

### Cause to Celebrate!

#### Science Honors Science Buddies with Prestigious SPORE Award

Science Buddies received a *Science* Prize for Online Resources in Education (SPORE), awarded by the **American Association for the Advancement of Science** (AAAS) and *Science*, an esteemed journal that represents the depth of the scientific community. The award recognizes "the best online materials in science education." Says Bruce Alberts, editor-in-chief of *Science*, "We want to recognize innovators in science education."

Science Buddies is honored to be named a SPORE recipient. "It provides tremendous validation for our efforts to advance science education and literacy," says Kenneth Hess, founder and president of Science Buddies.

To learn more about Science Buddies' history, mission, and vision, we encourage you to:

- Watch our new [4-minute video](#), which highlights the importance of Science Buddies as a bridge between students and researchers.
- Read "[Science Buddies: Advancing Informal Science Education](#)," published in the current issue of *Science* (Vol. 332, #6029).
- Read the [American Association for the Advancement of Science announcement](#).



(The AAAS is the world's largest general scientific society and is publisher of the journal *Science*. AAAS was founded in 1848 and includes some 262 affiliated societies and academies of science, serving 10 million individuals. *Science* has the largest paid circulation of any peer-reviewed general science journal in the world, with an estimated total readership of 1 million.)

#### Don't Miss...

- Science Buddies Founder and President Kenneth Hess will be speaking as part of the **Intel ISEF Educator Academy** on Wednesday, May 11, 1:45-2:45 p.m.
- View profiles for *In Demand* careers like [Forensic Science Technician](#)



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