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CUE helps educators use technology to deliver and administer instruction.

Founded in California in 1978 as a non-profit educational corporation, Computer-Using Educators, Inc. - better known as CUE (pronounced "C") - now has some 10,000 members throughout the United States and abroad. Our most popular member benefits include:

- **Latest Technology News**
  The CUE NewsLetter contains the renowned FYI column with the inside scoop and hottest tips on new hardware, software and goings on from editor LeRoy Pinkel; up-to-date information on legislation related to instructional technology; photo essays on successful school-based technology programs; and a host of other timely, useful information.

- **New Skills and Contacts**
  Upgrade and hone your skills and meet other computer using educators at one or both of our annual conferences: the spring, in Southern California; the fall, in the Silicon Valley south of San Francisco.

CUE conferences feature keynote speakers, practical workshops, some 200 exhibits, a Friday night banquet and dance (networking event), and field trips to companies and school sites with exemplary programs.

- **Local Support**
  Regional CUE affiliates offer opportunities for networking, sharing of expertise, and, in some cases, providing grants for special technology projects. At this time, there are no out-of-state branches.

Most affiliates have taken the initiative to arrange for discounts from local vendors and, in conjunction with CUE, Inc., have participated in projects to buy computers at significant discounts.

- **Low-Cost Software**
  SoftSwap is our collection of low-priced educational software. This catalog contains our current offerings.

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New for the Macintosh:

HyperStories
HyperStories is an authoring system for the Macintosh which allows children (and adults!) to create interactive branching stories just by pointing, clicking and (most importantly) writing. No programming is required. Included in the package is a sample completed story, several story starters, and short tutorials on character and plot development and cause and effect in stories.

HyperStories system was developed by Mary Lange and Gabriel Acosta-Lopez as part of an Apple equipment grant. Additional portions of the package were created by students in San Diego State Ed Tech courses: Carol Kamey, Joyce Brody, Carol Burnett and Dona Buttner.

$22 two 3 1/2" disk
order code #STORIE
for Macintosh

Software Preview Guide
The Software Preview Guide is a valuable resource that lists educational software worth taking a look at, if you are in a purchasing situation. Each year curriculum experts and computer coordinators from a dozen states get together to look at new software and to re-evaluate older software in light of rising standards. The result is a list that helps you zero in on the best software for a particular purpose. This HyperCard version of the Preview Guide can be searched by topic, title and publisher, and sorted by title, publisher and price. Grade levels for each of 400 software titles are shown. Stack created by Deanna Mitchell.

$11 3 1/2" disk
order code #PREVIEW
for Macintosh

FrEdBase v2.1
Data Base Manager
FrEdBase was written for us by Greg Butler, in a project sponsored by both CUE SoftSwap and Apple Computer Australia. It was designed specifically for use in schools. Ease of use is enhanced by well prompted and error proof screens.

This fast "in memory" data base manager allows up to 18 fields in a file; maximum record number is determined by number and size of fields.

Your files can be about 20k in size; memory management has been improved, and FrEdBase can now display the memory remaining. It can perform two tier searches and/or sorts, print out list type (column) and record type (label) reports, as well as graphs.

Included are five large files of documentation in FrEdWriter format, and sample databases. Printed documentation may also be ordered separately. Reports and graphs can also be saved to disk. Records can now be displayed in either record (card) or list format types when using search, find or browse options.

FrEdBase requires an Apple //e, //c or //gs with 64K RAM minimum, an 80 column card and one drive. With 128K, the startup portion of FrEdBase is copied into RAM, not only speeding up the system, but an additional disk drive is then free for use. Since it is ProDos based, it can utilize both 3.5" and 5.25" disks (you can order FrEdBase either way).

Upgrade your version 1.x to 2.1 for $10 (so POs please). Send* in all original disks purchased directly from SoftSwap, Concord, CA via mail, or at one of the biannual CUE conferences at the SoftSwap booth. The label will be an offset press white label with blue CUE logo and copyright notice, and black program lettering. Don't send disks with the dot-matrix labels generated from our label maker program! Non-SoftSwap disks sent to us will not be returned.

$20 three 5 1/4" disk sides - order code #FBASE
$21 one 3 1/2" disk - order code #FBASE3
for Apple //e, //c, //gs

*upgrade v.1 to v.2 - order code #FBUP (send your old disks!)
$5 laser printed documentation (book) - order code #FBDOC

Vancouver Spreadsheet
What MicroBase is to databases, this program is to spreadsheets: a limited and easy to use introduction to the concept. The Vancouver Spreadsheet is restricted to a single screen of cells; no scrolling is possible.

