We take you to the office of a surgical oncologist to learn about her speciality and how she helps save the lives of others. Our host goes right into to the operating room as a dermatologist performs surgery on one of her patients. Then, learn what a Vascular Surgeon does.

Order #46185

## Teachers

We go to the playground and speak with a preschool teacher. Next, take a look at teaching through the eyes of a middle school teacher; he'll discuss what it takes to inspire his students. Meet a college professor who puts her class through its paces and finally, get introduced to the world of Pediatric Speech and Language Pathology, a rewarding career for people who love helping children.

Order #46186

## Vocational Training

A Career Planner can help find the right career for the right person. Did you know when you meet someone you have just 10 seconds to make an impression on them? Learn from a certified Image Consultant how to make sure that first impression is a positive one. Then, our hosts meet with a Professional Development Coach who works with young people.

Order #46187

## Writers

Learn how to turn writing into a profitable profession from a published freelance writer. Hear from a sports writer who gets to work in a profession that he loves. A newspaper columnist explains how he broke into his field and what he does to keep people reading his columns.

Order #46188

## The Zoo

Visit Gatorland, a park for alligators and other wildlife. A Zookeeper explains why she loves her job. Learn how they create homes for the animals from a Habitat Designer. Meet an animal ambassador who brings zoo creatures into the community for others to learn about.

Order #46189

From Landmark Media

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School Price \$59 Each

## REAL LIFE 101 - SERIES 2

This series introduces you to real people doing real jobs; see for yourself why these professionals love what they do.

## Alternative Medicine

Visit with an acupuncturist and view his techniques first hand. Our host enjoys a soothing treatment from a reflexologist. Meet a chiropractor and learn the tricks he uses to really soothe aches and pains.

Order #46209

## Animal Care and Training

Meet 2 different veterinarians: one who takes care of both household pets and exotic creatures and the other who specializes in large animals. Go on a call with an animal control specialist to find out what "vermin" is living in her clients' attic. Visit a woman who trains aid dogs.

Order #46203

## Broadcast TV

A news director of a local television station tells us what it's like to run a live broadcast. Then off to visit a meteorologist. Hear how the general manager of a local TV station keeps the departments running smoothly.

Order # 46195

## Business

A Human Resource Manager works with employees from hiring to firing; she gives some tips on being prepared for a job interview and how to get hired. Two young women look at marketing, public relations and business development applies in their jobs.

Order # 46213

## Business Owners

Learn from an Entrepreneur how to start your own business and what it takes to make it flourish. A florist explains the challenges she faces and how to keep customers happy. Meet a family that manages a small hotel and finds things that makes their business unique.

Order # 46214

## Counseling

Meet a psychologist who helps others cope with life. A mental health counsellor explains how she helps her clients through difficult problems. A trained counsellor works to help people overcome substance addictions. A grief counsellor helps people in the end stages of life.

Order # 46198

## Cruise Entertainment

A Cruise Director coordinates the fun activities on the ship. Then, meet a talented, young man who entertains the guests with his voice. Meet a young lady who has turned her love of dance and travel into a career on a cruise ship. Learn some of the perks of living at sea.

Order # 46212

## Cruise Industry

Join the Captain on the ship's bridge and learn what it takes to be the master of the vessel and how it operates. Then, meet the food and beverage manager. The Hotel Director talks about the departments of the ship and what it's like to have a traveling home.

Order # 46211

## Daredevils

A hang gliding instructor shows what it takes to land this exciting job. Then, our host interviews race car driver Tim Russell. See how a couple of stuntmen take the heat when one of them is set on fire.

Order # 46221

# Career Education

## Dental Care

Find out what it takes to become a dentist. Speak with a dental hygienist who helps people maintain their oral health. Meet an orthodontist who gives you straight teeth and a beautiful smile.

*Order # 46200*

## Ears, Eyes, Medicine

An ophthalmologist works with children to help them see their world clearly. Talk to an audiologist who diagnoses and treats hearing disorders. A compounding pharmacist shows us how he mixes the proper ingredients to create the right formulas for our medicines.

*Order # 46199*

## Event Planning

Meet an event coordinator at a large convention center and learn how she keeps up with her busy job. Meet a creative planner who uses her creative planning talents and love of social functions. Learn how to manage a special event facility from sporting events to trade shows. A wedding planner ensures her clients enjoy their special day.

*Order # 46197*

## Hair, Makeup & Beauty

Visit a hair salon and learn about styles, coloring and the training needed to become a skilled hair stylist. At a day spa we see how an aesthetician helps her clients to love the way they look. A makeup artist shows how TV and theatre characters are produced with the strokes of a paintbrush.

*Order # 46210*

## Home Improvement

We speak with a man who works in home remodelling. Find out about the contracting business from a man who started from scratch as a house painter. See how an interior designer gets a new house looking great so it can be easily sold. Finally, meet a plumber who fixes the water pipes and the toilets.

*Order # 46216*

## Hotel Industry, Part 1

Meet the Director of Sales and Marketing who is in charge of booking functions. The controller for a Sheraton Hotel shows us how he crunches numbers for the hotel's financial reports. Learn hotels figure out the different pricing structures on their rooms from the revenue manager.

*Order # 46217*

## Hotel Industry, Part 2

The Director of Housekeeping is responsible for maintaining and keeping the rooms clean. The Chief Engineer takes care of all the things that might go wrong from air conditioning to the swimming pool while the General Manager oversees the entire operation of the hotel.

*Order # 46218*

## Magazine & Advertising

Find out what the job of a managing editor for a magazine is all about. An editor explains his responsibilities and how he keeps printing relevant articles. Talk to an advertising executive to see what his qualifications are. An advertising director explains her day making a commercial.

*Order # 46194*

## Music

Hear what it's like to perform for an audience from a woman who plays the French horn. Meet the resident conductor of a large orchestra. An accomplished music composer shows us how he creates music from scratch. Next we'll meet the drummer.

*Order # 46205*

## Photography

A professional portrait photographer explains the skills necessary to do his job. The photo editor of a newspaper works with photographers and writers to get the perfect photos for the paper. An action sports photographer captures images of a professional wake boarder.

*Order # 46207*

## Radio

Our host takes us behind the scenes at a radio station where he chats with the Program Director. Meet a pair of disc jockeys who have the energy and enthusiasm to keep listeners tuning in. Meet the National Sales Manager and learn how vital sales are to a radio station.

*Order # 46219*

## Real Estate

Meet a realtor who finds the right home for the right person. A real estate appraiser explains how he manages his career working out of his home. A Real Estate Attorney is helping revive neighbourhoods in Namibia.

*Order # 46215*

## Search & Rescue

Visit a 911 call center, where emergency phone calls are handled. Ride with paramedics as they keep you feeling fit and healthy. A Special Hazards Operations Team handles dangerous materials. When a person is missing, the Search & Rescue team acts with the help of their canines.

*Order # 46201*

## Special Effects

Find out how an audio engineer uses modern technology to bring sounds and music alive. See how some of the special effects from recent films are created. Learn how video games are made from Electric Arts™ director of electronic development.

*Order # 46208*

## Sports

Meet a tennis professional and learn how he helps others improve their game. Visit a country club and take a few swings with the golf director. A wakeboarder explains what it takes to compete at the professional level. If you enjoy sports but don't wish to play, consider coaching.

*Order # 46220*

## The Arts

Visit an artist's studio where he finds peace and solitude by creating award winning art. Meet a young ballet dancer who is very eager to start his professional career. A choreographer explains how she turned her passion for dance into a profitable endeavour.

*Order # 46206*

## TV & Video Production

Visit a production company and talk with the office manager. At a video post-production facility, learn about video editing. Talk to a TV programmer, who is in charge of making decisions about what shows will air on a local television station.

*Order # 46219*

## Working With Wildlife

An Aquarium biologist shows us some of the birds and reptiles she works with. At Florida's Museum of Natural History we meet a shark researcher who investigates sharks around the world. If you like large reptiles, meet a man whose career is handling alligators!

*Order # 46204*

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*2009*

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# Computers & The Internet

## Don't Get Caught on the Web

This video dramatizes the library research experience of a student who is trying to do a research paper by only using the internet. A savvy advisor appears and helps him discover the wealth of resources available in the library and leads him through a basic research strategy. An efficient research strategy moves from GENERAL to SPECIFIC sources.

Order #42006                      18 min                      2001

Grades 9-12                      From Media Inc  
**Price \$250**                      **School Price \$59**

## e-Pirates of the Digital Age; Copyright Issues in Software and Music

This program will analyse a variety of contemporary issues which are related to the use of ICT in society – focusing specifically on piracy and copyright of computer-related media, including software, games and music. Some of the issues facing our society are not yet covered by government policy and conflict with each other very often arises. Ethical and legal issues are not always in sync with each other and are very often quite difficult to police.

Order #15552                      30 min                      2007

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group  
**Price \$95**

## Health and Safety Issues in ICT

In the brief time that computers have been an essential tool at work and increasingly at home. Several health problems have emerged. Repetitive strains, back pain and eye strain, problems related to lack of exercise and reduced inter-personal communication, anti-social behavior and bullying. This program shows healthy ways to use computers (including laptops) and exercises which help prevent problems developing as well as security tools that protect the individual.

Order #15553                      30 min                      2008

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group  
**Price \$95**

## Inside a Computer

This video describes the roles of the computer in modern society, education and industry and how it fulfils those roles. It provides an insight into the many aspects of a computer system, its design features and the function of various components. The way a computer processes information is looked at with a detailed description of the language used; formatting, input/output and storage.

Order #15532                      24 min                      2008

Grades 9-12                      From VEA Group  
**Price \$95**

## Information Overload

Is information and communications technology actually helping or hampering our basic numeric skills, verbal communication and literacy development? Expert opinions, student vox pops, statistics and historical references are presented for debate and discussion.

Order #15533                      17 min                      2008

Grades 9-12                      From VEA Group  
**Price \$95**

## Research on the Internet

Google transformed the way that users access information on the web. It ousted the categorized portal approach and allowed information to be found by key work search, quickly and comprehensively. However, there are a number of significant issues related to the modern search methodology, including the validity of content, the relevance, and how the results are ranked. With the emergence of Web2.0, the supremacy of the search engine as the Start page of the Internet may be numbered. Until the next big thing comes along, though, it is essential that those who are researching by the Internet understand the limitations of the tools they are using.

