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#### New Dynamic Modular Software modernizes Language Learning

Breakthrough modular software brings a modern and dynamic edge to language learning. SANAKO introduces SANAKO Study 1200, an advanced language teaching software solution that's suitable for wireless environments\* and can be enhanced with add-on modules that introduce additional learning or teaching activities. Study 1200 is completely software-based, and the systems are flexible and fully scaleable to meet teaching needs for large or small groups – purchase the software for as many or as few student PCs as you need, and your language teaching environment is ready!

This progressive software can even be integrated into existing IT facilities, and uses Internet and IT resources to bring a contemporary feel to traditional language learning routines. In addition to listening activities, learners can benefit from the voice-based activities supported by the unique Study 1200 student digital recorder.

### Approachable technology for effective learning results

Teacher-student and student-student communication and collaboration are facilitated by modern tools such as text messaging or chat. These tools are presented using interfaces that are intuitive, easy-to-understand, and activity-based, so teachers don't have to worry about making the wrong move at any time. At the same time that Study 1200 introduces new possibilities for interaction and communication, it keeps the teacher firmly at the center of the learning process.

Designed to be compatible with current and future versions of Microsoft® operating systems, Study 1200 allows teachers to incorporate everyday Microsoft Office® tools such as PowerPoint® to create innovative learning activities that stimulate and challenge learners.

#### Teaching and learning stay cutting-edge

With the modular design of the SANAKO software language teaching solutions, teachers can enhance their teaching activities by purchasing add-on modules with specific functionalities. These enhancement modules allow teachers to introduce new drills and activities to make their teaching programs more effective. The add-on modules may also improve teachers' administrative or classroom management capabilities in the learning environment, ensuring that class time is optimally used. The dynamic software will also seek out updates online to ensure that it offers the maximum performance.

# **Pioneering Educational Software Development**

Sanako Study 1200 is lightweight dynamic software, which brings state-of-the-art technology to language learning multimedia-enhanced IT environments, including wireless LANs\*. Study 1200 and other members of the Study family of teaching software are new releases from the SANAKO software development platform that involves the creation of software-based products for standard PC-based usage environments.

### **SANAKO Corporation**

SANAKO specializes in language learning technology, software teaching solutions, virtual learning and web-based real time collaboration software and licensing, serving academic and business clients globally. The company is privately held, employs 80 and the estimated turnover for 2005 is EUR 12m.

The company's predecessors include Tandberg Educational, Teleste Educational, Auditek and Divace, and the Tandberg commitment to quality endures in today's solutions. Our breakthrough online, real-time teaching solution SANAKO Forum 100 (formerly SANAKO Lounge 100) was granted the prestigious CODIE Award for Best New Education Solution 2004 by the members of the Software and Information Industry Association (SIIA).

\* Some restrictions may apply.