Within those cells, many arithmetic functions are supported. Thanks to Jon Nelson of the Educational Service District #112, Vancouver, Washington, for allowing this program to join the SoftSwap library.

$10 5 1/4" disk - order code #VANS
$11 3 1/2" disk - #VANS3
for Apple with 64K
Immigrant
The Irish Experience in Boston, 1840-1870

Immigrant is an experimental Social Studies unit for middle school students. The subject of the unit is the Irish immigration into the city of Boston during the period 1840-1870. In working through the unit, students "adopt" an immigrant family and make decisions about living and working, much as that family might have made them. In large part, these decisions are based on actual historical data for the period.

The disk contains the following: data files representing immigrant passenger lists for two immigrant ships; data files on housing, jobs, and transportation; spreadsheet templates covering living costs; text files containing step-by-step instructions on how to work through the simulation; and suggested additional references.

IMMIGRANT was developed at the Educational Technology Center, Harvard University and supported in part by the National Institute of Education.

Available in AppleWorks or FrEdBase versions for the Apple, and various formats for the Mac and IBM. Use the chart at the bottom of page 4 for pricing and order codes.

FrEdWriter
FrEdWriter et al

In 1985, educators who used Apple computers got a major shot in the arm with the release of FrEdWriter. Based on a public domain program called FreeWriter by AppleWriter author Paul Lutus, and rewritten extensively by Al Rogers of the San Diego TEC Center, FrEdWriter put a powerful tool in the hands of teachers. For the first time, educators could make as many copies of a word processor (having permission to copy from us!) as they needed, letting students take them home or elsewhere without worrying about disk damage.

With FrEdWriter’s built-in prompted writing capabilities, creative teachers could design lessons which guide their students through the writing process. As the copyright holder of FrEdWriter, CUE Softswap is proud to make available the FrEdWriter package. These include:

**FrEdWriter (v.4.4) by Al Rogers**

The FrEdWriter disk includes a complete ProDOS based word processor plus utilities that allow the user to format data disks, copy disks, rename, delete, lock/unlock files, and view files. FrEdWriter is intended to be freely duplicated for student use. The master disks include the documentation of the program saved as text files, ready to be printed out. Version 4.4 supports underlining and prepares files for telecommunication uploading.

The 3 1/2" version now includes a special edition of FrEd for networks (fits through slot 7).

**Frillless FrEd**

A version of FrEd that boots directly into the word processing section. No utilities are included in this version, so there is lots of room for student data on the same disk.

**FrEdTips by Don Beck, et al.**

A valuable collection of advanced FrEdWriter information, hints, etc. Includes details on interacting with your printer (underlining, bold face, etc.) and prompted writing information (mechanics of creating and tips), modifying FrEd to run on Apple clones and networks.

FrEdWriter, FrilllessFrEd, FrEdTips:

- $20 three disk sides on 5 1/4" disk - order code #FWRT
- $21 one 3 1/2" disk - order code #FWRT3 (includes network version) for AppleWorks 64K. See page 14 for Program Notes.

For information regarding Apple II lower case modifications or the Spanish Language version of FrEdWriter, direct inquiries in writing to:

Al Rogers
Hands-On Training Company
4021 Allen School Road
Bonita, CA 92002

FrEdTyper by Dr. Gary Carnow, Raymond A. Chavez & Gall Lovely

This is a collection of 40 prompted file lessons for practicing touch typing skills. Students load in a lesson, follow the prompts, and save their typing practice onto a data disk. Each lesson has some 20 prompt boxes of letter sequences to copy.

As with most writing tasks, lessons review the same rows, then other rows with increasing combinations of letters. Checking for accuracy is done by student or teacher, either on-screen or in print-out.

A blank lesson file is included for user’s convenience to build other files by filling in the prompt boxes. FrEdTyper was developed as part of an AB003 grant at the Alhambra School District.

**C.O.W.**

Though never officially listed, C.O.W. has been disseminated as part of the FrEdLessons set, to take the place of Witch of Blackbird Pond. Now that the master copy of Witch has been found, we’re offering C.O.W. separately.

C.O.W. stands for Computer Organized Writing (prompted writing). These sample files were developed at a Summer class at the SD TEC center BEFORE FrEd was around to make prompted files so easy. These are most of the files from the class’s efforts done in the FrEd Prompted format.

The two lesson sets above require FrEdWriter. They are together on one disk, not included with the regular FrEdLessons package.