Order #15544                      30 min                      2008

Grades 9-12                      From VEA Group  
**Price \$95**

# Culinary Arts

## THE HEAT WITH MARK MCEWAN SERIES

Go behind the scenes for an in-depth look into the catering kitchens of world renowned chef Mark McEwan. Watch and learn as he and his irreverent staff of talented protégés serve mouth-watering culinary perfection while catering myriad of events. This series uncovers what it takes to plate perfect meals for the most demanding clients.

### Part 1: The Gallery.

McEwan is hired to cater a small but complicated event from a makeshift kitchen in an art gallery.

Order #46249                      21 min                      2009

### Part 2: Patio Opening.

McEwan invites his regular clientele to his restaurant to celebrate the opening of the patio.

Order #46250                      21 min                      2009

### Part 3: Steak Tasting.

Mark competes against top chefs and food critics to see who can buy and prepare the best steak.

Order #46251                      21 min                      2009

### Part 4: Beach Wedding.

McEwan heads out to cottage country to cater a beach wedding.

Order #46252                      21 min                      2009

### Part 5: Road to Champions.

McEwan teams up with chef Jamie Kennedy to cater a massive charity event for the Canadian Olympic Committee.

Order #46253                      21 min                      2009

### Part 6: TD Securities.

One of McEwan's most prized clients hires him to cater their 1200 person Xmas party.

Order #46254                      21 min                      2009

### Part 7: Winterlicious.

The city's promotional dining event draws thousands of extra customers through his restaurant doors.

Order #46255                      21 min                      2009

### Part 8: National Ballet.

It's Russian intrigue as McEwan caters a fundraising dinner for the National Ballet in a condo kitchen.

Order #46256                      21 min                      2009

### Part 9: Distillery Wedding.

A one of a kind wedding for Indy race car driver, Marty Roth.

Order #46257                      21 min                      2009

### Part 10: Integra.

Celebrity chef Rob Feenie flies in from the west coast to join McEwan in catering a charity dinner.

Order #46258                      21 min                      2009

### Part 11: Opera House.

Mark is the first caterer to break in the new venue of the Canadian Opera Company's brand new, world-class facility.

Order #46259                      21 min                      2009

### Part 12: Mexican Birthday Bash.

It's McEwan's first time doing Mexican food.

Order #46260                      21 min                      2009

### Part 13: Chef's Wedding.

Mark has been asked to cater the event for one of his own.

Order #46261                      21 min                      2009

### Part 14: Upcountry.

Can Mark & his team transform a dark, dingy, dusty loading dock into a clean, functioning kitchen for 400 guests?

Order #46262                      21 min                      2009

### Part 15 & 16: Fallsview.

Watch Mark prepare an intimate dinner for 100 the first night (first episode) and a 1200 person dinner the next night (second episode) in 90 min. at the Fallsview Casino Resort.

Order #46263 & 46264                      21 min                      2009

### Part 17: Whistler

Mark travels to Whistler B.C. to battle Canada's top Chefs in the Gold Medal Plates Canadian Culinary Championships

Order #46265                      21 min                      2009

### Part 18: Pork Obsession.

Four of Mark's competitive and talented up and coming Chefs compete to create the perfect pork dish.

Order #46266                      21 min                      2009

### Part 19: Hugo Boss Charity Event.

Held on a hot summer day, can Mark and his team pull off the event without a refrigerator?

Order #46267                      21 min                      2009

### Part 20: Farm Wedding.

Mark and his team travel north to cater a farm wedding. Order #46268

21 min                      2009

### Part 21: ONE Opening.

There is anticipation surrounding the opening of Mark's new restaurant.

Order #46269                      21 min                      2009

### Part 22: Watch Dealer.

The success of this outdoor event is threatened when an unexpected storm passes through.

Order #46270                      21 min                      2009

### Part 23: A Night at the Museum.

A lavish Bar Mitzvah is catered in the shadow of crystal at the Royal Ontario museum using limited staff.

Order #46271                      21 min                      2009

### Part 24: Burger Wars.

Mark debuts his new street burger.

Order #46272                      21 min                      2009

### Part 25: Condo Lunch.

Mark caters the launch of a prestigious new lakefront condo. Order #46273

21 min                      2009

### Part 26: Inniskillin.

The last time he catered in wine country, it was a disaster.

Order #46274                      21 min                      2009

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# Fashion Studies

## DESTINATION FASHION SERIES

This 3 part series views the designs, innovations and philosophies of some of the most creative, new and well-known people who work in the fashion industry.

### Destination Fashion: London

Experience the chaos, class and originality that is British style. London is famed in the world of fashion for being the capital of thriving and youthful innovation and is ranked as one of the top five fashion capitals of the world. Central St. Martins College has produced some of the biggest names in fashion to date. We meet with the staff here to discover why they nurture talent with unique qualities.

Order #56507 30 min 2008

### Destination Fashion: Copenhagen

Under Copenhagen's calm and classy exterior beats a passion for fashion. The Danish fashion industry is booming, particularly in the key areas of design and export, and Copenhagen is determined to claim the prize of the 5th fashion capital of the world behind Paris, Milan, London and New York. Fashion is big business in Copenhagen and design standards are very high!

Order #56508 30 min 2008

### Destination Fashion: India

India is a fast emerging fashion hub. The emergence of fashion weeks in Mumbai and Delhi gives Indian fashion a platform the rest of the world is invited to see. Explore how designers incorporate traditional aspects such as fabulously colourful fabrics and intricate beading into new, trendy ideas. India is a country rich in culture and tradition, and fashion is no exception.

Order #56509 30 min 2008

Series Order #56506 From *Electricsky*

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## A Savage Life in Fashion

Percy Savage is a maverick. He has led an amazing life in and around the world of designer fashion and influenced the way the industry developed. This video combines and explores the memories he has, the people he knows, the history made to reveal an intimate world of creative expression, societal change, personal failure, collective triumph and the history of an art synonymous with opulence, luxury and refinement. It is about a man whose influence was everywhere but is unknown outside the industry. The film is narrated by Joanna Lumley and features interviews with Mary Quant, Hubert de Givenchy and Yuki as well as other eminent designers, journalists, historians and executives. Ultimately, it is a story about a man who did as he pleased, to please those in a world transfixed by image, beauty and style.

Order #46238 52 min 2009  
Grades 10 – 12 From Landmark Media  
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## Fashionable Business: Young Designers, New Labels

The fashion industry is renowned for its competitiveness. So how do emerging fashion designers get a foothold when there's so much competition? In this program we introduce three emerging fashion labels and the designers behind them. It examines the elements of design and manufacture design inspiration, the different types of fabrics used in manufacture, and the marketing and branding of the labels.

Order #15534 29 min 2008

Grades 9-12

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## WEDDING DESIGNERS SERIES

The top names in bridal fashion share their secrets, tips and recent collections. Award winning designer Ian Stuart talks us through the design process, Sassi Holford takes us on a tour of her workshop and Stewart Parvin talks about what it is like to design for the queen. Sarah Arnett designs the perfect dress for a beautiful bride, Stephanie Allin shows off her latest collection and Elizabeth Emmanuel talks about her most famous creation, Princess Diana's wedding dress.

### Ian Stuart

An award winning bridal wear designer, talks us through the design process of his theatrical collection.

Order #46241 30 min 2009

### Sarah Arnett

Demonstrates her approach to digital pattern design and the process of tailoring a perfect dress for a beautiful bride.

Order #46242 30 min 2009

### Stewart Parvin

Describes the steps involved in creating an understated chic wedding dress and talks about what it is like to design for the queen.

Order #46243 30 min 2009

### Stephanie Allin

Shows off her latest collection.

Order #46244 30 min 2009

### Sassi Holford

Takes us on a tour of her workshop.

Order #46245 30 min 2009

### Elizabeth Emanuel

Talks about her most famous creation, Princess Diana's wedding dress.

Order #46246 30 min 2009

Series Order #46240

Grades 9 – 12

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# GED Testing

## GED Language Arts, Writing

As you'll have to write a clear, well-organized essay on an assigned topic, this program covers: a thorough review of the three types of passages, the three types of questions, and the four content areas — with rules and examples from each; detailed explanations of why every wrong answer is wrong; how to organize what you write; tips for improving your writing style. (3 DVDs)

Order #61056                      4 hr. 39 min                      2004

Grades 10-12                      From VAI

**Price \$129.95**

## GED Language Arts, Reading

This program covers nonfiction; fiction; drama; and poetry. Learn to answer the four question types found on the exam - comprehension, application, analysis, and synthesis. Learn the simple way to identify main ideas and details; the special elements and characteristics of each type of reading passage; how to understand what a question is really asking; and more. (3 DVDs)

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Our math professor guides you through practice examples, offering step-by-step solutions and clear explanations. It includes sample problems in: number operations; probability; statistics; data analysis; algebra; geometry; and coordinate geometry. Learn about the structure of the exam & the rules for filling in the grids. (3 DVDs)

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## GED Science

The set covers life science, earth and space science, and physical science. It includes: reviews of the four question types: comprehension, application, analysis, and evaluation; tips for understanding various science source materials; explanations of why every wrong answer is wrong. (2 DVDs)

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## GED Social Studies

This set helps you make sense of U.S. and world history, civics and government, economics, and geography. You'll need to: read and understand passages about these different fields; analyze graphic images like graphs, tables, and maps; and answer questions about the information and concepts presented. (2 DVDs)

Order # 61059                      4 hr. 7 min                      2004

Grades 10-12                      From VAI

**Price \$99.95**

## Pre-GED Language Arts, Reading

Reading comprehension and interpretation can be really difficult. This set covers the skills you'll need to master this test, including: vocabulary-building techniques; identifying roots, prefixes, and suffixes; the elements of narrative; analyzing written passages. (2 DVDs)

Order #61048                      4 hr. 17 min                      2004

Grades 10-12

From VAI

**Price \$99.95**

## Pre-GED Language Arts, Writing

To succeed in life, you need to be able to write using correct and proper English. This set will teach you the basics, including: how to use the dictionary to learn new words; understanding subject and predicate; the different types of sentences; how to correct errors in sentence structure, usage, and mechanics; irregular verbs. (2 DVDs)

Order #61049                      3 hr. 7 min                      2004

Grades 10-12

From VAI

**Price \$99.95**

## Pre-GED Mathematics

This set covers algebra, geometry, and coordinate geometry exclusively. The course will teach you the basics, including: solving equations; word problems; factoring; radicals; angle relationships; similar triangles; Pythagorean theorem; area; volume; distance; slope. (3 DVDs)

Order #61050                      5 hr. 14 min                      2004

Grades 10-12

From VAI

**Price \$99.95**

## Pre-GED Science

The test measures your familiarity with the principles of earth, space, life, and physical science. This set will teach you the basics, including: developing reading skills for science; using context clues to define unfamiliar scientific words; understanding the "scientific method" and concepts like hypotheses, independent and dependent variables, and controls; interpreting charts, tables, and diagrams. (2 DVDs)

Order #61051                      3 hr. 28 min                      2004

Grades 10-12

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## Pre-GED Social Studies

Social studies can be confusing, and a lack of knowledge in history, government, economics, or geography can be embarrassing. This program will teach you the basics, including: developing basic thinking skills for social studies; how to understand reading passages about social studies; using context clues to define words; distinguishing facts from opinions; interpreting graphs, tables, maps, and cartoons; and much more. (2 DVDs)

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Grades 10-12

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# Guidance

## Anger Management Quiz Show

An animated question and answer video. Students are presented with 5 anger provoking situations: Family, Other Kids, School, Situations, and Self. After making their choices from a list of possible responses, the students are presented with suggested answers.

