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AWE Learning Receives Platinum in 2024 Modern Library Awards from LibraryWorks

January 16th, 2024 – AWE Learning is pleased to announce it has received a platinum award in LibraryWorks’ tenth annual **Modern Library Awards (MLAs.)** The MLAs were created to recognize the top products and services in the library industry in a truly unbiased format. Products and services were submitted in the fall using a simple application, and then were posted on a private site with an enhanced description and attendant materials. These products were batched into small groups and sent to the LibraryWorks database of more than 80,000 librarians at public, K-12, academic, and special libraries. Only customers with experience with these products/services in their facilities were permitted to judge the products/services, resulting in a truly unbiased score. Each judge scored the product on a numeric basis from 1-10 on a series of questions regarding functionality, value, customer service, etc.

Deborah B. Sorgi, Ed.D., President & Chief Executive Officer of AWE Learning stated “AWE Learning is pleased to be a Modern Library Awards multi-year Platinum distinction recipient. LibraryWorks showcases products that promote best practices for the library marketplace. AWE Learning is privileged to be among these select products since 2018.”

The Early Literacy Station TM Platinum, AfterSchool Edge TM Platinum, and Bilingual Spanish Early Literacy Station TM Platinum are the ideal digital learning resources with fun and engaging STREAM-aligned content to help prepare young learners with school readiness and excel in the classroom. Our products have been distributed in almost 49% of libraries globally and feature: 85+ STREAM-aligned titles, no internet required, interfaces and avatars, administrative features, a customer portal to view utilization reports and show ROI, ELF Child-Safe Browser, and Add-On Bundles to include more content on each unit.

Jenny Newman, publisher and MLA program manager said, “It’s hardly a surprise that AWE Learning scored so well. They’ve been at the forefront of the industry since their company entered the market in 1994.”

For more information about AWE Learning and our products, please visit www.awelearning.com or call 888-293-0272.

About AWE Learning

AWE Learning provides comprehensive digital learning and early literacy solutions for young children in public libraries and education centers across North America. Our mission is to inspire an enthusiasm for learning by supporting school readiness and literacy in the community. Through our dedication to high quality, STREAM- aligned content that is easy to use, we collaborate with our customers to highlight their role as community leaders in pursuit of learning.

About LibraryWorks

LibraryWorks helps administrators to make informed decisions about library technology, automation and software, collection development and management, facilities and furnishings, staffing, purchasing, and other areas that drive effective strategic planning and day-to-day operations. Our family of resources can enable you to identify best practices, monitor trends, evaluate new products and services, apply for grants and funding, post or find a job, and even enjoy some library humor.

About the Modern Library Awards program

The Modern Library Awards (MLAs) is a review program designed to recognize elite products and services in the market which can help library management personnel enhance the quality-of-experience for the library user and increase the performance of their library systems.