- $10 double sided 5 1/4" disk - order code #COW
- $11 one 3 1/2" disk - order code #COW3

requires FrEdWriter

FrEdPrompts for AppleWorks

One of FrEdWriter’s most popular features has been its prompted writing capability. Many of you have asked for this attribute in AppleWorks. FrEdPrompts delivers, so you can use prompted writing activities with AppleWorks in your instructional program!

FrEdPrompts uses a specially configured version of Beagle Brothers’ Ultramarcs™ to provide this capability in the AppleWorks wordprocessor. You can create guided writing prompts, have students respond to them, and then remove the prompts before final editing. Definitely a useful, workable approach to introducing your students to new styles of writing. Included on the disk are sample plans and a converter to move prompted files from FrEdWriter to AppleWorks.

As with nearly all Softswap products, FrEdPrompts may be freely duplicated in your computer lab or school without any additional charges. Undoubtedly worth the cost!

- $10 5 1/4" disk - order code #PROMPT
- $11 3 1/2" disk - order code #PROMPT3

for AppleWorks 2.0 or 2.1

FrEdLessons

The FrEdWriter package includes eight FrEdLessons which resulted from a writing project sponsored by the San Diego County Office of Education TEC Center and the California Curriculum Implementation Center for English/Language Arts. These model lessons were produced by outstanding computer-using classroom teachers and include the following elements:

focus on literature, The California Model Curriculum Standards, The National Writing Project, and word processing. The FrEdLessons Project was coordinated by June Dodge.

The lessons resulted in the following lessons:

**Sea Devil**

Grade Level: 8 - can be adapted lower/higher

**Haiku/Diamante Poetry**

Grade Level: 6-8

**Charles**

Grade Level: Secondary

**Mouse and the Motorcycle**

Grade Level: 4

**Pecos Bill/Tall Tales**

Grade Level: 4-6

**Fable Factory**

Grade Level: 3-6

**Charlotte’s Web**

Grade Level: 4th

**Witch of Blackbird Pond**

Grade Level: 6-8

FrEdLessons:

- $20 eight disk sides on 5 1/4" disk - order code #FLESS
- $21 one 3 1/2" disk - order code #FLESS3
### Miscellaneous

#### Video: “A Course of Action”

This film was produced a few years back as an overview of California’s AB603 project, which was to provide technology to all public schools. We’ve found it is still an excellent tool for teacher motivation and training. The twenty-eight minute tape covers many aspects of classroom technology development.

It outlines grant writing processes, producing a plan to implement in your school and has some noteworthy vignettes of teachers in various curriculum areas (special education, math, science, etc.) who found a slice of technology to enhance their other classroom activities. (In many cases they were new to, or wary of, technology!)

Well worth seeing if you need some ideas or encouragement. Appropriate for all K-12 teachers.

$20 color VHS tape (GP) - order code #VCOA

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#### Elementery Gradebook

by Phill Jackson

The Elementary Gradebook is specifically designed for elementary teachers, though it could easily be used by others. It allows up to 40 students per class and up to 20 subjects per class. Grades can be input as percentages, letter grades, or raw scores and are automatically converted to a percentage. Grades may be weighted, and reports can be printed out for individuals or the entire class. A comment field of up to six screen lines is available for each student record.

Documentation is on the backside of the disk in FrEdWriter and AppleWorks formats.

$10 5 1/4" disk for Apples with 48K - order code #GBOOK

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#### CEEMAC / Fire Organ

by Brooke W. Boering - Vagabondo Enterprises

Fire Organ is a demonstration of what you can do with CEEMAC, a visual composition system and programming language. Every key you press creates a different display, and the graphic elaborates on itself indefinitely without obvious repetition. Fire Organ makes a good test pattern while you’re setting up a computer, and has been known to entertain pre-school commuters for hours. In a darkened room with music playing, it will outshine a dozen lava lamps.

Educational implications? Put CEEMAC in the hands of your best Logo whiz. The discoveries should be a pleasure to look at.

$10 5 1/4" disk for Apples with 64K - order code #FIRE

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#### Grademaster

Class Assignment and Grade Management System

by Roberta J. McCarty

Grademaster is designed to hold six classes of up to 56 students, with 47 assignments allowed for each class. Grades are recorded as a percent correct. The calculated averages are rounded to the nearest tenth of a percent. For each grade recorded, a status is maintained which indicates whether the assignment was on time, late, or the student was absent.

A weighted factor from 1 to 9 may be applied to any exercises. All missing assignments may be listed by individual student or total class. A list of students missing an individual exercise is also available. Class grade averages may be reported in original class order as entered, or ranked by current grade average.