*DVD Kit includes Leader's Guide, Score Sheet, Completion Certificate*  
Order #51021                      9 min                      2007

Grades 3-6                      From Boulden Publishing  
**Price \$69.95                      \$79.95 Kit**

## Anger Management Series

Helping kids handle their anger constructively can benefit them with academic improvement, friendships, social skills and conflict resolution. Discussion questions at the end of the video help reinforce the anger management techniques presented. Each video includes 2 presentations: one with and one without counsellor comments.

**Mad Me (Grades K-2)**  
Order #51022                      14 min                      2007

**From Mad to Worse (Grades 3-4)**  
Order #51007                      14 min                      2007  
*DVD Kit includes Activity Book, Discussion Guide, Follow-up Activities*

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**Price \$69.95 Each                      \$79.95 Each Kit**

## Bullying and Teasing Series

Bullies cannot exist without victims and both participate in the bullying relationship. Butch, who has been a victim at home, becomes a bully at school. Luis does not stand up to Butch and his self esteem plummets. Discussion questions at the end of the video help reinforce the bully and victim concepts presented. Each video includes 2 presentations: one with and one without counsellor comments.

**Playground Push Around (Grades K-2)**  
Order #51008                      13 min                      2007

**Push & Shove (Grades 3-4)**  
Order #51023                      13 min                      2007  
*Each DVD Kit includes Discussion Guide, Activity Book, Game, Follow Up Activities*

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**Price Each \$69.95                      769.95 Each DVD Kit**

## Bullying & Teasing Quiz Show

This animated video presents a wide range of behaviour options and their associated consequences. Students earn or lose points based on the quality of the solutions chosen.

*DVD Kit includes Leader's Guide, Score Sheet, Certificate of Completion, Script*  
Order #51024                      9 min                      2007

Grades 2-4                      From Boulden Publishing  
**Price \$69.95                      \$79.95 DVD Kit**

## BUDDY SERIES

These videos come alive with colour, sound and animation. Children identify with Buddy as learns the various lessons in each video. Each story is followed by an animated exercise and review questions to reinforce the lessons presented.

### Buddy Gets Angry

Buddy learns the importance of managing his anger and the consequences of letting it get out of control.  
Order #51004                      12 min                      2007

### Buddy Learns About Teasing

Buddy learns the consequences of teasing and being teased, and learns steps he can take to avoid being teased himself.  
Order #51019                      12 min                      2007

### Buddy Learns From His Mistakes

Buddy learns the importance of perseverance and the consequences of a poor attitude.  
Order #51017                      12 min                      2007

### Buddy Learns to Listen

Buddy learns the importance of listening to others and the four steps for active listening.  
Order #51016                      9 min                      2007

### Buddy Learns to Play Fair

Buddy learns the importance of telling the truth, following the rules, cooperating and respecting others.  
Order #51018                      9 min                      2007

### Buddy's Family Changes

Buddy deals with issues commonly associated with divorce or re-marriage.  
Order #51005                      9 min                      2007  
*Each DVD Kit includes Discussion Guide, Activity Book, Game, Follow Up Activities*

Grades K-2                      From Boulden Publishing  
**Price \$69.95 Each                      \$79.95 Each DVD Kit**

## CHARACTER EDUCATION QUIZ SHOW SERIES

Using a fun and easy quiz show format, these animated programs focus on five age appropriate, character definitions and their application. A true understanding of each trait emerges as each situation and its associated choices and consequences are discussed.

**Character #1 (Grades 2-3)**  
Order #51002                      2007

**Character #2 (Grades 2-4)**  
Order #51012                      2007

**Character #3 (Grades 3-5)**  
Order #51013                      2007

**Character #4 (Grades 4-6)**  
Order #51014                      2007  
*Each Kit includes User's Guide, Reproducible Activities*

From Boulden Publishing  
**Price \$69.95 Each                      \$79.95 Each DVD Kit**

# Guidance

## Conflict Resolution Quiz Show

This program introduces the basic concepts of conflict resolution in a fun and informative manner, using animation and humorous situations. They present conflict situations that kids encounter and examine alternative courses of action while stimulating discussion.

### Conflict Level 1 (Grades 2-4)

Order #51025                      28 min                      2007

### Conflict Level 2 (Grades 5-6)

Order #51026                      28 min                      2007

Each Kit includes Leader's Guide, Score Sheet, Completion Certificate

From Boulden Publishing

**Price \$69.95                      \$79.95 DVD Kit**

## Divorce Quiz Show

The goal of this animated video is to teach children different aspects of divorce. Students decide on solutions to situations in which divorce is a factor; they earn or lose points based on the quality of the solution chosen.

Kit includes Leader's Guide, Score Sheet, Certificate of Completion

Order #51027                      28 min                      2007

Grades 1-5                      From Boulden Publishing

**Price \$69.95                      \$79.95 DVD Kit**

## Double Trouble

This animated video demonstrates the consequences of negative behaviour including smoking, drinking, lying, bragging, bullying, stealing and cheating.

DVD kit includes Discussion Guide, Activity Book Reproducible Activities

Order #51006                      18 min                      2007

Grades 3-6                      From Boulden Publishing

**Price \$69.95                      \$79.95 DVD Kit**

## Peer Pressure Quiz Show

The goal of the animated and exciting video quiz show is to teach children positive ways to react to peer pressure. Students decide on solutions to situations in which peer pressure is a factor; they earn or lose points based on the quality of the solution chosen.

Kit includes Leader's Guide, Score Sheet, Certificate of Completion

Order #51028                      9 min                      2007

Grades 1-5                      From Boulden Publishing

**Price \$69.95                      \$79.95 DVD Kit**

## Two Ears & One Mouth

This animated video discusses good listening skills. The school counselor instructs Maricela in the rules for active listening. The story follows Maricela as she learns to apply these rules. A quiz show segment challenges students with a diversity of real world situations requiring listening skills.

Kit includes User's Guide, Exercises, Discussion Questions

Order #51029                      18 min                      2007

Grades 2-6                      From Boulden Publishing

**Price \$69.95                      \$79.95 DVD Kit**

## Saying Goodbye

Based on the award-winning bereavement book, this video comes alive with gentle music and animation. A counselor narration responds to Buddy's questions, helping to explain death in terms children can understand.

DVD Kit includes User's Guide, Reproducible Activities

Order #51011                      14 min                      2008

Grades K-5

From Boulden Publishing

**Price \$69.95**

**\$79.95 DVD Kit**

## VIOLENCE PREVENTION QUIZ SHOWS

These videos will help you open a dialogue with students concerning ways to avoid potentially violent situations and develop proactive strategies for dealing with them when they occur. A major focus is the empowerment of students to take responsibility vs. the code of silence. Topics include: Fire, Gangs, Bombs, Knives, Bullying, Racial Violence, Teacher Assault, Physical Abuse, Sexual Abuse, Hate Crimes, Robbery, Vandalism, and more.

### Violence #1 (Grades 2-4)

Order #51009                      28 min                      2007

### Violence #2 (Grades 5-7)

Order #51010                      28 min                      2007

Each Kit includes User's Guide

From Boulden Publishing

**Price \$69.95                      \$79.95 DVD Kit**

# Health and Safety

## For Students

### **Chlamydia**

This teaching resource informs young people aged 16-20 about Chlamydia testing and demystifies the process of going to a health service to have the test carried out. It is a fun motivating video with drama, animation and actual interviews with students that will stimulate a great discussion and covers essential issues for discussion with young people about Chlamydia: How do you get it? What do you do about it? How do you get tested? How do you tell someone else? How do you get rid of it? How can you avoid it? Where do you get help?  
Order #24226                      24 minutes                      2009

Grades 10-12                      From 7 Dimensions  
**Price \$125**                      **School Price \$49**

### **Drink Spiking: Awareness and Avoidance**

Drink spiking has become an increasingly disturbing health issue. This program explains what drink spiking is and how to recognize and avoid situations that may increase susceptibility to drink spiking. It explores the prevalence and nature of drink spiking, situations where it is likely to occur, the people who do it (including friends) and how victims are chosen. Using expert opinion, narration and dramatized scenarios, the program delivers balanced information about the substances commonly used, potential health consequences to the victim and strategies to minimize the risks of it occurring.  
Order #15543                      29 minutes                      2008

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group  
**Price \$95**

### **Lab Safety for Schools**

Science class and laboratory work are no time to play around. This program discusses the importance of appropriate lab behaviour, wearing and using safety equipment, handling lab equipment and materials correctly, and reacting appropriately during an emergency.  
Order #32106                      14 min                      2003

Grades 9-12                      From Coastal  
**Price \$225**                      **School Price \$59**

### **Rachel's Story**

This extraordinary and highly acclaimed film tells the story of Rachel Whitear, told by her mother, father, sister and a close friend. The film is a very honest portrayal of how drug misuse can have far reaching consequences for both the drug user and their close family and friends.  
Order #46112                      22 min                      2006

Grades 7-12                      From Landmark Media  
**Price \$225**                      **School Price \$59**

### **Welding Safety: What You Need To Know**

This video program discusses the essentials of welding safety with a focus on oxyfuel gas cutting. It covers safe operation procedures; proper safety equipment; and making the work environment safe.  
Order #32653                      10 min                      2007

Grades 9-12                      From Coastal  
**Price \$225**                      **School Price \$59**

## For Staff

### **Bloodborne Pathogens for Athletics**

Coaches, trainers and anyone who works with student athletes must be able to deal with bloodborne pathogens — disease causing organisms that can be released in the blood of infected athletes upon injury. This video teaches you how to protect your athletes and yourself from HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C. *From Coastal*  
Order #32174                      14 min                      2005

