

## Scholastic Statement on J.K. Rowling's Pottermore Announcement

NEW YORK, June 23, 2011 /PRNewswire/ -- (NASDAQ: SCHL) <u>Scholastic</u> is proud to be a key partner in the Pottermore project, including connecting teachers and parents from our school and online channels directly to ebook sales via Pottermore and providing marketing and promotion support. We're excited about the new content from J.K. Rowling to go along with the books. This will surely inspire more interest in the series and bring a whole new generation of readers to Harry Potter. We're pleased to support Pottermore because we know the power of the <u>Harry Potter books</u> to turn kids into lifelong readers, and we believe every child should experience Harry Potter — whether in ebooks or in print. In addition, Scholastic will receive a royalty on sales of the U.S. editions of the ebooks.

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J.K. Rowling's Pottermore announcement is at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/jkrowlingannounces">www.youtube.com/jkrowlingannounces</a>. The official press release announcing Pottermore is at <a href="https://www.pottermore.com/en/press">www.pottermore.com/en/press</a>.

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