A password option has been included for security. Automatic dating of all printouts is available. Grademaster runs on all Apple // and computers, and documentation is on disk in both FrEdWriter and AppleWorks formats. Donated to SoftSwap by CUE member Roberta J. McCarty (mentor teacher in the Fountain Valley School District), it was formerly a commercial product. Thanks, Roberta!

$10 5 1/4" disk for Apples with 48K - order code #GMAST

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#### Datasheet

The Datasheet package is a laboratory data handling package that includes data acquisition, data manipulation, fitting and graphing. It operates on a 128K Apple //e, //c, or IIgs.

It was provided to SoftSwap by Kenneth F. Kinsey and David Meisel of the Department of Physics and Astronomy, S.U.N.Y. College at Geneseo, Geneseo, New York. Tested by a year of heavy classroom use, it contains no known bugs.

Entirely menu-driven, no commands need be memorized. It includes extensive validity checking of user responses and offers escapes at all critical points. Data are organized into six columns of 160 entries (expandable) which are displayed in a spreadsheet style format. A full repertory of math operations can be performed on single columns or pairs of columns including all of the built-in BASIC functions. Straight line, power series and linear regression fitting routines are included, as are mean/standard deviation & histogram generation. The graphs use double hi-res for good resolution & clear labelling. User has full control of all graphing parameters and labelling. While designed for physics class, creative teachers will find uses for Datasheet in high school science, social science, and math classes.

Printing of the graphs requires a double hi-res printing package such as Beagle Brothers Triple Dump. Directions on installing such packages are included. Complete documentation is provided in FrEdWriter format.

$10 5 1/4" disk for Apples w/128K - order code #DATA

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#### CUE Label Maker

This disk was created to let users make their own colored CUE disk labels and properly label them with the CUE copyright. It contains all the current releases as of January 1990 and will be updated as more disks emerge.

Choose from multiple screens of titles. Labels for DOS (documentation) sides are also included. Print an individual label (up to 24) or mark several for printing (up to 12 each).

Instructions are included in the menu. The program is well prompted and easy to use. Works on an Apple //e or II with an Imagewriter II only, with black or color ribbon.

$10 5 1/4" disk for Apples with 64K - order code #LABEL

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Thank you for your support and feedback. As a volunteer teacher group, we rely on people such as yourself for the continued successful operation of SoftSwap.

Hal Gibson
SoftSwap Manager
Simulations

Trek of the 49'ers
This is another adventure game created with Hartley Software’s Simulation Construction Kit™. With it, you can explore a mining town during the boom time of the Gold Rush. The disk is double sided, and to get to the second side, you need to gather information while investigating the first half. Trek of the 49’ers can be a useful enrichment activity to accompany a lesson on this period of history. As with “Annie’s”, graphics embellish the upper elementary level reading practice.

$10 double sided 5 1/4" disk for Apple with 64K - order code #TREK

Operational Notes:
Annie’s Mission and Trek of the 49’ers are partially “protected” due to Hartley Software’s Simulation Construction Kit.

DO NOT WRITE PROTECT THESE DISKS! They will not work otherwise... The second side of “Trek” must be notched!

These programs self-destruct under a number of conditions. Don’t explore the disk to see how things are put together; you can’t. Disk errors generated by control C’s or RESETS are also dangerous.

ALWAYS do a full disk copy. Do not attempt to do a file copy. Do not change DOS. Any copy utility should work. Bit copies are NOT necessary.

Make a working copy right away, and archive your original.

Annie’s Mission
Suppose your father has been kidnapped, and you have reason to think that he can be found inside a California mission. This adventure game allows you to explore a mission during the height of the colonial period. To get from room to room, you’ll need to consult the dictionary built into the game which translates the major sections of a mission from Spanish to English. This simulation is a mix of both graphics and text. A map and the dictionary can be printed from the disk to aid you in your search. This game was created with Simulation Construction Kit™ by Hartley Software. (Do not need that software to run the game.)

$10 single sided 5 1/4" disk for Apple with 64K - order code #ANN

The Heart Disk
This is an updated version that includes eight programs about the heart. It was donated to Softswap by Dan Lake of the Onondaga/ Cortland/Madison BOCES in Syracuse, New York, and written by Ray Fuller and Rob Joyce.

YOUR TOUR OF HEART tells you or give a tour of the heart. The tour to learn about the parts of the heart; or give a tour to see how much you already know. HEART BEAT lets you learn about how and why the heart beats. Discover relationship of animal size to heart beat rate.

Measure your own heart beat. You can also see a picture of a heart beating at various speeds. HEART FITNESS lets you learn how various kinds of exercise affect the fitness of the heart. In HEART ATTACK, the likelihood of a heart attack will be evaluated as you answer questions about six major factors in heart attacks: heredity, exercise, age, weight, tobacco, and eating animal fats.