**Price \$225**                      **School Price \$59**

### **Bloodborne Pathogens for School Bus Drivers: The Route to Safety**

It's important to protect the lives of children while transporting them to and from school. This program will help ensure that bus drivers understand Standard Precautions that can prevent the spread of bloodborne diseases. *From Coastal*  
Order #32177                      20 min                      2005

**Price \$225**                      **School Price \$59**

### **Bloodborne Pathogens for School Custodians**

The school custodian has a hazardous job! That's why they must learn to protect themselves from transmission of dangerous bloodborne pathogens through effective cleaning and disposal of potentially infectious material. This program covers: HBV, HCV, HIV; transmission; Exposure Control Plan; reducing the risk of exposure; work practice controls; PPE; housekeeping. *From Coastal*  
Order #32173                      15 min                      2005

**Price \$225**                      **School Price \$59**

### **Dealing With Asthma, Diabetes and Epilepsy in Schools**

This program covers these three common medical conditions and how to help students deal with them. When you are able to treat a student's medical condition as a normal part of life, you encourage them and their fellow students to act this way as well. In turn, students can stop focusing on their medical condition and put their energy towards daily living and creating a bright future. *From Coastal*  
Order #32102                      15 min                      2005

**Price \$225**                      **School Price \$59**

### **Drug and Alcohol Awareness in Schools**

Addiction affects millions of people, including children. This program will teach your staff how to handle and prevent substance abuse in your school. Learn the facts about addiction; reasons and risk factors for drug abuse; commonly abused substances; handling and preventing abuse.  
Order #32542                      20 min                      2008

Adult                      From Coastal  
**Price \$225**                      **School Price \$59**

# Health and Safety

## First Aid for Schools

Teach your faculty and staff basic first aid procedures and specific steps to follow for the most common emergencies. Combined with common sense, these few rules and procedures will get your employees through most injuries and accidents at school. Remaining calm and knowing how to give simple, basic help is key. *From Coastal*

Order #32103 20 min 2002

Adult *From Coastal*  
Price \$225 School Price \$59

## Foodborne Illness Prevention

Most food contamination and food poisoning is caused by poor or improper handling procedures and techniques. This program ensures that your personnel use a systemic food safety program designed to reduce risk of food illness.

Order #32211 16 min 2008

Adult *From Coastal*  
Price \$225 School Price \$59

## H1n1 Flu (Swine Flu): What You Need To Know

There is widespread concern over the risk of exposure to the deadly H1N1 Flu (Swine Flu). The virus has one very important trait that could turn it into a global health emergency: the ability to spread from human to human. Now is not the time to panic, now is the time to prepare. This video discusses what H1N1 Flu is and how it's transmitted; symptoms and treatments; what to do in case of exposure; and how to treat it.

Order #32303 11 min 2009

Adult *From Coastal*  
Price \$195 School Price \$59

## Hazard Communications for Schools: The Right to Know

Paint or paint solvents in art... formaldehyde and other chemicals in science... chemicals used to develop and process film in photography... cleaning supplies used by maintenance staff and custodians... teach your faculty and staff to work safely around common chemicals frequently mistaken as harmless. *From Coastal*

Order #32120 15 min

Price \$225 School Price \$59

## Head Lice In Schools: No Small Matter

Head lice can make schoolchildren and their parents miserable. In addition to the itching and annoyance they cause, head lice also carry a stigma with them, and can cause embarrassment to children and their parents. Every year, thousands of children between the ages of 3 and 11 suffer from head lice.

This video covers the description and transmission of head lice; how they spread; and the treatment and prevention.

Order #32306 12 min 2009

Adult *From Coastal*  
Price \$225 Price \$59

## Infection Control For Schools

Nearly 22 million school days are lost every year due to the common cold alone. Schools can be a breeding ground for infections. This program will keep your school informed about infection control basics. It covers: common and potential risks to hepatitis, MRSA, pink eye, mono; the infection triangle - source, host, route of transmission; types of transmission; standard precautions; and exposure control.

Order #32304 20 min 2008

Adult *From Coastal*  
Price \$225 School Price \$59

## Playground Safety: Making the Grade

This innovative program teaches school personnel how to maintain a playground and supervise the children on it to insure their safety. Make sure kids know how to use equipment and how to handle various playground injuries. *From Coastal*

Order #32178 14 min 2005

Adult *From Coastal*  
Price \$225 School Price \$59

## Resisting the Flu: How to Minimize Your Risk

Narrated by Dr. Eric Weiss, Medical Director of Disaster Planning and Associate Professor, Stanford University School of Medicine. In plain terms, Dr. Weiss lays out a blueprint for employees to follow, keeping them healthy and resisting infection by the H1N1 virus. This practical advice extends to taking care of sick family members in ways that protect the caregiver and stop the spread within employees' households. He also describes clear danger signs that help viewers know the difference between symptoms that are typical--and those that require immediate medical help.

Order #29075 13 min 2009

Adult *From Kantola*  
Price \$129

## Safety Orientation for Schools

School environments pose hazards of their own. This video will help ensure a safer work environment for your staff. It covers Back safety; MSDSs; Ergonomics; Electrical safety; Class A, B, C & D fires; Fire extinguishers; Slips, trips & falls; Hazard communication. *From Coastal*

Order #32121 18 min 2005

Adult *From Coastal*  
Price \$225 School Price \$59

# Health and Safety

## Bus Safety

### **Bus Drivers: Managing Emergencies**

Buses can be sites of crashes, injuries and/or conflicts. In fact, about 20 students are killed every year in bus-related mishaps and many more are injured.

Learn standard procedures and advanced practices to help drivers steer away from danger.

They learn what to do if there is a bus crash; how to handle sick or injured riders; how to deal with distractions such as conflicts, aggression and threats of violence.

Order #32305                      21 min                      2009

Adult                                      From Coastal  
Price \$225                              School Price \$59

### **DEALING WITH YOUNG RIDERS SERIES**

This series will teach drivers how to stop disruptive behaviour and give directives that students will follow.

#### **Communication**

Learn how to send the messages "I care, and I'm in control." Drivers will also learn three verbal techniques for gathering information and calming things down.

Order #32402                      2007

#### **Dealing With Groups**

Learn to understand the group dynamics of children and an effective approach to controlling group behaviour.

Order #32403                      2007

#### **Giving Directives**

Learn about personalizing and other pitfalls and four steps giving directives that students will follow.

Order #32404                      2007

#### **Rules, Rapport & Reason**

This is an introduction to what motivates kids. It covers safety, order, and rights - values that all young students need and building rapport with kids through communication.

Order #32405                      2007

#### **Stopping Disruptive Behavior**

Drivers are taught to understand group dynamics and children and are shown a simple approach to control group behaviour.

Order #32406                      2007

Series Order #32401

Adult                                      From Coastal  
Price \$225 Each                      School Price \$59 Each  
\$850 Series

#### **Defensible Use of Force on the Bus**

Educate your drivers on the legalities and liabilities of using physical force with students. It talks about the rights of self-defence and protection of others; what makes force necessary and reasonable; how to document the use of force; and considering alternatives.

Order #32407                      2007

Adult                                      From Coastal  
Price \$225                              School Price \$59

### **Evacuating the School Bus**

This video demonstrates planning and practicing for evacuating the school bus. It covers: Deciding when and when not to evacuate; Safety and emergency equipment; Developing an evacuation plan; Preparing for and Leading the evacuation drill; Rear and Side door evacuation.

Order #32408                      2007

Adult                                      From Coastal  
Price \$225                              School Price \$59

### **School Bus Brake Systems: Braking Techniques**

Secure the safety of your student and bus drivers by teaching drivers how brakes function and the importance of proper use. It covers: how brakes work; pre-trip inspection tests; good braking practices; response to brake failure.

Order #32409                      2007

Adult                                      From Coastal  
Price \$225                              School Price \$59

### **SCHOOL BUS TRANSPORTATION SERIES**

Both programs discuss: general guidelines for curb-to-curb bus service; the responsibilities of parents, drivers, bus assistants, teachers and school staff; how to help parents and children overcome fears about the bus; 7 basic rules all children need to know to safely ride the bus.

#### **Pre-K Transportation Driver (Ages 0-5)**

This program gives drivers an introduction to transporting preschool children on their school bus.

Order #32185                      2007

#### **Pre-K Transporting Your Child Safely (Parents)**

Parents will gain an understanding of school bus safety and the transportation professionals who ensure the well being of their child.

Order #32186                      2007

Adult                                      From Coastal  
Price \$99 Each                      School Price \$39  
\$159 Series\$

#### **Winter Driving (Updated)**

Take the risk out of winter driving by giving your drivers the training and confidence they need for driving in winter conditions. This program demonstrates: Winter additions to your Pre-Trip Inspection; Extra supplies you should have onboard; Defensive Driving; Ice Driving Techniques for white ice, black ice, snow & melt; Chains & chain installation; Braking, ABS & non-ABS; Controlling a skid.

Order #32188                      2007

Adult                                      From Coastal  
Price \$225                              School Price \$59

# History

## American History

### 20<sup>TH</sup> CENTURY PRESIDENTS SERIES

This series details the history of the US presidents who served during the turbulent 20<sup>th</sup> century. Each program was filmed at different presidential museums and libraries around the country.

#### **Theodore Roosevelt (1901-1909)**

With the assassination of President McKinley, Theodore Roosevelt, 42, at the time, became the youngest president in American history.

Order #46157 2005

#### **William Howard Taft (1909-1913)**

Distinguished jurist, effective administrator, but poor politician, William Howard Taft spent four uncomfortable years in the White House.

Order #46158 2005

#### **Woodrow Wilson (1913-1921)**

Like Roosevelt before him Wilson regarded himself a personal representative of the people, who proclaimed America's entrance into World War I a crusade to make the world "safe for democracy."

Order #46159 2005

#### **Warren G. Harding (1921-1923)**

Warren Harding declared, "America's present need is not heroics, but healing" His detractors called Harding's speeches "an army of pompous phrases moving across the landscape in search of an idea."

Order #46160 2005

#### **Calvin Coolidge (1923-1929)**

At 2:30 am, August 23, while visiting in Vermont, Coolidge received word that he was president. By light of a kerosene lamp, his father administered the oath of office.

Order #46098 2005

#### **Herbert Hoover (1929-1933)**

Son of a blacksmith, Hoover brought to the presidency an unparalleled reputation for public service as an engineer, administrator, and humanitarian.

Order #46161 2005

#### **Franklin D. Roosevelt (1933-1945)**

Assuming the presidency at the depth of the Great Depression, FDR helped the American people regain faith in themselves and brought hope to them when he asserted, "The only thing we have to fear is fear itself."

