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VizZle Wins 2011 ‘Award of Excellence’ from *Tech & Learning Magazine*

Shaker Heights, Ohio (November 14, 2011) – VizZle, the easy-to-use, web-based authoring tool that empowers educators to create fun, interactive, visually-supported curriculum customized to the needs of children with autism and other learning challenges, was honored with a 2011 Award of Excellence from *Tech & Learning* magazine.

VizZle was chosen as a “Best Upgraded Product” winner, which recognizes significant enhancements in a new version of a product already on the market. Best Upgraded Product winners evolve with the changing technology, continuing to offer the highest quality experiences for educators and students. Recently, VizZle released its first-ever MYO-App (Make Your Own App) for iPad, which allows teachers to customize the App to meet an individual learner’s needs using interactive visual lessons created from templates or chosen from over 5,000 peer-reviewed activities from a shared library.

“At VizZle, we are committed to providing educators and students with leading-edge technology to meet the needs of special education students, in the classroom and beyond,” said Terry Murphy, CEO of Monarch Teaching Technologies. “Being honored as a 2011 Award of Excellence winner serves as encouragement, especially as we continue to expand our platform to tablets and other mobile learning devices.”

A panel of more than 30 educators selected this year’s *Tech & Learning* Award of Excellence winners after reviewing more than 160 entries. The awards honor software, hardware, network, Web products and innovative applications that break new ground as well as those that add significant enhancements to proven education tools.

About VizZle

VizZle, produced by Monarch Teaching Technologies, is an easy-to-use, web-based authoring tool that empowers educators to create fun, interactive, visually-supported curriculum customized to the needs of children with autism and other learning challenges. Using any of the thousands of pre-made lessons from the peer-reviewed shared library or using lessons created with flexible templates and thousands of in-program or imported images, audio and video clips, teachers can track improved outcomes by IEP goals or any state standard.

<http://www.monarchteachtech.com/vizzle>

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