



Many additions have been made to the United States Mint H.I.P. Pocket Change™ Web site within the last month! To help you learn about, “What’s New For You?” explore some of the links that have been listed below.



[Coins of the World](#) – Travel with the HPC pals to distant lands to see how our currency is like that of other countries, all without packing a single bag! Take some time to visit this animated adventure, or the online storybook version.



[March’s Coin of the Month](#) – March’s featured coin is the Ohio state quarter that was just released this month. Take a few moments to find out why these new coins are really out of this world!

[The Coins Are Coming](#) – Take a look at the second United States Mint Commemorative Coin minted in 2002, the U.S. Military Academy Bicentennial Commemorative Coin. While you’re here, test your coin knowledge with the animated **West Point Quiz!**

[Fun Facts](#) - Three new Fun Facts are available each month!



[Medal Mania](#) – Take a look at Inspector Collector’s newest interest, medals made by the United States Mint! This month the Inspector is taking a look at medals, which feature [special women](#) who have had a great impact on our country.



[Lesson Plans](#) – Congratulations to all the winners of the first-ever "[Coins in the Classroom](#)" [Lesson Plan Contest!](#) Take a good look at these terrific entries to see if they can help you teach with coins in your own classroom!

Please remember that your coin-centric lesson plans are always a welcomed addition to H.I.P. Pocket Change, and may be [submitted](#) directly to the site at any point in time!

Lesson Name	Curricular Area	Grade Level(s)
1. <u>A Fraction of the Cost</u>	Math	3-5
2. <u>Let’s Learn About the United States</u>	History	K-2
3. <u>Pot of Money</u>	Math	K-2, 3-5
4. <u>Change Mixer</u>	Math	K-2, 3-5

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5. The Alphabet of Coins	Language Arts	K-2
6. Coin Battery	Science	3-5, 6-8
7. Class Penny Quilt	History	K-2



[State Quarter Day In The Classroom](#) – Examine all of the fun classroom activity ideas that HPC has developed to help you celebrate the launch of the new Ohio quarter in your own classroom!



[Teacher Features](#) – While you can always find these 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	Coin News Connection	Covered Curricular Area
1. Coins in Space!	March’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 HPC activities. If you find this information useful, make sure you share it with a friend!