Order #46162 19 min 2005

#### **Harry S. Truman (1945-1953)**

During his few weeks as Vice President, Harry S. Truman scarcely saw President Roosevelt, but suddenly he was faced with a host of wartime problems when, on April 12, 1945, he became President. He told reporters, "I felt like the moon, the stars, and all the planets had fallen on me."

Order #46163 2005

#### **Dwight D. Eisenhower (1953-1961)**

Bringing to the presidency his prestige as commanding general of the victorious forces in Europe during World War II, Dwight D. Eisenhower obtained the truce in Korea and worked incessantly during his two terms to ease the tensions of the Cold War. (16 min)

Order #46164 16 min 2005

#### **John F. Kennedy (1961-1963)**

On November 22, 1963 – when he was hardly past his first 1,000 days in office – JFK was killed by an assassin as his motorcade wound through Dallas, Texas. JFK was the youngest man elected to the presidency.

Order #46153 16 min 2005

#### **Lyndon B. Johnson (1963 – 1969)**

"A Great Society" for the American people was Lyndon B. Johnson's vision. In his first years in office he obtained passage of one of the most extensive legislative programs in the nation's history - and carried on the rapidly growing struggle to restrain Communist encroachment in Vietnam.

Order #46165 2005

#### **Richard M. Nixon (1969-1974)**

Reconciliation was the first goal set by Nixon. He succeeded in ending American fighting in Vietnam and improving relations with the U.S.S.R. and China. But the Watergate scandal ultimately led to his resignation.

Order #46154 16 min 2005

#### **Gerald R. Ford (1974-1977)**

When Ford took the oath of office, he declared, "I assume the presidency under extraordinary circumstances..." He had been the vice president chosen under the terms of 25th Amendment and was succeeding the first president ever to resign.

Order #46166 2005

#### **Jimmy Carter (1977-1981)**

Carter aspired to make government "competent and compassionate," responsive to the American people and their expectations. His achievements were notable but in an era of rising energy costs, mounting inflation and continuing tensions, it was impossible for his administration to meet these high expectations.

Order #46151 16 min 2005

#### **Ronald Reagan (1981-1989)**

At the end of his two terms, Reagan viewed with satisfaction the achievements of his innovative program known as the Reagan revolution, which aimed to reinvigorate the American people and reduce their reliance on government. (16 min)

Order #46155 16 min 2005

#### **George H.W. Bush (1989-1993)**

Bush brought to the White House a dedication to traditional American values and a determination to make us a "kinder and gentler nation." He pledged to use American strength as "a force for good" but lost his bid for re-election.

Order #46152 16 min 2005

#### **William J. Clinton (1993-2001)**

During the administration of Clinton, the U.S. enjoyed more peace and economic well-being than at any time in its history. He was the first Democratic president since FDR to win a second term in office. (16 min)

Order #46156 16 min 2005

Grades 9-12  
Price \$139 Each

From Landmark Media  
School Price \$39 Each

# History

## Ancient History / Archeology

### THE WRITTEN WORD SERIES

This series investigates the development of ancient writing. Who invented letters, how did they do it, and what was their motivation? The answers to these questions provide a key to understanding the development of civilization itself.

#### Part 1: The Birth of Writing

Takes us to the Sumerian archaeological sites in present day Iran, Iraq, Syria, and elsewhere, to see the influence of cuneiform, the oldest known writing system in the world. It's development brought about a cultural renaissance. And Sumer's rise in the Mesopotamian region. The influence of these Sumerian wedge characters did not end with the fall of Sumer, but also provided a literary foundation for civilizations that followed. Cuneiform influenced Akkadian, Assyrian, Babylonian, and Persian writing, evolving over time from rudimentary pictures to standardized symbols.

Order #46076                      28 min                      2005

#### Part 2: The Endless Challenge

The Endless Challenge focuses on ancient Persia, a vast empire that stretched across western Asia into Europe and Africa. The blending of cultures in ancient Persia left a number of archaeological artifacts that show how prolific writing systems had become. The program centers on how the century-long task deciphering these writing systems produced a greater understanding of ancient Persia and its influences long after, even on Western civilizations.

Order #46077                      28 min                      2005

#### Part 3: The Revolution of Alphabets

Describes dramatic change brought about by the evolution of writing from simple letters to whole alphabetic systems. This program both examines the reasons the alphabets were developed, and traces how the use of alphabets spread around the world, changing the cultures they touched. Letters of a sphinx discovered on the Sinai Peninsula in 1905 reveal how the characters found there were in a very different style from earlier forms of writing and suggest the beginning of an alphabet.

Order #46078                      28 min                      2005

Series Order #46075

Grades 10-12

Price \$225 Each

\$575 Series

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59 Each

## Middle Eastern Studies

### Damascus – Syria, On the Road to Damascus

Depending on your point of view Syria is either a rogue state run by an authoritarian regime or a champion of the Arab cause. But what's not in dispute is that the war in neighbouring Lebanon has drastically altered the balance of power in this region and radicalized opinion in Syria. One of Syria's leading Sunni clerics Sheikh Mohammed Habbash stated that his people are now calling for the creation of a Syrian Hezbollah-style militia to retake the Golan Heights – Syrian territory occupied by Israel since the 1967 war.

Everywhere in Damascus there are portraits of Hafaz and Bashar al Assad the father-son dynasty that's ruled this country with an iron fist for more than 35 years. But now their official portraits have been joined by posters of a bearded Lebanese cleric: Hassan Nasrallah – leader of Lebanon's Hezbollah, self proclaimed victor of a month long war that shattered the myth of Israel's invincibility. The yellow flags of Hezbollah fly everywhere. Now, former Presidential adviser turned regime critic Ayman Abdel Nour, fears the growing power of Islamic extremists who are attempting to exploit the mood.

Order #46109                      22 min                      2007

Grades 10-12

Price \$225

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59

### Hamas Victory

This program investigates the appeal of an officially terrorist organization: both in the isolated, more traditional Islamic Gaza Strip, and in the secularized West Bank. The earlier Palestinian popular support of Yassir Arafat's "Fatah" movement has declined as its corruption and scandals punctuated the failure to achieve peace and prosperity. Beginning with its (ironically) Israeli supported development by the Muslim Brotherhood imported decades ago from Egypt and climaxing in its unanticipated sweep of democratic elections, this emerging force was born of a deep and furious hatred of Israel and its Western supporters. Can the West hope that it will become more pragmatic and recognize the need to negotiate with Israel?

Order #46110                      22 min                      2006

Grades 10-12

Price \$225

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59

# History

## INSIDE ISLAM SERIES

A comprehensive look into this intriguing religion which encompasses 20% of the world's population. Focusing on Islam's history, culture, traditions, customs, ceremonies and the role of women, this series also describes Islam's art and architecture.

### The Koran, The Sound That Calls Allah

This episode profiles the origins and history of Islam by analyzing the teachings of the Koran. The most sacred book in Islam, the Koran serves as a guiding principle and dictates a Muslim's daily life. Among other topics profiled: Jihad, architecture of some important Mosques and selected history of Islam's relationship to Christianity.

Order #46118 48 min 2006

### Blue Islam On The Silk Road

Discover the Silk Road, the iconic trading route between Europe and Asia as it continues its renaissance through the teaching of Allah in Central Asia. Uzbekistan stood at the crossroads of Eastern and Western Civilization and developed into a Muslim Society. Discover the Silk Road's past and follow its majestic history.

Order #46119 48 min 2006

### Winds Of Change And Chador

Islamic societies are generally known for their restrictions on women's rights and freedoms: polygamy, honour killings, the enforcement of wearing the Hijab and Chador. Since all cultural traits are created because of social needs in the region, is it right for outsiders to judge this practice? How do people currently living in the region accept these customs? What do today's Islamic women think of these traditions?

Order #46120 48 min 2006

### Fez, Scent Of Medieval Islam

During the Middle Ages, Fez, once the crown jewel of Moroccan civilization was the core of Islamic Culture and education. Some of the great scientists, mathematicians and mullahs awakened Europe out of the darkness of the middle ages with their discoveries and inventions. Today, Fez is a bustling city with roads so narrow that donkeys are the only method of transportation.

Order #46121 48 min 2006

### Light Of Allah Shining Throughout Europe

In 711 AD the Moroccan Islamic army crossed the Strait of Gibraltar and reached Tarifa, a port at the edge of the European continent, which began a rule of more than 800 years. Those years of Islamic rule left unique traces of its culture in the Andalusia region of Spain. Now, Southern Spain has a complex history having absorbed the influences from not only Islam but from the Romans and Christianity. Cordoba became a symbolic city mixing the various influences and now has a culture unique to Spain.

Order #46122 48 min 2006

Series Order #46117

Grades 9-12

Price \$225 Each

\$895 Series

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59 Each

## MIDDLE EAST SERIES: ANOTHER PERSPECTIVE

The subject of the Middle East is very controversial with varying points of view. These documentaries offer information that might be enlightening to some and contrary to others.

### Holy Land: Christians in Peril

This video addresses the perhaps 200,000 Christians in and around Israel and the West Bank who have spiritual claims in the Holy Land. The 1950 15% Christian segment of Palestinians has fallen to 2%; Nazareth, once 80% percent Christian, is now only 20%. In 2002 armed terrorists pursued by Israeli troops sought sanctuary in one of Christendom's holiest sites, the Church of the Nativity and wrought millions of dollars' worth of desecration and theft.

Order #46086 46 min 2005

### The Silent Exodus

Jews had been living in Arab lands for thousands of years. There were approximately a million Jews living in Arab countries between 1946 and 1974 who had accepted their fate, enduring pogroms and persecutions for hundreds of years. For many, 1948 marked the beginning of their exodus with the birth of the state of Israel. Though they had lost everything, it was in Israel and the West that they were able to rebuild their lives. They asked for no compensation, nor any right to return, nor even wished that their story be told.

Order #46087 54 min 2005

### The Road To Jenin

How does propaganda create myths? Did a massacre at Jenin take place during the tumultuous events of April, 2002? This program interweaves candid Palestinian and Israeli interviews with archival footage to recount in gripping details the key events of the Jenin battle. It documents the action in the Jenin refugee camp in 2002. There were claims that there was a "massacre." Official Palestinian media at first claimed 500, then 700 Palestinians killed and buried in mass graves. The United Nations and other international organizations concluded there were 56 Palestinians killed, 40 of whom were fighters.

