



## ***Editor in Chief*® Wins 1<sup>st</sup> Place Software Award from *Practical Homeschooling*!**

**Seaside, CA—April 20, 2006**—The Critical Thinking Co. is pleased to announce that *Editor in Chief*® software has won 1<sup>st</sup> place in the annual *Practical Homeschooling* magazine's 2006 Software Awards. The readers of this magazine voted for the winners.

Recognized as an innovative company with personality, offering “thinking skills software galore!” The Critical Thinking Co. was also awarded 1<sup>st</sup> place overall in the thinking/logic category. *Editor in Chief*® software, recognized as one of the top 101 best educational programs, received 1<sup>st</sup> place in the grammar category. The readers were asked to identify the best and most useful products in each category; winning programs were decided by a weighted score from 1 (terrible) to 10 (most excellent).

With over 100,000 subscribers, *Practical Homeschooling* magazine is a trusted source of news and information about homeschooling today. The magazine is published by Mary Pride, author of numerous educational books and a well-known speaker on homeschooling topics.

AWARD SITE: <http://www.home-school.com/catalog/detail.php3?idn=450>

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For over 35 years, The Critical Thinking Co. has been the recognized leader in teaching thinking. The company offers fun, easy-to-use products that develop a wide-range of thinking skills and improve standards-based learning in reading, writing, math, science, and history. The company's award-winning books and software empower students with the problem-solving skills needed for success in school and in life. The Critical Thinking Co. guarantees better grades and higher test scores, or your money back!

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