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New Financial Literacy Accelerated Math Libraries Prepare Students for “Real World” Math

September 1, 2010, Wisconsin Rapids, WI – Renaissance Learning, Inc. today announced the release of two Accelerated Math Financial Literacy Libraries.

The Accelerated Math Financial Literacy Libraries were developed to provide the practice and support needed for students to learn and be confident with math-based financial literacy skills.

“Schools today realize the importance of teaching students to be financially literate and capable of good financial management, and proficient in the math skills related to making basic financial decisions,” said Glenn James, Renaissance Learning CEO. “Through these libraries, the real-world applied mathematics problems enable students to learn financial literacy skills while practicing prerequisite math skills.”

The libraries cover the topics of income, budgeting and cost management, savings and investing, and credit and debt management. Financial Literacy Math Library 1 is primarily targeted toward middle-school students, while the Financial Literacy Math Library 2 is targeted toward high-school students. Each library’s objective includes at least one Worked Example, and financial terms have been included into the online math glossary, both of which may be accessed through Renaissance Home Connect.

The Accelerated Math Financial Literacy Libraries are available now, and are \$1,499 for both libraries for customers using Accelerated Math Renaissance Place. Customers using Accelerated Math Enterprise will automatically receive these libraries at no additional cost. For more information about the new Accelerated Math Second-Edition Libraries, visit www.renlearn.com/am or call (800) 338-4204.

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Renaissance Learning, Inc. is the world’s leading provider of computer-based assessment technology for pre-K–12 schools. Adopted by more than 72,000 schools, Renaissance Learning’s tools provide daily formative assessment and periodic progress-monitoring technology to enhance core curriculum, support differentiated instruction, and personalize practice in reading, writing and math. Renaissance Learning products help educators make the practice component of their existing curriculum more effective by providing tools to personalize practice and easily manage the daily activities for students of all levels. As a result, teachers using Renaissance Learning products accelerate learning, get more satisfaction from teaching, and help students achieve higher test scores on state and national tests. Renaissance Learning has seven U.S. locations and subsidiaries in Canada and the United Kingdom.