CALORIES FOR WORK: Learn why exercise is good for the heart as it burns calories! CALORIES FOR FUN: 29 activities and how many calories they burn. HEART SCRAMBLE: Key words from TOUR OF THE HEART are scrambled. It’s different each time you play! ADVENTURE GAME: As ‘Agent Hemo-Globin’ you learn about the circulatory system while you do your work as a red blood cell.

$10 5 1/4" disk - order code #HEART

$11 3 1/2" disk for Apple with 64K - order code #HEART3

Solar
GM SunRayer
Imagine racing almost 3,138 kilometers (1,950 miles) in a car that runs on electricity made from sunlight. Imagine that this race took you and your solar-powered electric car across some of the hottest and emptiest land on earth. Then imagine that you won the car race, and that you went an average of 67 km/hr using only the sun for energy. You never had to stop for gas!

That was what happened to the men and women who drove the GM SUNRAYCER in the first World Solar Challenge race across Australia. The race was held to encourage people to create cars that are more efficiently powered. That challenge was met with imagination, commitment, and science. Challenge your students to do the same with the following classroom materials:

Disk I: Construction Set
Using interactive color graphics that are stimulating and educational, this disk allows up to two students at a time to design their own solar powered vehicles.

Thoughtful choices have to be made on body, solar panel and battery components, because your cars will be tested on various race tracks under computer selected weather conditions! After your prototype runs, take your auto back to the assembly area for modifications and then a new set of examinations and observations. Appropriate for elementary students as well as upper grades.

$10 single sided 5 1/4" disk for Apple with 64K - order code #SUN1

Disk II: Solar Tutorial & Driving Simulation
Wonderful software with sound and color that uses a tutorial/quiz approach on how the sun produces energy and how we might make use of that power source. Topics: fusion, electrical, chemical and mechanical energy interaction and transfer. Another section deals with solar vehicle design and natural forces: friction, drag, aerodynamics.

After you take all that in, engage in a driving simulation. Control your solar car as you spin along a test track, monitoring the computer displays on vehicle, weather and track conditions. No drivers permit necessary. Appropriate for intermediate and high school level.

$10 double sided 5 1/4" disk for Apple with 64K - order code #SUN2

Video: “Racing with the Sun”
An engaging 20 minute video tape on the solar powered vehicle race that took place in Australia. This high quality production is the perfect companion to the disks and handouts available. One of the engineer/drivers narrates the saga of design, construction, and test phases of SUNRAYCER, culminating with the international contest (guess who wins?). Appropriate to all age levels, both as a motivational and study piece.

$20 color VHS tape order code #VSUN

Classroom Packet
Included are teacher lesson plans, student handouts, transparency masters and whole class activities (games and lab experiments) covering the topics discussed above. Studying the sun, energy, aerodynamics, physics, chemistry, etc? You want this packet.

$8 Classroom materials (paper) - order code #FSUN

Complete Package
Both disks, video tape and classroom packet above. While They Last: We have a limited number of original magazines with color photos, background material and a poster! When they’re gone, that’s it... included when you order the whole bundle.

$40 disks, video, packet order code #SUN
Telecommunications

**TeleLessons**
Feeling a little lost in this electronic era of communication? Try Al Rogers' TeleLessons, a veritable cornucopia of information: class lesson plans to use with students; research reports/case studies to support your efforts.

All text files are ready for you to print (have lots of paper ready!) with a menu driven, self-printing program that is included.

Eight disk sides (5 1/4") with a bounty of ideas and directions to help put telecommunications in perspective.

For Apples with 64K:
$30 eight 5 1/4" disk sides order code - #TELE
$32 two 3 1/2" disks order code - #TELE.3

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**FrEdMail**
**Bulletin Board System (CMS SchoolNet)**
The durable and popular Computer Mail System, designed for educational use. Written by Nick Sayers and Al Rogers, FrEdMail has earned national acclaim as a reliable, inexpensive way to enter the electronic age.

FrEdMail has all the features of most bulletin board systems: private electronic mail, public message boards, multiple levels of access, and upload/download library capabilities. What sets FrEdMail apart from most other programs, however, is its intersystem mail capability.

During the night, when educational users are unlikely to be using the board, FrEdMail systems call each other and forward messages back and forth. This makes it possible for teachers to make a local call, leave a message, and have it forwarded a long distance without them personally paying the freight. In San Diego, for instance, a local call will put you in touch with teachers in Pennsylvania, Connecticut, New Jersey, Illinois, Argentina and over one hundred other sites! This intersystem capability is an option, not mandatory; FrEdMail serves very nicely as a solo BBS.

