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AWE Learning Receives Platinum Recognition in 2018 Modern Library Awards from LibraryWorks

Chester, PA, January 24, 2018 – AWE Learning, the leading provider of digital learning solutions for early learners, is pleased to announce it has received a platinum award in LibraryWorks' fourth annual **Modern Library Awards (MLAs)**. The MLAs were created to recognize the top products and services in the library industry with 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 using 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.

Dr. Deborah B. Sorgi, AWE Learning President & CEO said, "Receiving this award is truly an honor. I am grateful to our loyal customers and employees, LibraryWorks, and the MLA judges. AWE Learning is committed to providing exceptional resources and gold standard customer service to public libraries across North America. I genuinely believe that we do our part to combat illiteracy and promote a love of reading in all children, young and old."

The Early Literacy Station™, a plug-and-play digital learning solution for early learners, ages 2-8, has provided more than 340 million hours of learning since Version 1 was released in 2004. Currently on Version 12, the Early Literacy Station has been distributed in more than 12,000 libraries across the United States. Its preeminent features are:

- More than 70 educational titles, with more than 4,000 learning activities
- Pre-loaded content creating a safe learning environment
- Easy to use, and perfect for independent and collaborative learning
- Available in English, Bilingual Spanish, and Bilingual French

Jenny Newman, publisher and MLA program manager said, "It's hardly a surprise that AWE Learning scored so well. They have been at the forefront of the industry since their company entered the market in 2004."

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

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About AWE Learning

AWE Learning provides comprehensive digital learning and early literacy solutions for young children in public libraries across the United States. 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 libraries to highlight their role as community leaders in the 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.