

# Back to school

All resources can be accessed by going to [tampabay.com/nie](http://tampabay.com/nie).

## TEACHER TO-DO LIST:

- ✓ Decorate classroom and door
- ✓ Organize supplies
- ✓ Set up grade book
- ✓ Post homework policy
- ✓ **SIGN UP FOR FREE CLASSROOM NEWSPAPERS!**



The Tampa Bay Times Newspaper in Education program offers the Pulitzer Prize-winning Tampa Bay Times in print and digital formats for teachers of all grades and subjects to use in their classrooms free of charge.

To request print and digital newspapers for your classroom, visit [tampabay.com/nie](http://tampabay.com/nie). [Click on > Sign up here.](#)



## USE THE NEWS

### LESSONS BY GRADE LEVEL

News-based lessons for grades K-4, 5-8 and 9-12. Perfect for "bell ringer" activities. [Click on > Lesson Plans](#) under the *Weekly Lessons* menu.

## CURRICULUM SUPPLEMENTS

NIE offers original curriculum supplements aligned with the Florida Standards in print and digital formats. [Click on > Curriculum menu.](#)

## CARTOONS

### FOR THE CLASSROOM

Presented by NIEonline.com and the Association of America Cartoonists

Activities based on editorial cartoons. This is a great way to encourage critical thinking. [Click on > Cartoons for the Classroom](#) under the *Weekly Lessons* menu.

## LAST WEEK IN THE NEWS

### A CURRENT EVENTS QUIZ

Five-question, multiple-choice quiz on current events. Updated weekly. [Click on > Last Week in the News](#) under the *Weekly Lessons* menu.

## HEADLINE GEOGRAPHY

Five-question, multiple-choice quiz on geography in the news. Updated weekly. [Click on > Headline Geography](#) under the *Weekly Lessons* menu.



Topics of astronomical interest from NASA's Night Sky Network. Updated monthly.

[Click on > NASA Space Place](#) under the *Weekly Lessons* menu.

## FRONT PAGE TALKING POINTS

Articles, videos and activities about current news events are provided for discussion. Updated weekly. [Click on > Front Page Talking Points](#) under the *Weekly Lessons* menu.

## NEWS VIDEO

### WEEKLY TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

Videos of current news events and discussion questions. Updated weekly. [Click on > News Video](#) under the *Weekly Lessons* menu.