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**SimuComm New Version 6.1**
SimuComm is a telecommunications simulator developed at the University of New Mexico by Jack Gittinger. This well designed software comes with a primer on the mechanical details of telecommunications, including the concepts of baud rate, parity, etc. Teachers first use the documentation as a guide for teaching these concepts. Then students use the program to simulate calling three commonly used telecommunications services: electronic mail, a bulletin board, and an online database.

Each SimuComm disk will allow up to 30 users to send and receive short mail messages, post bulletins, and search a data base of up to 10 records. The program even simulates one of the first hurdles one must overcome in using a modem: configuring your software so that its parameters match those of the system you're calling.

Hal Gibson's new ProDos update now allows entries of less than 30 users at a time, and changes can be made to individual users. No longer do you have to re-enter the entire list as students join or leave the system!

Each of the three boards requires the student to configure the software differently and each uses different commands. This prepares them for the unfortunate fact that there is little standardization among telecommunications systems in the real world. A unique feature of SimuComm is the inclusion of a modifiable database with which students can learn keyword searching.

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**KidMail New Version 6.1**
Have you wanted to give your students a sense of what electronic mail is like, but been stopped by a lack of modem, phone line or budget? KidMail is a telecommunications simulation that can bring mail into the modemless classroom. Written by Wayne Ayers and Bryan Wing of the Culver City Unified School District, and enhanced by Don Beck and Hal Gibson of CUE, this program will allow your students to send private messages or public messages for all users to read.

Simpler to use than SimuComm, KidMail can be used to stimulate student writing, as well as prepare students for the information age. All messages are stored on the KidMail disk, which can be kept in one place for intra-class communications, or carried down the hall for inter-class messages within a school.

With a bit of planning and coordination between teachers, students can fill a disk with messages for their counterparts at a distant school, and send the disk by (physical) mail to the other class. Such exchanges lack the immediacy of telecommunications, but for the classroom without a phone line, KidMail is a workable alternative.

This new ProDos version allows 3.5" disk use, and therefore much greater message storage on disk. Other improvements have been made throughout the program.

KidMail was donated by: KIDMAIL Project Director, Wayne Ayers, Culver City High School, 4401 Eldora St., Culver City, CA 90230. Wayne is eager to serve as a middle man in arranging inter-school KidMail exchanges, in this country and abroad.

$10 5 1/4" disk - order #KIDM  $11 3 1/2" disk - order #KIDM.3 for Apples with 64K

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**FrEdSender Version 2.1a**
FrEdSender was the second member of the FrEd series of educational application programs, and is especially appropriate for the transfer of FrEdWriter (or any ProDos) files from one computer to another.

Developed by Steele Publishing's Nick Fitzgerald and Hal Gibson with design input from Al Rogers, FrEdSender provides a simple but effective gateway to telecommunications.

The program allows autodialing from a list of up to 20 frequently called numbers. External and internal Hayes-compatible modems are supported, as are the internal Hayes Micromodem and Prometheus Promodem. The Apple Personal Modem is not well supported. Files can be uploaded and downloaded using XMODEM protocol, and online sessions can be captured to disk. Some useful file utilities are also included, such as a ProDos file-type changer and file encryptor.

Classrooms can batch transfer an entire disk of FrEdWriter and other files directly from one FrEdSender to another without going through a BBS. Runs at up to 4800 baud on the Apple II+ (with 64K), /e, /c, /e (68000 baud) and IIGS (with super serial card).

$20 double sided 5 1/4" disk - order code #FSSEND

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**A Note on Documentation**
Your cost has been significantly reduced by supplying instructions on disk. This is common practice for other sources of software in this price range. Reproducing paper copies and shipping it is very expensive. Disks have explanatory information built into the menu (read those notes!), text information stored as FrEdWriter and/or TeleWorks files, self-printing documentation or combinations of these items. Remember, FrEdWriter files are stored as "plain vanilla" text files. Any word processor can pick them up. Load and print.

If you would like to see change this policy and would be willing to pay a higher cost for printed docs, drop us a note. Suggest a price.

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Tell us about your:  
- Computer  
- Word Processor  
- Disk Size/Density  
and we'll make you a special set of disks (number will vary) for the same price?

order code - #TELESPCIAL

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Need an MSDOS or Macintosh version of TeleLessons?
Learning Games

Player’s Choice (v 2.1)
Many improvements have been made to this disk. First, the FILE MAKER is now USER FRIENDLY. Game and file maker are on one disk side. Until you set the disk to student use, a notice will appear when booted telling you how to access the file maker. Second, the game questions/tasks are now 2–1/2 instead of 1–1/2 lines long, making it easier to compose questions. The program also recycles questions that were missed, several questions later.

