

# Scholastic Classroom Magazines Meet ISTE Student Standards

Scholastic Classroom Magazines offer **safe, robust digital experiences, from reading and responding to articles online to using technology to create projects and collaborate with others.** See how these resources help readers meet the International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE) Student Standards.



What the Standard Says	How Scholastic Classroom Magazines Help Students Meet the Standard
<p><b>1. Empowered Learner</b></p> <p>Students leverage technology to take an active role in choosing, achieving and demonstrating competency in their learning goals, informed by the learning sciences.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Student View portal for each magazine’s website allows students to explore articles and resources digitally.</li> <li>• Google interactive activities and quizzes allow students to use technology to complete learning tasks and demonstrate competency.</li> <li>• Articles, activities and games can easily be projected on an interactive whiteboard, allowing for group reading and class cooperation.</li> <li>• Text-to-Speech with every article models fluent reading and helps make articles accessible for all students.</li> </ul>
<p><b>2. Digital Citizen</b></p> <p>Students recognize the rights, responsibilities and opportunities of living, learning and working in an interconnected digital world, and they act and model in ways that are safe, legal and ethical.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nearly every magazine touches on age-appropriate digital citizenship topics throughout the year, such as privacy, social media usage, screen time, cyberbullying, etc.</li> <li>• Debates in many of the magazines often tackle technology issues and explore their effects on individuals and communities.</li> <li>• Skill Builder activities ask students to think critically and ethically about the digital world, based on articles they’ve read.</li> </ul>
<p><b>3. Knowledge Constructor</b></p> <p>Students critically curate a variety of resources using digital tools to construct knowledge, produce creative artifacts and make meaningful learning experiences for themselves and others.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Videos and slideshows available on magazine websites provide multimodal sources of knowledge for students to use.</li> <li>• Teacher’s Guides, magazine websites and blogs provide project ideas and suggest digital resources for students to conduct research.</li> <li>• Research Kit Skill Builders for major articles guide students to explore digital resources for additional information.</li> <li>• Teacher’s Guide activities suggest the use of digital media—including photography, slideshows, infographics, videos and podcasts—to demonstrate learning.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>4. Innovative Designer</b></p> <p>Students use a variety of technologies within a design process to identify and solve problems by creating new, useful or imaginative solutions.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Skill Builders, prompts and extension activities guide students to complete project-based learning tasks, requiring innovative thinking and technology use.</li> <li>• Students can choose from multiple options for sharing their research findings, including multimodal presentations.</li> <li>• The Studio Projects feature in <i>Scholastic Art</i> encourages students to think as designers.</li> </ul>
<p><b>5. Computational Thinker</b></p> <p>Students develop and employ strategies for understanding and solving problems in ways that leverage the power of technological methods to develop and test solutions.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• STEAM magazines provide students opportunities to use technology to write and solve problems and collect and organize data.</li> <li>• Prompts and extension activities in various magazines give students the opportunity to use technology to collect, analyze and represent data.</li> </ul>
<p><b>6. Creative Communicator</b></p> <p>Students communicate clearly and express themselves creatively for a variety of purposes using the platforms, tools, styles, formats and digital media appropriate to their goals.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Writing prompts across the magazines encourage students to express themselves in a variety of formats.</li> <li>• Learning extension ideas provided in Teacher’s Guides, websites and blogs include projects that encourage students to make videos, build websites, create digital tours and more.</li> <li>• Students can use magazine text features, posters and videos as a model for digital media and visual displays of data.</li> </ul>
<p><b>7. Global Collaborator</b></p> <p>Students use digital tools to broaden their perspectives and enrich their learning by collaborating with others and working effectively in teams locally and globally.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Close-reading questions, discussion prompts and writing prompts—provided in the magazines, Teacher’s Guides and digital resources—offer many opportunities for students to collaborate digitally in pairs, small groups or as a whole class.</li> <li>• Integration with Google Classroom and other Google assets makes classroom collaboration easy.</li> <li>• In some magazines, students can participate in a nationwide online vote on debate topics relevant to their lives.</li> <li>• On the <i>Scholastic Art</i> website, students can safely leave comments on each issue’s debate, making arguments for one side or the other.</li> </ul>

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