



# Frequently Asked Questions

**Q: What time are e-Editions made available?**

**A:** New daily editions are posted by 6 a.m.

**Q: How do I access the e-Edition?**

**A:** Go to [seattletimes.com/nie](http://seattletimes.com/nie) and click on "Access your e-Edition," located on the top right of the page under "Online Program Content." Then sign in with your User ID and Password at the prompts.

**Q: What features are special to the electronic edition?**

**A:** The e-Edition has many advantages that make it easy for teachers and students to access information in the newspaper.

- 24-hour access
- Archive of the past 14 days of newspaper coverage
- Live Web links — click on any link mentioned in the newspaper to immediately access the website
- Spanish translations of articles available
- Option to have articles read out loud
- Fully searchable database of articles
- No wasted paper — print only the articles you need or project on a document camera
- Different page sizes available for easier reading
- Accessible from anywhere with a computer and Internet availability

**Q: Do I need to register for the e-Edition to get curricula?**

**A:** Yes. Our learning materials complement the newspaper and without it, students will not be able to meet the learning objectives for each lesson.

**Q: Will I get all the material for the year at once?**

**A:** No; guides are posted on our website prior to the launch of each program and articles are available after the program has published. Please see your NIE program guide or the enclosed calendar for details, or visit our website, [seattletimes.com/nie](http://seattletimes.com/nie). Additional information about our programs and other educational articles and events are available on our fan page on Facebook, [facebook.com/TimesNIE](http://facebook.com/TimesNIE). We also send out monthly newsletters that include programming updates.

**Q: In what section of the e-Edition do serialized stories and other NIE programs appear?**

**A:** Due to newsroom and advertising space constraints, NIE articles and activities do not appear on a specific page or in a specific section. Searching for the day's NIE materials gives students an excellent opportunity to improve their understanding of how news and newspapers are organized. If you and your students are unable to find that day's NIE program, specific

locations are posted on [seattletimes.com/nie](http://seattletimes.com/nie) and [facebook.com/TimesNIE](http://facebook.com/TimesNIE) each day by 8 a.m.

**Q: Will I also get the advertising inserts in the newspaper?**

**A:** Advertising inserts, such as the coupon pull-out sections of the Sunday newspaper, are not included in the e-Edition. However, advertisements on newspaper pages are still visible. Advertisements are a part of the newspaper, and we believe they can help students better understand our country and the world we live in. They can also provide a great opportunity to sharpen math skills!

**Q: Is access to [seattletimes.com](http://seattletimes.com) included as part of my NIE subscription?**

**A:** [Seattletimes.com](http://seattletimes.com) access is not included as part of your NIE e-Edition subscription. However, if you are a current home-delivery subscriber you can access [seattletimes.com](http://seattletimes.com) with your MyTimes home account.

In addition, some [seattletimes.com](http://seattletimes.com) content will continue to be accessible for those without a subscription. Certain parts of the site will be available, and nonsubscribers will have around 15 articles they can view over a 30-day period without being required to subscribe. Certain areas such as [Jobs](#), [Autos](#), [Real Estate](#), [Rentals](#), [General Classifieds](#) and [Paid Obituaries](#) will also be accessible without a subscription.

**Q: How is NIE funded?**

**A:** Most NIE funding comes from community or business sponsorships. By partnering with local organizations and companies, NIE can offer more free learning materials and newspapers to our educators. If you know of an organization that would like to sponsor a NIE program, please ask them to call us at 206.652.6290.

Have a question not covered here?