Order #46088 54 min 2005

### Hostages of Hatred

This is the story of the fate of Palestinian refugees living under the auspices of UNWRA (the United Nations Relief and Work Agency). While the Arab armies were preparing to invade the newborn state of Israel in 1948 a few hundred thousand Arabs from Palestine were getting ready to flee their homes - some convinced that they would return quickly as winners and conquerors; others fled from fear of the Israelis. They filled up the refugee camps hastily constructed on their Arab brothers' land. Because most of the neighbouring Arab countries refused permission for these refugees to settle permanently, the refugee heritage of those first occupants has been passed on to their children and grandchildren. This program sets out to tell the story of those men, women and children, who have been used as pawns for over 60 years.

Order #46089 50 min 2005

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Order #46080                      45 min                      2005

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The horrors of the death camps are exposed to the world with their liberation by the Allies; the loss in human lives in the forced marches, and in the flight in the east from the Russian steamroller, is enormous. Political maneuvering among the Big Three began in earnest as they sought to segregate Europe's nationalities; the division of Germany into occupied zones is determined, but the fates of other nations are determined by the momentum of the Soviets' drive to the west.

Order #46081                      45 min                      2005

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Millions perished of starvation and other effects of the war. The broken promises and implicit threats between the Big Three created the arena for the confrontation of the two new superpowers as exhausted Britain lost its' pre-eminence. Britain repudiated Churchill's dreams of restored imperial grandeur, and the USSR and the US went in twelve months from being allies to enemies.

Order #46082                      45 min                      2005

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The American embargo of supplies to Japan led that nation to its attack on Pearl Harbor. No hesitation marked the decision to utilize the newly-developed atomic bomb on Japan. Experts deemed that it was the quickest way to get the Japanese to surrender. When the war was won in South East Asia and the Pacific the US utilized British troops to restore order. They in turn used Japanese forces to quell growing calls for nationalism in the region; the combustible mixture which led to the Korean, Vietnam and Cambodian wars was hatched in 1945.

Order #46083                      45 min                      2005

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America was now the richest nation in the world; Britain was victorious, but bankrupt; the Soviet Union had been devastated but ideologically strong and committed to communism. The cooperation of the war years and the hopes of its continuation faded and Europe faced years of extreme hardship. The forces that were to shape international politics for the next fifty years emerged in 1945.

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Why does our body need oxygen, food and water to stay alive? Our body has its own ways to look after itself but we need to look after our body by giving it healthy food, exercise to make our heart and muscles strong, wearing appropriate clothing & protecting our skin from the sun.

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A look at weather and the water cycle leads to the subject of water and civilization. The questions of where we obtain our water leads into a description of sources, especially ground water. How is supply water treated? This program concludes with some major water issues, such as salinity.

Order #46029                      30 min                      2000

Series Order #46025

Grades 7-12

Price \$225 Each

\$795 Series

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59 Each

## Chemistry

### **ATOMS OF FIRE SERIES**

This is an easy to understand basic introduction to modern organic chemistry through demonstrations, graphics, and documentary.

#### **Part 1: The Organic Mystery**

Talks about the origins of organic chemistry, the theory of Vitalism and its collapse; the complexity of organic compounds and basic carbon chains; and the concept of valency and Kekules structural diagrams.

Order #46091                      15 min                      2001

#### **Part 2: A Taste Of Hydrocarbons**

Tells of carbon's place in the periodic table; reveals the logic of the alkane family and alkane isomers; looks at the IUPAC name system and the consolidation of valency; and presents the unique case of benzene.

Order #46092                      15 min                      2001

#### **Part 3: A Bit Of Bonding**

A basic introduction to electrons and the octet rule and the formulae of alcohols, ethers, amines, aldehydes, ketones, carboxylic acids, esters; an explanation of the difference between polar & non-polar bonds and how the attachment of polar groups renders non-polar hydrocarbons non-soluble; how substitute groups create other organic families

Order #46093                      15 min                      2001

#### **Part 4: Improving On Nature**

William Perkin explores carbons tetrahedral bonds and the discovery of chirality. This video looks at the concept of atoms as 3D objects and 3D structural diagrams and models. There is also a brief look at various synthetic organic compounds developed from natural ones.

Order #46094                      15 min                      2001

#### **Part 5: Polymers And Plastics**

Shows how carbons structure allows it to be the backbone for macro molecules, and why starch and not cellulose is digestible by humans. Shows the extreme non-organic case of diamonds and the discovery of nitrocellulose; gives definitions of thermoplastics, thermosets, glass transition temperature; looks at celluloid, bakelite, and nylon.

Order #46095                      15 min                      2001

#### **Part 6: This Petrochemical World**

Refining processes, distillation, cracking and reforming; the huge reliance on petrochemicals for fuels and other compounds from plastics to insecticides; introduction to oil, its origins and products, and octane numbers; problems of the scale of use, Silent Spring & plastic pollution; chemistry as it faces environmental & ethical considerations.

Order #46097                      15 min                      2001

#### **Part 7: Proteins**

How protein is intimately involved in life processes, and how proteins function as hormones; looks at the discovery of amino acids, their family formula, and polymerization of them; looks at peptides, denaturing albumin, and the levels of protein structure; and shows the lock and key model of enzyme action with an introduction to enzymes themselves.

Order #46097                      15 min                      2001

Series Order #46090

Grades 7-12

Price \$225 Each

\$1395 Series

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59 Each

# Science – Secondary

## The Environment / Ecology

### THE FUTURE OF WATER SERIES

The future of humankind will be shaped by the element of water and this struggle for control will establish the balance between peace and war. Climate change will also greatly affect water resources in the future. In the next decades huge water projects will radically change the face of the Earth. The future of water is a highly important global issue, which threatens the security of the entire planet. Join Dr. Terje Tvedt on a global journey through 25 countries as he meets with world leaders and water experts to discuss and examine the future of water and the economic, political, and social consequences that its possession & power produces.

#### Part 1: The Waterlords

Management of the world's fresh water supply will determine global political stability and economic development. Many countries will experience internal conflicts over rights to water. There is enough water for everyone in the world, however, the question is who should pay for it, how much it should cost, and who should receive it. For the first time in history, most of the world's population lives in cities, and supplying these cities with sufficient water will be a difficult task that has the potential to cause many social conflicts. This struggle for control of water has led to riots in many areas of the world including South Africa and Spain where water-rich regions hold power over water deficient regions.

Order #46191                      52 min                      2008

#### Part 2: The New Uncertainty

We live in an age of climatic uncertainty and the future of the world's water supply will dominate political life and have enormous consequences for economies and cultures. Travel to Mali where lakes form and dry up each year and see how they confront the ever changing climatic conditions. Droughts or floods can be fatal to millions of people around the world in poor countries. Uncertainty with water conditions will also pose new challenges to the world's most advanced societies. These challenges will affect international relations, migration patterns, and democratic systems all over the world. World renowned glaciologists speak about the drastic changes that are occurring in Asia and Europe due to glacier melting.

Order #46192                      52 min                      2008

#### Part 3: The Water Age

The uncertainty of climate change and the increasing need for water is bringing a renaissance of large new water transfer methods. Throughout history, transferring water has been vital to building civilizations. Travel to the Sahara desert and learn how Egypt's leaders envision creating huge towns and large areas of cultivated land by pumping in water from an artificial Nile lake to irrigate the desert. Examine Russia's plan to build canals for water transport to several countries in central Asia. Travel to South America where a complex hydrological system guarantees Brazil and Argentina a sure source of water for the future. Scientists are studying ways to locate underground water deposits and transport this water to populated areas that lack water.

Order #46193                      52 min                      2008

Grades 9-12                      From Landmark Media  
Price \$225 Each                      School Price \$59

### Climate Change – Classroom Video Issues

Scientific evidence clearly shows that global temperatures are rising, and weather patterns are changing. Evidence is also clear that climatic changes – including extreme changes – have been present on our planet for millions of years. While this scientific evidence is widely accepted, some are sceptical about the degree of human responsibility for our changing climate, arguing that there is no need to change our energy use to the detriment of the economy. This program poses questions surrounding climate change. It presents expert opinions, statistics and historical references presenting two sides of the story.

Order #15545                      17 min                      2008

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group  
Price \$95

### Climate Change – Our Responsibility

This video establishes the importance of the greenhouse effect for life on Earth and then presents a balanced argument to assess whether or not anthropogenic climate change (global warming) is in fact taking place. Arguments are presented on both sides of the debate and illustrations given covering both more economically developed countries and less economically developed ones, with impacts & responses fully explored.

Order #15546                      25 min                      2008

Grades 10-12                      From VEA Group  
Price \$95

### Global Warming In the Arctic: The Melting Of Svalbard

Incredible amounts of ice are melting in the Arctic and the warmer temperatures have made it possible to sail all the way around Svalbard, the northern most civilization in the world. These Arctic islands are the best place to see what happens to nature when global warming spreads. A camera man has taken a Russian expedition ship to several places around the islands. Completely alone on these harsh coasts, he experiences first hand the consequences of global warming on the Arctic environment. We come close to polar bears that are starving as they have no hunting grounds due to the fast melting ice. We also meet the walrus, polar foxes and many birds, all of whom are feeling the affects of climate change. (28 min)

Order #46116                      28 min                      2007

Grade 9-12                      From Landmark Media  
Price \$225                      School Price \$59

### On Thin Ice

The ice on the Arctic Ocean continues to melt at an alarming rate. This video focuses on the life of the ice-dependent seals, one of the key species in the Arctic and one of the first to suffer as the icy platforms for which they rely, melts away beneath them. Without the ice, a seal's existence is threatened as it has no place give birth or rest. The polar bear also spends most of its life on the ice and as hunting grounds deteriorate, must roam greater distances in search of seal pups, its main source of food. We visit Svalbard, an archipelago lying in the Arctic Ocean, midway between Norway and the North Pole and explore a world in danger of disappearing. Climatologists predict if environmental toxins continue to be released at the present rate, all of the ice in the Arctic could be gone by 2050. (25 min)

Order #46230                      25 min                      2007

Grade 9-12                      From Landmark Media  
Price \$225                      School Price \$59

# Science – Secondary

## Geology

### POWER PLAY SERIES

With contributions from leading scientists, politicians, industrialists, and energy experts around the world, this series examines every aspect of the Energy game. Belatedly, we have come to realize that the excessive use of fossil fuels may be taking the world to the brink of catastrophe. If global warming is real, then the threat it poses is increasing daily.

