

One Hen in The Classroom

Examples of school adoption and engagement with One Hen include:

*Wellesley, MA, elementary schools introduced One Hen/onehen.org into their social studies unit on Ghana for first graders.

*JFK School in Canton, MA, developed a full 4th grade curriculum in Math, Social Studies, Science and Reading for Fall/Winter 2008/09 using onehen.org.

*City Year Boston and City Year NYC trained their staff to introduce the curriculum as after school programming.

*BELL National will pilot a six-week financial responsibility enrichment stream for their 2009 summer school for grade 4&5 urban students, using One Hen/onehen.org

*Teach for America has profiled the book/site in their newsletters to reach teachers across the country.

*Heritage School in Texas introduced One Hen across all grades.

*A Gresham, Oregon, school introduced the book & website across all grades, and wrote a song about Kojo, the books protagonist.

*Several schools in Toronto, Canada, are introducing One Hen as their "Be the Change" curriculum.

*Jenzabar plans to introduce the text/technology resources to teacher colleges, starting with Bank St. College in NYC.

There is a resource tab on the site for teachers and librarians, which holds lesson plans and classroom activities for younger and older readers across multiple subjects developed by City Year, Opportunity International, schools, Kids Can Press and One Hen Inc., and a classroom poster. A toolkit for classroom fundraisers is posted with ideas and activities developed by Opportunity International.