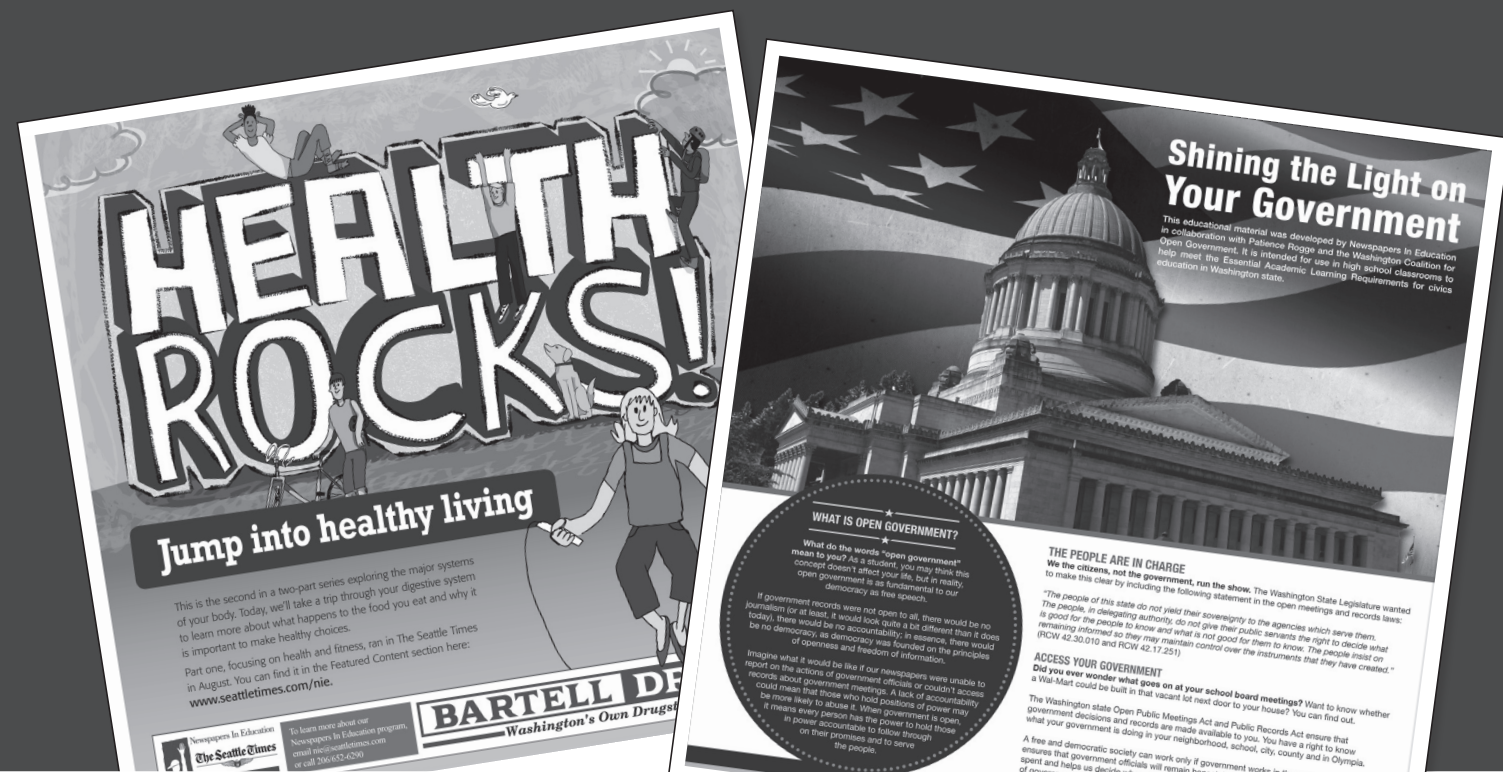
The answer is only an e-mail away.

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# Welcome to NIE

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# Welcome!

We're delighted that you've joined The Seattle Times Newspapers In Education (NIE) program.

This brochure provides an introduction to the NIE program. We hope you find it helpful! For more information, please email us at [nie@seattletimes.com](mailto:nie@seattletimes.com) or call 206.652.6290.

Please note that we will send you an affidavit form via email at the end of each NIE service term. As an NIE educator, you are responsible for completing and returning this affidavit to NIE within 48 hours of receipt. Your affidavits are vitally important for preserving the NIE program, so please be sure to complete this crucial form.

We're excited about our programs this year and eager to help you integrate the newspaper and our educational materials into your students' learning experience. If you have any questions, please contact an NIE staff member.

Warm regards,

*The NIE Team*



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## What is NIE?

Newspapers In Education (NIE) is a program dedicated to supporting educators throughout Washington state and beyond. Our goal is to supply kindergarten- through college-level classrooms with access to the daily newspaper, while providing educators with additional materials in the form of lesson plans, curriculum guides and special content.

As an NIE educator, you will help your students use the electronic edition of The Seattle Times to build skills such as critical thinking, global awareness and literacy. Newspaper content is a great supplement to textbooks, as it brings current and relevant lessons to the classroom. The e-Edition and corresponding lesson plans can be used as an online experience, as a combination of online and select printed handouts or distributed as printed articles, images and advertising at your discretion.

The newspaper is a living text, updated every day! Though we strive to provide lessons appropriate for students of all ages, please don't hesitate to contact us if you have concerns about whether an article or ad is suitable for your students. We encourage our educators to review content prior to using it in the classroom and are happy to answer any questions you may have.

## What you receive as an NIE educator

Your subscription to the e-Edition of The Seattle Times is accompanied by a wide selection of great NIE programs.

When you register for the e-Edition and sign up for Season Ticket, you'll get Sunday-Friday access to the e-Edition throughout the school year, as well as lesson plans, curricula, training, specific NIE in-paper content and more! You can also choose to receive our lesson plans and newsletters via e-mail or view them online at [seattletimes.com/nie](http://seattletimes.com/nie). Please contact us with any questions.

### FEATURES:

- Sunday-Friday e-Editions
- Access to 14-day archive of newspapers
- Listen and Translate features for articles
- Serial stories
- Teacher's guides
- Lesson plans aligned with Washington state standards
- Access to all workshops
- Online curriculum guides
- Monthly NIE newsletters
- Training opportunities



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