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Over the past month, several changes have been made to the United States Mint H.I.P. Pocket Change™ Web site, specifically with teachers in mind! To help you learn about “What’s New For You”, explore some of the links that have been listed below.

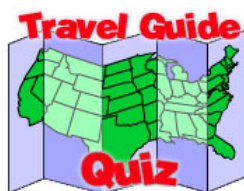
Do you have any questions or comments about H.I.P. Pocket Change? Do you have a great idea for using coins in the classroom? Send your thoughts to TeachersNetwork@usmint.treas.gov! We look forward to hearing your comments.



[State Quarter Day In The Classroom](#) – Examine all of the fun classroom activity ideas and links that the United States Mint has put together to help you celebrate the launch of the new **[Texas quarter](#)** in your own classroom!



[July Coin of the Month](#) – It’s July and Inspector Collector can’t wait to show you the new 2004 American Eagles series! Come celebrate our country’s independence by learning more about this patriotic coin series.



[Travel Guide Quiz](#) – Think you know everything there is to know about the 50 State Quarters® Program? Test your design knowledge to see whether you’re examining your change closely enough. Be sure to try your hand at the bonus questions regarding the new Texas quarter obverse. Invite your students to try this quiz on its own, or as part of the brand new ***Seeing the States WebQuest!***

[Fun Facts](#) – A new Fun Fact is available each month, but you don't have to settle for one fun fact at a time! Just click on a fact at the top of any H.I.P. Pocket Change page and learn some little known stories of the United States Mint and American coinage!



[Teacher Features](#) – While you can always find great classroom ideas in the Teachers section of H.I.P. Pocket Change, be sure to click on the Teacher Feature icon whenever you spot it on the site to find ideas that relate directly to whatever you’ve just read!



Feature Name	Related Content	Covered Curricular Area
1. <u>Valuable Fun!</u>	July’s Coin of the Month	Language Arts

All of these resources, and more, are at your fingertips each time you return to **[H.I.P. Pocket Change!](#)**

Thanks again for your interest in all United States Mint activities. If you find this information useful, make sure you share it with a friend!