#### Choking in the Fast Lane

Traces the development of oil as the primary commodity of our day, from the crude oil and kerosene of the 1800s through the automotive revolution and the enormous energy demands of today's military. The 21st century finds oil the power of nations and its power all-pervasive. The western world teeters on the brink of a new geopolitical energy race; what are the political, social, and ecological implications?

Order #46072                      52 min                      2004

#### Energy

Global temperatures slowly but surely rise; the polar ice caps melt, the oceans surge over the lowlands of the world, and the heightened inadequacy of world food supply and production leave millions starving and more vulnerable to diseases. Is humanity responsible for this ecological nightmare? Is it too late to avert the suicide of our species?

Order #46073                      52 min                      2004

#### Fossil Fuel

Our fossil fuel addiction is no longer healthy; the implications for planet earth are nightmarish, but the replacement of fossil fuels may mean a golden opportunity. Transitional cars may run on hydrogen; solar, wind, hydroelectric & coal-driven sources of power will help reduce the catastrophic greenhouse effect and ease the stranglehold of the oil-producing countries.

Order #46074                      52 min                      2004

Series Order #46071

Grades 10 –12

Price \$225 Each

\$625 Series

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59 Each

### OUR EARTH SERIES

Presented by young scientists, this 7 part series looks at the science of geology: the history of earth and life in rocks. Geology as a science is recent, beginning in the 18<sup>th</sup> century, but its heritage is prehistoric.

#### Part 1: How Old Is It?

Geology as science began with the Industrial Revolution in England. Rock strata were studied and compared and a conclusion was drawn: Our Earth is unbelievably old.

Order #46031                      15 min                      2004

#### Part 2: Fossils

A fossil is a trace of a living thing left in rock. Fossils offer a challenge: first to reconstruct the organism itself, then to reconstruct the world lived in, then to understand its place in time and evolution.

Order #46032                      15 min                      2004

#### Part 3: The Fires Below

Whatever is inside the earth is very hot. The trail of clues leads to the model of a metallic core surrounded by a rocky mantle. Huge, slow convection currents rise up, often resulting in earthquakes and volcanoes.

Order #46033                      15 min                      2004

#### Part 4: Pushing and Shoving

Volcanoes and earthquakes are part of a bigger picture. Tectonic forces push continents around and cause mountains to be uplifted; the crust recycles itself and lighter rocks float on the heavier rocks of the mantle.

Order #46034                      15 min                      2004

#### Part 5: Wear and Tear

The forces of sun, wind and water have also changed the face of the earth. Weathering and erosion are driven by gravity, flattening the landscape. They create soil. Deposition starts the process of forming sedimentary rock.

Order #46035                      15 min                      2004

#### Part 6: Rock Recipes

Rocks are complicated collections of mineral particles. Four silicate mineral groups make up 90% of the crystal rocks: mafic minerals, quartzes, feldspars, micas. There are three basic varieties of rocks: igneous, sedimentary, and metamorphic. These are the ingredients of the rock cycle.

Order #46036                      15 min                      2004

#### Part 7: Who Needs Geology?

Almost all our energy is derived from the ground, yet minerals and petroleum products are only the start. Every culture has wondered about the origin and nature of the earth and geology offers rich and cautionary explanations.

Order #46037                      15 min                      2004

Series Order #46030

Grades 7-12

Price \$225 Each

\$1425 Series

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59 Each

# Science – Secondary

## Physics

### **EINSTEIN'S JOURNEY TO THE COSMOS SERIES**

Theoretical physicist Albert Einstein is almost universally considered one of the greatest thinkers of modern times. Yet few really understand the ideas and applications of his theory of relativity and other important works. Perhaps fewer still realize how important his research is to astrophysicists today. This documentary series explores the development of his theories on time, space, and gravity and presents his theories and its applications in a down-to-earth way that will make the viewer appreciate the Universe and what it holds.

#### **Part 1: A Theory for the Universe**

We learn about what went into the development of Einstein's theory of relativity, a new direction in science that forever changed the way we see the cosmos and all that's in it. Through careful explanation, the viewer learns how Einstein's theories shaped what we know today about the nature of light, the Big Bang, the space-time continuum, and how it all shapes the cosmos.

Order #46114                      50 min                      2006

#### **Part 2: Contemplating Black Holes**

Einstein's theories are directly applied to these ominous entities lurking somewhere in the universe. Not only does this installment explore what black holes are and what kind of research on them is being done today, but it also delves into how Einstein's theories led to their discovery at least on paper.

Order #46115                      50 min                      2006

Series Order #46113

Grades 10-12

Price \$225 Each

\$395 Series

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59 Each

## Space

### **SPACE EXPLORATION SERIES**

Experience the drama and discovery of space exploration and challenge your perception of Mars, Saturn and Titan. A team of award-winning science journalists report on stories highlighting science breakthroughs and investigating their implications, ethics and politics behind them. The series also provides a profile on scientists at work in the field.

#### **Planet of the Rings**

Girdled by its mighty rings, Saturn is the most recognizable yet least understood of the planets. Seven years after leaving Earth, Cassini, the most sophisticated planetary explorer ever built, arrives at Saturn for a four-year orbital mission. The fate of the entire \$3.5 billion expedition depends upon Mission Control being able to thread an unmanned spacecraft, traveling at 80,000 kilometres per hour, through a gap in the rings of Saturn without hitting even a speck of debris.

Order #46039                      28 min                      2006

#### **Descent to Titan**

This is the gripping story of the Huygens probe's journey to Titan, Saturn's enigmatic moon. The final phase of its epic trip begins with a Christmas Day separation from the Cassini spacecraft. For three weeks the probe closes in on Titan's brooding orange cloud tops. Never before had anyone attempted to land a spacecraft on such a distant world and the tension mounts as the final dramatic moments of Huygen's descent begins. Would the probe's data and images reveal Titan's many secrets?

Order #46040                      28 min                      2006

#### **The High Frontier**

Outer space is a booming \$50 billion a year industry and growing. Few of us give a thought to the myriad satellites bobbing around thousands of miles above our heads. But watch TV, the internet, weather forecasts, international phone calls and stock market trades. As space becomes increasingly commercialized and militarized, are we allowing the dangers to outweigh the potential benefits?

Order #46041                      45 min                      2006

#### **Voyage to the Sea of Mars**

Planet earth has launched an all out scientific assault on Mars. On the frontline, two NASA rovers began crawling across the surface of Mars, a planet once thought to be frozen and sterile. High above, Europe's Mars Express gazed down from orbit with a roving eye and an arsenal of high tech detectors. All three were scouting for evidence of one simple earthly ingredient - water. Find proof that water had once flowed across the dusty Red Planet, and the hunt for Martians - dead or alive - could begin in earnest.

Order #46042                      28 min                      2006

Series Order #46038

Grades 10-12

Price \$245 Each

\$875 Series

From Landmark Media

School Price \$59 Each

# Social Studies / Social Studies

## FIGHT FOR OIL SERIES

The discovery of oil in the Middle East sparked worldwide interest for its acquisition and control. Over the past 100 years, struggles for power and wealth have kept the Middle East at the center of world conflict. This series chronicles the 100 year period since the discovery of oil. It profiles the rise and fall of British rule in the region, the Soviet's "power politics", imperialism and other issues which have dominated the demand for control of the world's oil supply from its discovery through today. It also profiles how oil was first cultivated and the social and political impacts not only for the Middle East; but the rest of the world too. Learn the tremendous power that comes with possession of oil.

### Part 1

Chronicles the discovery of oil in Persia in 1908; the tumultuous claims placed on Middle East territories and conclude with the British being sent home from Iran in the 1950s. This episode explores the sphere of interest, power politics, oil's role in both World Wars, American influence, the Saudi empire, the exile of Britain, and the Shah's rise to power and the start of turmoil between the nations of the Middle East.

Order #46231 52 min 2007

### Part 2

Profiles the history of Middle East oil beginning in the early 1970's. It chronicles the oil embargo and the resulting rise in import prices as foreign leaders attempt to negotiate. Tensions in the Middle East begin to heighten as conflicting groups become more violent with each other and foreign powers. Assassinations, hostage situations and torture are tearing the region apart. American female soldiers fighting in the Gulf War sparks interests in women's rights in Saudi Arabia. Fundamentalist groups react to this and become even more oppressive and aggressive.

Order #46232 52 min 2007

### Part 3

Profiles the after effects of the second gulf war. Iraq, which once played a major role in the Middle East oil trade, is struggling to gain stability. Exemplifying this is the city of Kirkuk, one of the two largest oil regions in the country, where oil brought destruction and discrimination against the Kurds. In Iran, controversy surrounds the Sunni and Shiite's and the struggle for everyday life. This episode also shows the disparity between north and south Tehran and the south's disappointment with failed promises by president Ahmadinijhad. In stark contrast lies Kuwait and Saudi Arabia where modernization is far beyond that of Iran and Iraq.

Order #46233 52 min 2007

Grades 9-12, Post Sec

From Landmark Media

Price \$225 Each

School Price \$59 Each

\$595 Series

## Mum, I'm A Muslim

Journey through the world of Islamic converts to discover what it's really like for a white British woman to become a Muslim. Amena is a feisty Yorkshire woman living in Sheffield and married to a Yemani with two young sons. Through Amena we meet Amy, a young Welsh student who has recently converted and feels it's time to tell her parents. Jan joined the Sufis, a branch of Islam which enjoys a more liberal interpretation of the Qu'ran. This program looks at issues facing women as they adopt an Islamic way of life.

Order #46228 49 min 2007

Grades 9-12, Post Sec

From Landmark Media

Price \$225

School Price \$59

## Rachel's Story

This extraordinary and highly acclaimed film tells the story of Rachel Whitear, told by her mother, father, sister and a close friend. The film is a very honest portrayal of how drug misuse can have far reaching consequences for both the drug user and their close family and friends.

Order #46112 22 min 2006

Grades 9-12

From Landmark Media

Price \$225

School Price \$59

## Refugee Like Me

They are ordinary people. And they have come from disparate corners of the globe, seeking an elemental need – the need to be safe, the need to feel safe. Their exodus from their homeland is the most painful journey they will ever undertake. If they have made a choice, it is simply the choice to live.

Order #46111 50 min 2007

Grades 10-12

From Landmark Media

Price \$225

School Price \$59

## Say Goodbye To Granddad's Retirement

This documentary serves as a history lesson of how and why the notion of retirement began and why it will be difficult, if not impossible, for young people to retire like Granddad. Things have changed drastically since Granddad's day of working for the same company for 30 years and retiring on that magical day. It challenges young people to seize the many opportunities that lie ahead – opportunities Granddad could have only imagined!

