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## **Move This World Partners with D2L Brightspace to Increase Impact of Social Emotional Learning Curriculum**

***Partnership gives schools using Move This World a user-friendly platform and improved reporting and analytics to improve social emotional learning***

**New York, NY (May. 22, 2020)** -- [Move This World \(MTW\)](#), a leading provider of social emotional learning curriculum for PreK-12, is excited to announce a new partnership with global learning technology leader D2L. Move This World will use [D2L's Brightspace](#) as their new online learning platform, bringing social emotional learning experiences to hundreds of thousands of students across the United States.

"We are thrilled to play a part in the vital and innovative work that MTW is doing — and to support social and emotional learning in fun and interactive ways," said Puneet Arora, Chief Revenue Officer at D2L. "By using technology in such a creative and purposeful way, MTW is transforming lives and schools all over the world — and that's very exciting to be a part of."

Move This World cultivates students' social and emotional learning (SEL) skills that enable them to navigate the complex and rapidly changing realities of our world. Students learn how to manage their emotions, navigate challenges and build healthy relationships. In addition to building core SEL skills and preparing students for the future, MTW helps strengthen school culture by creating a common language around SEL and allowing everyone in the school community to effectively communicate with one another. Move This World's new partnership with D2L will empower school communities with the strategies to become safer learning environments where teachers and students can grow, adapt, connect and navigate life's challenges with each other.

D2L's Brightspace platform easily supports video content in a user- and mobile-friendly way with the analytic capabilities to support schools. Teachers will have more flexibility using MTW on the D2L platform, improving the ability to integrate SEL throughout the school day. Additionally,

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D2L's platform will make it easy for educators to navigate content by standard, providing more accuracy and accountability for teachers, schools, and districts.

"When we began working with more classrooms, it became evident that we needed a platform that could grow with our expanded video and content offerings while providing an engaging and easy-to-use experience," said MTW Vice President of Partnerships Kathy Krupa. "In D2L, we've found a platform that not only enables us technologically but also is a partner that supports our mission."

### **ABOUT MOVE THIS WORLD**

Move This World cultivates students' social and emotional learning (SEL) skills that empower them to navigate the complex and rapidly-changing realities of our world. Move This World is a social emotional learning program that enables students to establish and maintain healthy relationships with peers, staff and themselves. The curriculum is delivered through an extensive online library of PreK-12 videos and resources rooted in creative expression that help students, teachers and staff develop a common language to improve communication and build trust. Move This World has impacted the lives of over 1 million students across 30 states. For more information, please visit [www.movethisworld.com](http://www.movethisworld.com).

### **ABOUT BRIGHTSPACE**

Brightspace is a cloud-based learning platform built by educators, for educators that works on any device. It's secure, worry-free technology that puts customers first — allowing you to create engaging courses within your existing technology to fit your unique needs. With Brightspace, you can easily set up individualized learning paths for your students, keep them on track with automated nudges, provide them with personalized feedback and increase their engagement through gamification, social tools, video and other powerful features.

Brightspace is the only learning platform chosen as a partner of the National Federation of the Blind's Strategic Nonvisual Access Partnership program, which has been redesigned as their Centre of Excellence in Nonvisual Access. Brightspace was named the #1 LMS for Next-Gen Online Teaching and Learning by Ovum Research and #1 in Adaptive Learning by eLearning Magazine. Aragon Research also included D2L in its highly coveted Hot Vendors In Learning list and Brightspace was named the Best K-12 Learning Management System at the SIIA CODiE Awards. To learn more, visit the Higher Education and K-12 pages on our website.

### **ABOUT D2L**

D2L believes learning is the foundation upon which all progress and achievement rests. Working closely with organizations globally, D2L has transformed the way millions of people learn online and in the classroom. Learn more about D2L for schools, higher education and businesses at [www.D2L.com](http://www.D2L.com).

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