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Instructional Television Resources

South Carolina Department of Education and ETV

Video-based resources to support the curriculum in South Carolina schools are made available through an important partnership between the South Carolina Department of Education and South Carolina Educational Television.

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There are three key elements in the classroom - the student's ownership of learning, a "hook" to catch and hold each student's attention, and the enthusiasm and excitement that should be part of each teacher's character. A teacher who loves learning passes the desire to learn along to students. My goal is to take students further and deeper so I am zealous in my efforts to find the most effective ways to stimulate, maintain and grow their understanding.

Using technology such as the abundant and rich resources readily accessed through **OnePlaceSC**, ETV's K-12 Educational Portal where SC educators can find *StreamlineSC*, ITV specials, Knowitall.org, and PBS content, supports what I do in my classroom every day. As my students experience and make connections, they are transformed from passive participants to active learners. And, this can be their "Road to Success" as cover of this year's *ITV Link* illustrates!

ITV Resources and Services Support Teaching and Learning

ITV Link – The Educator's Guide to ITV Resources and Services, the *ITV Link*, is designed to provide contact information, notes on resources and an updated list of the ITV resources selected by educators and approved by the State Board of Education. The *ITV Link* serves as the teacher's "where to find" guide, pointing users to the ITV Web site where the most up-to-date information can be accessed. If you don't have your copy of this handy publication, please contact your media specialist or local Digital Education Services (DES).

ITV Resources Supplement Curriculum – Instructional Television, part of the South Carolina Department of Education's Office of eLearning, provides K-12 programming in all curricula areas and professional development for teachers, administrators and school staffs. ITV facilitates the acquisition of nationally-produced instructional programming that is approved by the State Board of Education. Working with the content professionals at the South Carolina Department of Education and the production professionals at ETV, ITV provides the leadership to develop and produce programming to support statewide curriculum needs.

ITV Searchable Database for Teacher's Guides – The ITV Searchable database for Teacher's Guides provides educators the ability to search available ITV teacher's guides. Check out this service at www.itv.sctev.org/searchitv. New guides contain state and/or national standard correlations. The availability of new guides will be announced on the ITV Web site and in the monthly *ITV Update*, which is sent to media specialists and available by the 25th of the previous month at www.itv.sctev.org.

ITV Supports Utilization and Invites Input – Workshops on ITV resources and how to use them to support curriculum are available. Contact ITV toll free at 877-885-5272, or call 803-737-3275. ITV invites your participation in the yearly ITV Review and Evaluation Process and welcomes your input. Please see staff listing for contact information.

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