Written by Don Beck while he was a student in the Bilingual Instructional Technology Program at San Diego State, Player’s Choice is a shell program that combines some of the elements of Word Attack™ and Wheel of Fortune™. A question appears on the screen along with four possible answers. For every third correct answer given, the learner gets an opportunity to guess a letter in a word puzzle. Animated graphics of a runner and robot add interest to the program. The questions and word puzzles are all created by the teacher using the included filer program, so Player’s Choice can be applied to a wide range of academic content. Now requires 64K.

$10 5 1/4” disk for Apples with 64K - order code #PLAY

Graficas/Graphing
by Barbara Weston and Paulina Boutris
Spanish and English versions of a program which allows students to classify objects on a graph and make comparisons from a graph. Categories and classifications include: Animals (air, water, land); Vehicles (air, water, land); and Toys (wheeled, sports, figures). After completing the graph, students answer questions such as: "How many more water animals are there than air animals?". Grades 1–2.

$10 5 1/4” disk for Apples with 48K - order code #GRAPH

Fuentes Españolas y SpanishWriter
Esteban Zapain, teacher in Union City, California, and long time CUE supporter, has graciously given us his copyrighted programs.

This disk contains fonts, borders, cards, signs and graphics which are ready to use with Print Shop™. Fonts allow you to write en Español using accented vowels, the 4, 2, and other special characters. Multicolored national flags, people and things round out the graphics action!

SpanishWriter is an AppleWorks™ (v 1.1–1.3) modification which uses the native Spanish font of the ImageWriter. It also allows you to use the apostrophe to make accent marks. In addition, two fonts which can be loaded into most Apple, Epson and some other printers (requires Print-Quick™).

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Don’t miss Annie’s Mission on page 10!

The Bilingual Classroom

Partes Mías/Parts of Me/Primer®Bits
by Karina Moreno and Judy Duffield
Partes Mías (Spanish) and Parts of Me (English) are two versions of a program containing three sections which provide review and practice in using the names of the parts of the body. In the first section, the student chooses the name of a body part and that part is drawn. In the second section, the student finds the body part named. In the third section, the student must correctly type a name to have a part shown.

Grades K-2 and beginning ESL.

Primer®Bits contains two games for numeral recognition. One shows the student a numeral and student responds by striking any key that number of times. The second game shows a quantity of items and the student must press the corresponding numeral key. Clues are given after incorrect responses. This program has very likeable graphics! Grades Pre-K to 1.

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Como Restar Unidades de Medir
by Kate Murty
Como Restar... is a Spanish language program giving practice in subtraction with borrowing for three mixed units of measure: yards and feet, feet and inches, and hours and minutes. Using paper and pencil to solve a problem presented, the student then chooses one of four answers shown. Specific corrective feedback is given for each of the three common types of errors made by students. Grades 5 and up.

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Piñata!
Piñata, was written by Elizabeth Blane when she was in the BIT Program at San Diego State. It is a language arts game in which students guess letters in a word or phrase. A player has 10 chances and can use 2 guesses for clues. Letters are guessed by moving to a letter in the alphabet displayed on screen or by typing in the entire word.

There are both Spanish and English versions on the disk and a utility for making your own lessons. Grades 2–4.

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ESL Disk
This is a complete Player’s Choice disk with multiple files useful for teaching ESL. The files focus on idioms, verb tenses and other aspects of English which typically confuse non-native speakers.

They were created and tested in the classroom by Evelyn Fella of Crawford Junior High School, San Diego. The program Player’s Choice is included on this stand-alone disk.

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Juegos Selectos
Player’s Choice in Spanish! See the description for Player’s on the opposite page. For the bilingual classroom. If there is sufficient demand, we will produce more curriculum-based data disks for use with both programs (see below!)

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Language Arts
Scramble - Teacher utility to scramble words. Word Swap - Game to alphabetize a list of words quickly by swapping pairs of words until done. User sets list of 3-8 words. Reverse - Game to order a random list of letters quickly by reversing a portion of the list at a time. User sets list from 3-12 letters. Foto Flash - Game to type in letter/number sequences flashed in same or reversed order. Choice of 3 to 10 character sequences. Library Skills 1: Dewey Decimal - Timed drill to identify classification for number or number for classification. Assumes prior instruction on Dewey decimal classification. Library Skills 2: Card Catalog - Timed drill to identify parts and types of library catalog cards shown: subject, author, title, call number. Spell-N-Time - Game of speed to type in a word flashed on screen. Flash time faster/slower for right/wrong answers. Word is shown in syllables if missed. Word data lists "Comma - Speed drill to place comma needed into sentences. Data sentence list of 10 sentences at 5th grade level. *Syllables - Speed drill to divide words into syllables. DATA words list of 30 words at 5th grade level.

