Recent News
Huntington Beach, CA, July 3, 2011—Teacher Created Materials once again reaped the rewards of developing high-quality resources designed specifically for the educational market by winning five of AEP's highly coveted Distinguished Achievement Award (DAA) at the annual event held June 8, 2011.

Did You Know?
Teacher Created Materials' has assembled a team of field experts, authors, and editors from such prestigious institutions as Harvard, Columbia, Cornell, Wake Forest, UCLA, UC Berkeley, USC, University of Wisconsin, Kent State, Lesley University, and California State University system.

Company Facts
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Industry: Publishing
Years in Business: 35
Products: Educational resources and professional development training
Employees: 121
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Overview
Teacher Created Materials (TCM) is one of the most recognized names in educational publishing. For over 35 years, its wide array of award-winning resources has been used by educators throughout the United States and internationally in 99 countries.

Products and Services
Offering a broad range of innovative Pre-K–12 curriculum resources, TCM’s products support reading, writing, mathematics, social studies, science, technology, and professional development. TCM’s resources and professional development training reflect the latest research, best classroom practices, and achievement-oriented methodologies. The practical and teacher-friendly solutions are developed to help teachers do what they do best—reach, teach, and inspire students everywhere.

History
In 1977, TCM was founded by Rachelle Cracchiolo and her fellow classroom teacher—both looking to share their ideas and passion with their colleagues. The seeds they planted have blossomed into a vibrant and dynamic publishing company. Privately held and family owned since its inception, TCM is still run by teachers for teachers. In 2004, Shell Education was launched with the introduction of professional resources and classroom application books designed to support TCM’s curriculum products and sold through a variety of channels.

Growth
From the very first publication, Quick Fun Art, Teacher Created Materials has grown with ever-expanding titles to over 1,700 products, eventually moving its headquarters to Huntington Beach, California, in 2004 to accommodate its growing staff, additional production, and larger warehouse facilities.

Partnerships
TIME FOR KIDS® - In 2000, TCM struck a landmark partnership with the award-winning TIME FOR KIDS® magazine, incorporating authentic content and graphics into many language arts programs with products that include Exploring Writing, the 2007 Teacher’s Choice Award winner.

Texas Instruments - Collaborating with the Education Technology division of Texas Instruments yielded such products as TechTools TI Graphing Calculators to enrich math and science classroom learning experiences.

Microsoft® - The development of technology products have been carefully aligned to Microsoft® software, including PowerPoint®, Word®, and Excel®.

Sally Ride Science™ - Developed in partnership, TCM’s Science Readers were reviewed for diversity and equity by Sally Ride Science™, who also contributed profiles of women scientists.

Google - TCM is proud to announce the development of upcoming educational resources for use with Google.

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Proud recipient of the following awards:

Association of Educational Publishers Golden Lamp Award

- 2009 Winner: Mathematics Readers
- 2005 Winner: Primary Source Readers: Early America
- 2001 Winner: Write TIME FOR KIDS® Program

Association of Educational Publishers Distinguished Achievement Award

- 2011 Dual Winner: Building Fluency through Reader's Theater: American Tall Tales and Legends
- 2011 Winner: Building Fluency through Reader's Theater: William Shakespeare
- 2011 Winner: Discovering Science through Inquiry: Ecology and the Environment
- 2011 Winner: Exploring History through Primary Sources: United States Foreign Policy
- 2009 Winner: Leveled Texts for Science
- 2008 Winner: Teaching Reading in the Content Areas for Elementary Teachers
- 2008 Winner: Leveled Texts for Social Studies series
- 2008 Winner: Reading and Writing Strategies series (Science and Social Studies)
- 2008 Winner: Exploring Nonfiction: A Differentiated Content-Area Reading Program
- 2008 Winner: Science Readers series
- 2008 Winner: Exploring History Through Primary Sources: Elections
- 2008 Winner: Exploring History Through Primary Sources: Communities Around the World
- 2008 Winner: Elections
- 2007 Winner: Active Algebra: Algebra I
- 2007 Winner: Building Fluency through Reader's Theater: My Country
- 2007 Winner: Texas Instruments Graphing Calculators Strategies
- 2003 Winner: Primary Sources
- 2002 Winner: TechTools
- 2000 Finalist: TechWorks® Program

Association of Educational Publishers Beacon Award

- 2009 Winner: Building Vocabulary Podcast

Teachers' Choice Award™ from Learning® Magazine

- 2008 Winner: Building Fluency through Reader's Theater
- 2007 Winner: TI Graphing Calculator Strategies: Middle School Math
- 2007 Winner: Standards-Based Comprehension Strategies & Skills
- 2007 Winner: 30 Graphic Organizers
- 2007 Winner: Exploring Writing
- 2005 Winner: Social Studies Strategies for Active Learning
- 2004 Winner: Exploring History: Ancient Rome
- 2003 Winner: Exploring Nonfiction: Reading in the Content Areas
- 2003 Winner: TechTools Resource Kit for Inspiration

Teacher Raves from Scholastic Instructor® Magazine

- 2005 Best Product: Primary Sources Readers – Expanding and Preserving the Union
- 2003 Winner: TechTools Resource Kit for Kidspiration

National Association for Gifted Children Outstanding Curriculum Award

- 2000 Winner: Exploring History Series

Program of Excellence Award from Middle States Council for the Social Studies

- Winner: Exploring History

Program of Excellence Award from New York State Council for the Social Studies

- Winner: Exploring History