



# Edmark House Series: Frequently Asked Questions

## 1. What's New in the Edmark House Series programs?

Here are key new features and key educational benefits:

- Powerful reporting and learning management tools to target students' individual needs
  - Progress reporting showing indicators of proficiency - how well a student did on a particular task
  - Progress reporting indicating where they left off (saved for their return) and when student finishes (time on task)
  - Built-in correlations to state standards - ability to search for activities or assessments based on specific state standards and assign to individual students
  - Import and export student, class, and teacher lists
  - Easy-to-administer assessments that help gauge student proficiency and inform the teacher process
  - 30% more activities (print and interactive) .
  - Expanded Discover and Question & Answer modes provide even more opportunities for independent and structure learning
  - Easy-to-administer assessments help gauge student proficiency and inform the teacher process
  - Updated characters take advantage of the latest digital technology
  - 2 new activities per title including:
    - Letter recognition and sentence building
    - Recognizing consonant blends
    - Recognizing attributes and categorizing objects
    - Teaching numbers by means of measuring
- Improved Print Functionality
  - The ability to turn print on and off
  - Ability to preview print job
  - Ability to select number of copies to print
- Intuitive interface includes both graphical and spoken instruction to allow pre-readers to interactive with the programs independently
  - Easier to access teacher tools
  - Single login allowing for switching between House Series products without multiple logins
- Expanded accessibility options to ensure all students have equal access to learning
  - Built-in Universal Access and pacing Options
  - Ability select and assign accessibility options by student
  - Closed-captioning of all audio and controls
  - Screen scaling for larger screen views

## 2. Are the new Edmark House Series programs available as a portal version?

Yes

## 3. Our school already has Edmark House Series, why would we upgrade?

The NEW Edmark House Series combines all the favorite activities found in previous versions with 30% more content and NEW assessment and reporting tools to target each student's individual learning goals.

Designed with extensive input from Special Needs & Early Learning Specialists and students, the new Edmark House Series utilizes innovative instructional design combined with a rich, multi-sensory learning environment, theme-based activities and positive, gentle feedback, to support each student's learning style, guiding them towards success.

This is the first time Edmark House Series has been upgraded in more than 10 years. This upgrade brings the much loved programs into the 21st century with new graphics, content and management and reporting tools that have been design to meet IDEA, 508 and NCLB requirements.

## 4. Are the new Edmark House Series programs fully installable?

Yes

## 5. Will the new Edmark House Series have the same great print, curriculum and together time activities?

Yes, these will now be available under 'Teacher Resources' in the teacher management area of the program so every teacher using the program no matter where their location will have access to these resources from the program... versus having to track down the teacher resource binder.

## 6. When will the new Edmark House Series be available?

Available Now!

## 7. Can a teacher assign content for both Destination Success and House series from the LMS?

Yes, a teacher can assign both House Series and Destination content from within the LMS since they utilize the same LMS.