Order #46229 60 min 2008

Grades 10-12

From Landmark Media

Price \$225

School Price \$59

## This Is Family

This fascinating and sometimes shocking documentary profiles the diversity of gay and transgender households in America today. With the aspirations and diverse ways of life for gay and alternative households changing so quickly, is society adapting fast enough to keep up with them? Each section of this video profiles different scenarios and cultures and shows how alternative lifestyles have lead to acceptable and happy lives.

Order #46239 55 min 2009

Grades 10-12

From Landmark Media

Price \$225

School Price \$59

## Truth, Lies, And Intelligence

This documentary outlines the intelligence fraud and the devastating chain of events culminating in the invasion of Iraq led by America, Australia and Britain, chronicling the inside journey from 9/11 to the bombing of Baghdad. After scores of interviews with senior intelligence analysts, Iraqi refugees, Arab leaders, insurgent bombers and ordinary citizens - can there only be one conclusion? That the devastating chain of events culminating in the invasion, conquest and occupation of Iraq was a war based on a litany of lies and intelligence fraud.

Order #46226 52 min 2007

Grades 10-12

From Landmark Media

Price \$225

School Price \$59

# Social Issues / Social Studies

## Culture & People

### ASIAN FOOD AND CULTURE SERIES

The study of Asian cuisine has rapidly become one of the last sources to look into the traditions of the region.

#### A Taste Of Turkey

Turkey is home to two of the world's favourite foods, yogurt and kebab. Turkey's culture has a long and diverse history dating back to the Ottoman Empire and has been enhanced by the foods of different people and regions. The dishes found in the city of Sultans-Istanbul-are considered one of the world's great cuisines along with French and Chinese. This episode introduces us to the essence of this marvelous food culture.

Order #46145                      30 min                      2007

#### Food in the Muslim World

Asia is home to the world's four major religions; one of them, Islam. United in their worship of Allah, we learn of another way they are united; Food which embodies Islam. From the desserts of Iran to Bhiriyani of India, and Indonesia, we see a variety of Muslim cuisines throughout Asia.

Order #46148                      45 min                      2007

#### Spicy Hot Chilies

There are taste buds for sweet, sour, salty, and bitter flavours, but none for spicy-hot. Those are developed over time. What is it behind that spicy hotness that Asians love so much in their food? This program profiles everything spicy; from the burning flavours of northern Thailand to Japan's sinus-shocking wasabi, the strong spices of India, and the pleasurable hotness of Sichuan food.

Order #46146                      45 min                      2007

#### The Royal Repast

The special dishes that once graced the tables of royalty are still found throughout Asia today. They range from the aromatic flavours enjoyed by the sultans of Persia to the splendidous cuisine of the Thai Royal court. The aesthetics of the cuisine in the Kingdom of the Ryukyu Islands (today part of Japan) and the imperial repasts of China are also visited.

Order #46147                      45 min                      2007

#### Noodle Paradise

Noodles are more than just a staple for the 3.7 billion Asians who consume them. With over 6,000 years of history, Chinese noodles remain a continental delight. Explore the wide variety of handmade noodles and the dishes they accompany in restaurants throughout Korea, Japan and China.

Order #46149                      52 min                      2007

Series Order #46150 From Landmark Media

Price Each \$225                      School Price \$59 Each

### FEAST INDIA SERIES

This series presents an odyssey through Indian culture, religion and cuisine by journeying through India to encounter its divergent lifestyles.

#### Part 1: Desert Celebration

Ghanereo is in the greenbelt of central Rajasthan, its multi-hued market the setting for a wedding ceremony lasting several days. In Jaisalmer find buildings decorated with the most intricate of carvings and balladeers perform in the streets. Sacred Pushkar is surrounded by deserts and mountains, attracting millions on holy pilgrimage.

Order #46100                      22 min                      2006

#### Part 2: Village Life

Jodhpur is the second largest city of Rajasthan, its red fort and blue washed houses described by Kipling as "...the creation of angels, fairies, and spirits." A Bishnoi village derives from once-native Buddhism; nothing alive many be eaten or used.

Order #46101                      22 min                      200

#### Part 3: Old Delhi

One of the world's oldest spice markets, Delhi has been rebuilt by Parthians, Moguls, British. The Muslim capital for more than 200 years, its red sandstone mosque is a centre for India's 120 million Muslims; the Hindi temples pay homage to a pantheon of 330 million gods.

Order #46102                      22 min                      2006

#### Part 4: Land of Coconuts

A fertile area set between mountains and sea, Kerala is home to 32 million people. Colonized by Portuguese, Dutch, and English, its people practice Hinduism, Islam, Judaism, and Christianity. Kochi, known as the "Queen of the Arabian Sea," is a centre of trade for spices and nuts.

Order #46103                      22 min                      2006

#### Part 5: The Spice Mountain

More than fifty types of spices grow in the Western Ghats, the "spice bowl of India." It is also the most important watershed for the subcontinent and a unique ecological preserve. The Malabar Coast supports black pepper and cardamom plantations; there are daily spice auctions where buyers and sellers converge in a display of commerce.

Order #46104                      22 min                      2006

#### Part 6: City of Dreams – Mumbai

A local Hindu deity was Mumbai-Ai; it was from that name that the better-known name of Bombay derives. Set on 7 swampy islands, its unwilling possession was passed by the Portuguese to Charles II of England as a dubious dowry; his government passed ownership to the East India Company. Today the city boasts 17 million inhabitants.

Order #46105                      22 min                      2006

#### Part 7: Diwali

Diwali is the 5-day "festival of lights" occurring in October and November. Based on the lunar cycle, Diwali lights up moonless nights with fireworks to symbolize the triumph of good over evil.

Order #46106                      22 min                      2006

#### Part 8: Indian Offerings

English Chef Barry Vera has taken inspiration from the people and food of India and prepared a selection of simple Indian snacks and dishes.

Order #40107                      22 min                      2006

Grades 7-12  
Price \$225 Each

From Landmark Media  
School Price \$59 Each

# Teacher Education

## TEACHING & LEARNING SERIES

Designed for teachers, staff and educators of young children, these programs provide practical examples and scenarios to ensure best practice in K-6 school level teaching and learning.

### Teaching Literacy

Learning to read and write can be fun! Students can be motivated to learn through creative programs and word games that students enjoy. This program demonstrates shared reading, guided reading, and uses "Learning Centres" to make the learning focus clear through rephrasing, reinforcement and summarizing. It encourages students to predict, reflect, discuss and support each other.

Order #24222                      22 min                      2009

### Teaching Numeracy

This program shows how to encourage students to learn and develop their numeracy skills through fun and challenging activities. Activities are designed with a clear purpose, helping students to explore and think for themselves, share strategies, and gain understanding. Time to practice and discuss enables students to learn from each other and share their experiences.

Order #24223                      16 min                      2009

### Peer Mediation

Four young primary school students are encountering problems in the schoolyard. Peer mediators are assigned to help sort out their issues – without teacher involvement – by listening, understanding and empowering them to agree on a solution. Peer mediation is an effective initiative to enable intervention with minor issues and prevent them from becoming major problems and learning distractions. Older students are trained and empowered to mediate their younger peers and make them feel comfortable to talk about their problems. By listening and understanding, they can guide young students to agree on solutions and manage future problems.

Order #24225                      15 min                      2009

### Effective Schools

Effective schools develop strategies to ensure learning is the key focus and the school is a friendly place. They use open communication and focus groups to engage students, staff and parents in the planning process, to review and develop ideas for improvement. Effective schools have practical strategies for managing bullying and difficult students. Peer mediation is an innovative way to develop student leaders, and to help students manage conflict, build confidence and develop negotiation skills.

Order #24226                      15 min                      2009

Series Order #24221

Adult

Price \$225 Each

\$695 Series

From 7 Dimensions

School Price \$59 Each

## Counselling – A Guide For Teachers

This program is designed to assist teachers in understanding the process of counselling in secondary schools. It begins with a definition of counselling and then goes on to explain the counselling process followed by a basic description of the variety of skills a counsellor needs in order to work effectively with a young person. The video is also designed to assist teachers in understanding the process of adolescence itself and those developmental tasks that the young person will inevitably need to successfully negotiate during his or her high school years. The program discusses the issue of suicide prevention and mental health promotion generally as there are many proactive approaches schools can take to promote good mental health.

Order #15547                      30 min                      2008

Adult

Price \$95

From VEA Group

## E-Learning in Education

This program is about encouraging and inspiring teachers to incorporate e-learning as an integral part of the curriculum. It looks at a revolution in youth communication, the implications of the revolution for education: multiliteracies – what are they?; recent developments such as podcasts, vodcasts, mobileis, PDA's, blogs and online learning; and the way forward. An integral tool for teachers.

Order #15548                      21 min                      2008

Adult

Price \$95

From VEA Group

## Sexual Harassment In Schools: Your Rights & Responsibilities

Sexual harassment is more prevalent in educational institutions than you might think. Staff to staff, student to staff, staff to student and student to student are all common scenarios. Comply with the law, protect your staff and keep students safe from harassment with this program. It discusses what sexual harassment is; common sexual harassment scenarios; reporting sexual harassment; procedures for preventing sexual harassment; and how to respond to sexual harassment reports and grievance procedures.

Order #32300                      19 min                      2009

Adult

Price \$225

From Coastal

School Price \$59

# Tourism

## Competitive Marketing in Tourism

The marketing and management of a destination is increasingly becoming extremely competitive worldwide. Some destinations are more successful in terms of attracting tourism visitation and expenditure, than others.

Obviously some destinations are blessed with attractive natural endowments, however given effective management and marketing strategies, a destination lacking in these features may also become competitive. Adopting a market orientation enables a destination to better meet the needs of the potential tourist and adapt accordingly to the dynamic nature of the tourism industry.

Order #15535                      26 min                      2009

Grades 9-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

## Exploring Pathways in Hospitality and Tourism

Apprenticeships and traineeships combine work and structured training. Traineeships have many features in common with apprenticeships, although traineeships usually last only one to two years instead of three to four years. This program covers the skills and attitudes generally expected of an apprentice or trainee and illustrates four specific examples.

Order #15536                      27 min                      2008

Grades 9-12                      From VEA Group

**Price \$95**

## Tourism Planning and Development

The development of tourism can have massive environmental, social and economic impacts. To be successful and sustainable, extensive planning is needed. In this program we examine the careful co-operation and co-ordination between both the public and private sectors, and the involvement of the local community, which is required to achieve a successful and enduring development.

Order #15537                      23 min                      2007

Grades 9-12                      From VEA Group

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## Upselling Products and Services in Tourism

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