

WEB SITE OF THE WEEK

By Angie Corritone, Hidden Hills Elementary

January 23, 2008

TITLE: The New Money
AUTHOR: U.S. Department of the Treasury
URL: <http://www.moneyfactory.gov/newmoney/>

NOTES: This site is interesting for everyone from adult shoppers, to entrepreneurial children, to historians, to engineers. Read about the timeline for when new bills will enter circulation in 2008, and how the bills' new security threads help businesses validate the currency. Tour the interactive bill that highlights the new features, or download educational materials.

COOL CLICKS:

Design your own bill, "catch a counterfeit," and other games
<http://www.moneyfactory.gov/newmoney/main.cfm/learning/fun>

The new \$5 bill enters circulation March 13th
http://www.moneyfactory.gov/newmoney/main.cfm/media/releases_12132007

Fact sheets about the new bills
<http://www.moneyfactory.gov/newmoney/main.cfm/media/factsheets>

History of U.S. currency
<http://www.moneyfactory.gov/newmoney/main.cfm/currency/history>