



November Highlights for Discovery Education

Timely & Relevant Resources

Find timely resources for all grade levels for each of these celebrations in their channels. Sign in to DE and select the link to explore.



Monthly Celebrations

- [National Native American Heritage Month](#)

Timely Celebrations

- [Children's Book Week \(11/6-11/12\)](#): See children's picture books come to life with Weston Woods during Children's Book Week which begins on November 6th.
- [Geography Awareness Week \(11/13-11/17\)](#): Celebrate Geography Awareness Week by sharing the majesty and diversity of the American landscape, from the Great Salt Lake to the beauty of Yellowstone National Park to the wilderness of the Badlands.
- [National STEM Day \(11/8\)](#): Find lesson plans and self-paced modules rooted in STEM principles, as well as counselor and family resources which explore career options and provide a school-to-home connection.
- [Veteran's Day \(11/11\)](#): Salute all who served in the military this Veterans Day! Veterans Day provides citizens with a chance to reflect on how war and conflict has shaped our country and a space honor those who have fought for freedom.
- [Thanksgiving \(11/23\)](#): Give thanks on this annual holiday that started as a day of gratitude for the harvest bounty. Consider the history and tradition of Thanksgiving and browse through resources that highlight the evolving values, customs, and new interpretations of this holiday in modern times.



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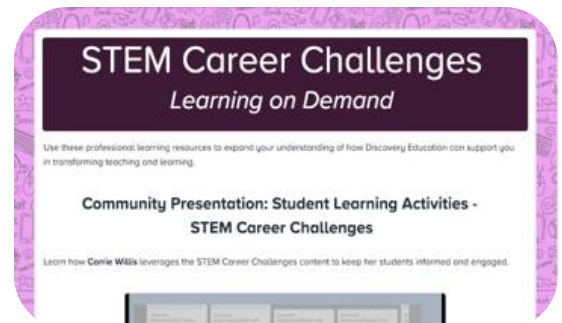


Ready-To-Use Activities

Explore ready-to-use activities to use this month that provide students with opportunities to explore their curiosity around a variety of topics in our [Instructional Activities Channel](#).

PL Resource of the Month: [STEM Career Challenges](#)

Learn how Carrie Willis leverages the STEM Career Challenges content to keep her students informed and engaged. Use this professional learning resource to expand your understanding of how Discovery Education can support you in transforming teaching and learning.

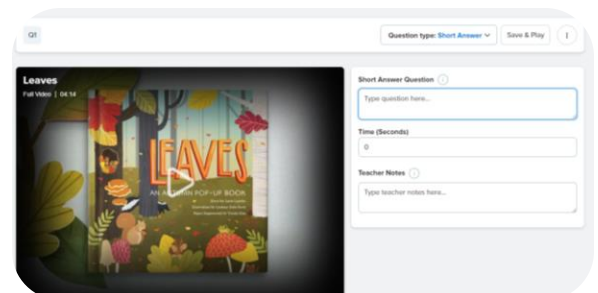


Strategy of the Month: [Get Your Thinking Hat On](#)

Put on those hats! The SOS Instructional Strategy, Get Your Thinking Hat On, highlights a teaching method in which students are split into six groups, each with its own perspective. They will then summarize a video clip from the group's perspective. View all strategies in the [SOS Channel](#)!

Feature of the Month: [Share Quizzes](#)

Did you create a video or standard quiz and want to share it with others in your grade or subject area? You can now share it via a link to anyone for them to use with their students!





Subject & Grade Level Specific Content

Elementary: PreK - 2

- [Literacy: Vooks](#) – Enjoy this collection with storybooks brought to life through animation and voice narration. From space adventures to courageous changemakers, holiday tales to counting songs, discover a whole new way of reading and ignite students' curiosity.
- [Math: Cha-Ching Money Smart Kids](#) – Go beyond counting coins with these fun and engaging videos and activities that introduce concepts of finance to younger students.
- [Science: Sid, the Science Kid](#) – Meet, Sid, an inquisitive student who uses scientific principles to help satisfy his curiosity about the world around him.
- [Social Studies: Liberty's Kids](#) – Travel back in time to witness and discover the birth of democracy in America through the eyes of James and Sarah, two teenage apprentices who worked in Benjamin Franklin's print shop.
- [Health & Wellness: Healthy Decisions](#) – This channel provides grade-banded instructional materials and classroom resources to support students in developing healthy decision-making skills around such topics as alcohol and drugs, mental health and wellness, nutrition, and physical activity.