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Measurement
Typing Fractions - A short tutorial practice for typing fractions and mixed numbers for these and most programs. Approximate Measurement 1 & 2 - Demonstrates precision of measurement using on-screen rulers with inch, half inch, and quarter inch markings. Smallest Unit - Tutorial and drill. Precision is as accurate as smallest unit used in measuring/reporting. Tutorial and drill to identify smallest unit of accuracy. Micrometer Measurement - Drill to set and read a micrometer barrel simulated on screen. *Counting Calories (Desserts) - Type in ingredients, quantities and servings for a recipe and program will calculate calories per serving. Program has data on some 100 plus ingredients. Sampling - Comparisons of means of small and large samplings let users see their importance of large samples. Plotting of population samples produces a bell-shaped curve.

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Alphabet Keys
Written by Jana Birch, CUR member in Vista Unified School District, this disk was originally designed for use by students with limited physical functioning. A series of programs emphasizing keyboard use: free typing of letters, finding letter keys in sequence, matching letters randomly shown to keys, copying words/Phrases typed in by the instructor, etc. User can specify all or selected letters for use. Most of the programs can make use of Echo II speech hardware, if present. Screen format is also compatible with adaptive firmware cards using the bottom of the screen to scroll choices. Appropriate for K-1 classrooms, too.

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Elementary Math Disk #1
This disk represents some cleaned-up versions of old "Classic" SOFTSWAP disks, as well as programs from other sources. Addition Fractions - Drill on adding fractions. Help provided in the form of a graphical display of shaded rectangles. Take It or Leave It - A game in which you need to determine quickly whether the answer to problems is positive or negative. The answers affect your cash flow. Making Change - Specify what coins to give to make change in random problems. Pizza - Practice two-dimensional coordinates by delivering pizzas. Many more! For Apples with 64k.

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Spelling Shop Lessons
A new lineup of lessons based on the Lakidlaw spelling series, grades 6-8, provided by Charles Hartley. Actually, Ms. Marjorie Casey, a retired school teacher, is mostly responsible for them. She first met at Mr. Hartley's school several days a week. Incidentally, she is Charles' mother. Miss Kellie Middleton, an eighth grade student, spent many hours preparing the lessons to correct typing errors.

Over 700K of data, these lessons are provided on three double sided 5 1/4" disks or one 3 1/2" disk.

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The Spelling Shop
Designed like a shop with an Activities Center and a Test Center. Activities include: jumbled letters, missing word in a sentence, select correct from among several spellings, jumbled syllables and more. Test formats are similarly varied. Program comes with a File Maker Utility. Words can be tagged into 3 levels if desired. Several sample files. Very user friendly and well explained file maker.

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$11 single 3 1/2" disk - order code #SPSHOP3 for Apples with 64k

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Conic Sections

David A. Anderson, computer consultant and educational software programmer, has kindly donated three of his PC programs to our library.

Conic Sections illustrates various definitions and constructions of, well, conic sections. David wrote a set of lesson plans for a unit on conics while taking a class at UC Berkeley.

Up to forty hours of lessons and activities are included on disk.

The intended audience is high school students taking Analytic Geometry or Algebra II. It could also be used for college level pre-calculus.

Students will see the geometric objects from several points of view, as cross sections through three-dimensional objects, as sets of points (loci) in the plane satisfying certain geometric conditions and as graphs of equations in the Cartesian plane.

Also included on this disk are Off Balance, a math puzzle, and ASCKey, a programmer’s utility which may be of use in computer science courses.

All of these programs run on IBM’s and compatibles under MS-DOS 3.0 or higher. Conic Sections and Off Balance require a graphics card. Conics, the largest program, requires at least 320K.

Our thanks to David for donating what amounts to our first real running PC program!

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This disk CAN NOT be write protected.
If you exit this program improperly during any portion its execution, e.g. by control-reset or by turning the computer off, you probably left one or two files on the disk (depending on whether one or two people were playing) which will prevent it from running thereafter.
Get a catalog of the disk and delete any files named INFO.XYZ, where XYZ may be any combination of letters (the program uses parts of the players names). It should run correctly at that point.
SunRaycer Tutorial & Simulation
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