Elementary: 3 – 5

- [Literacy: Maya and Miguel](#) – Immerse students into these colorful, language-filled adventures which promote the value of a culturally diverse society. Maya and Miguel demonstrate the importance of doing good for family and community.
- [Math: Math in Context](#) – Help students investigate the context in which math is used. From sports, to medicine, to music – math is all around us in everyday life.
- [Science: Interactives](#) – Ignite curiosity with this collection of science interactives. Grow a virtual garden, examine energy transfer during a roller coaster ride, simulate the formation of the solar system, discover what daisies and frogs have in common, and so much more.
- [Social Studies: Time Warp Trio](#) – Watch what happens when three 10-year old city kids get their hands on a magic book that can send them anywhere in time or space. Each episode is based on real history and offers up a quirky, interesting fact!
- [Health & Wellness: Amazing Me by Dove Self-Esteem Project](#) – This channel provides standards-aligned, easy-to-use resources for educators and families to build life-long confidence and self-esteem in their students.



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Secondary: 6 – 8

- [Literacy: Poetry](#) – Learn about groundbreaking poets from history and about how everyone can use poetry to convey feelings and enrich their lives.
- [Math: Interactives](#) – Engage in real-world math problems with this collection. Customize race cars using expressions, defend yourself from an army of skeletons using absolute values, find ancient artifacts by exploring a coordinate plane, and more.
- [Science: Coyote Peterson Wilderness Productions](#) – Now more than ever it is important to shine light on some of the most amazing and at-risk species on the planet and how we can all be better advocates of our environment and its inhabitants.
- [Social Studies: Places and Regions](#) – Map the world's regions. Explore resources about various regions of the world and how we define them.
- [Health & Wellness: Child Mind Institute](#) – Explore four series dedicated to stamping out stigma around mental illness and learning differences.

Secondary: 9 – 12

- [Literacy: Audiobooks](#) – Spark student's imagination and explore the full collection of from classic children's stories and fairy tales, to science fiction and famous poetry, to modern young adult favorites.
- [Math: Functions, Equations, and Relations](#) – Write and interpret equations, relations, and functions, all of which demonstrate relationships among numbers or numerical expressions.
- [Science: Mythbusters](#) – This series inspires a generation to inquire, interact, and get involved with science. Each episode is dedicated to fostering excitement and curiosity in students.
- [Social Studies: News and Current Events](#) – Follow emerging stories from around the globe and consider in-depth features on politics, conflicts, sports, the environment, health, technology, and more.
- [Health & Wellness: Discover Your Happy](#) – Explore science-based tools for educators, students, and parents to show how happiness can be achieved through learnable skills and practices.



New & On-Demand Events for November



[Arctic Adventures: Polar Bears at Play](#) Grades K-8 | November 2, 1 PM ET

See how polar bears learn through play – just like us! – and explore how innovative technology supports arctic animals and our planet. Register your class today to join LEGO, Polar Bears International, and Discovery Education for the live premiere!



[Extended Reality: Bridge to the Future](#) Grades 6-12 | November 9, 1 PM ET

Transport students to the possibilities of the immersive world while they virtually visit the Verizon Innovation Lab in Boston, Massachusetts to discover how Extended Reality (XR) reimagines how we can connect and interact. Students will explore the differences between Virtual Reality (VR), Augmented Reality (AR), and Mixed Reality (MR), and learn how XR is helping to revolutionize on-the-job training, gaming, entertainment, manufacturing, and more.



[The Science & Behavior of Safe Driving: It Takes All of Us](#)

Grades 6-12 | On-Demand

Take students behind the scenes of the automotive industry to discover the exciting careers and problem-solvers at Honda powering a safer future for our world. Students will be transported to Honda's one-of-a-kind Auto Development Center and Driving Simulator Laboratory to explore how Honda is innovating the future of safety and discover their role is in creating a collision free future for everyone.