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Authentic Learning

Real-World Experiences That Build 21st-Century Skills

by Todd Stanley

Prufrock Press Inc. • On Sale: May 1/18 • 8.5 x 11 • 150 pages

9781618217615 • \$41.95 • pb • Education / Teaching Methods & Materials / General

This book offers teaching strategies that allow educators to provide students with authentic learning experiences that they can apply to their lives in school-and beyond. Beginning with a justification for authentic learning and how it teaches 21st-century skills, each subsequent chapter discusses a specific strategy and how it allows for authenticity. Strategies include project-based learning, problem-based learning, inquiry learning, and simulations. The book also includes a section on how to create lessons across the curriculum, so that students learn how all of the subject areas fit (...)



Interventions That Work With Special Populations in Gifted Education



Interventions That Work With Special Populations in Gifted Education

by Ariel Baska and Joyce VanTassel-Baska

Prufrock Press Inc. • On Sale: May 15/18 • 7 x 10 • 200 pages

9781618217097 • \$56.95 • pb • Education / Special Education / Gifted

This text is for regular classroom teachers who work with special needs learners in their classrooms, and the specialists and administrators who support these populations. Students of poverty, English language learners, and the twice exceptional are often overlooked for services in gifted programs and frequently miss out on opportunities to hone their skills and learn the culture of success. Interventions provided in this book promote talent development in schools, at home, and in the community. This book focuses on both the social-emotional and cognitive needs of these students, and (...)



Advanced Content Models for Differentiating Curriculum

Simple Tools for Complex Thinking

by Tamra Stambaugh and Emily Mofield

Prufrock Press Inc. • On Sale: May 30/18 • 8.5 x 11 • 250 pages

9781618217660 • \$64.00 • pb • Education / Educational Psychology

Advanced Content Models for Differentiating Curriculum: Simple Tools for Complex Thinking provides teachers with models and strategies they can easily use to create appropriately complex differentiated lessons, questions, tasks, and projects. Developed by Vanderbilt University's Programs for Talented Youth, this must-have resource for both gifted and regular education teachers includes specific thinking models for teaching English language arts, social studies, science, and math. This book is ideal for teachers who are looking for ways to differentiate and design lessons for their highest achieving students, providing multiple examples of how (...)



Incredible Machines

40 Amazing Infographics for Kids

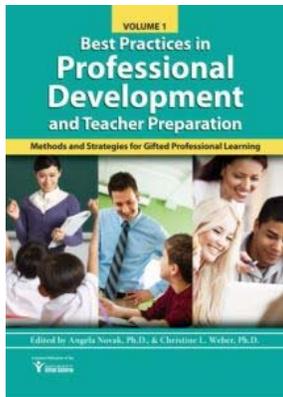
by Jenn Dlugos and Charlie Hatton

Prufrock Press Inc. • On Sale: Jun 1/18 • 10 x 10 • 72 pages

9781618217707 • \$24.95 • cl • Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Tech / How Things Work

Ever wondered how your video game console works? Want to peep under the hood of an electric car? Do you dream of building your own robot someday? The infographics in this book will take you on a trip through some of the world's most amazing machines. You'll discover how these machines are built, see how they work, and learn how engineers troubleshoot problems to keep these incredible inventions working smoothly. We live in a world of complicated technology, but this book breaks down the complex, the confusing, and the downright (...)



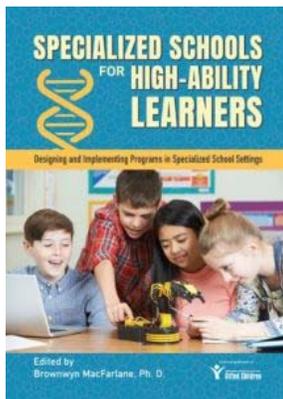


Best Practices in Professional Development and Teacher Preparation in Gifted Education (Vol. 1)

Methods and Strategies for Gifted Professional Learning
by Angela Novak

Prufrock Press Inc. • On Sale: Jun 15/18 • 7 x 10 • 250 pages
9781618217721 • \$93.00 • pb • Education / Special Education / Gifted

Teacher preparation programs may not adequately train teachers in how to meet the needs of gifted and talented students in the regular classroom. Several states offer additional teacher preparation programs by providing either an endorsement or certification in the field, but these are often pursued by teachers specifically enrolled in gifted coursework rather than in general education programs. Practitioners and researchers agree that time and energy should be spent on training teachers in how to address the needs of gifted and



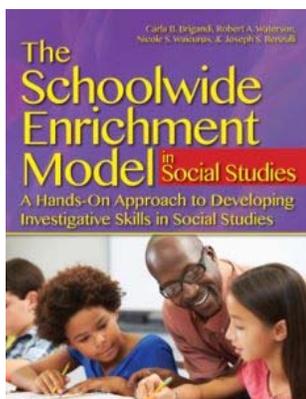
Specialized Schools for High-Ability Learners

Designing and Implementing Programs in Specialized School Settings

by Bronwyn MacFarlane

Prufrock Press Inc. • On Sale: Jun 30/18 • 7 x 10 • 200 pages
9781618217776 • \$64.00 • pb • Education / Special Education / Gifted

Specialized Schools for High-Ability Learners focuses on educational programming offered in nontraditional, publicly approved, and private settings, with important details about how to serve high-ability learners in specialized schools and deliver schoolwide educational change. Each chapter offers a differentiated resource for educators who are interested in designing and implementing programs in specialized school settings by providing a discussion of the critical components for inclusion in a carefully planned, coherent, and



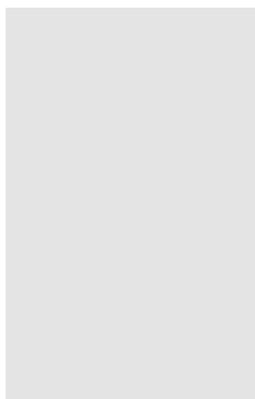
The Schoolwide Enrichment Model in Social Studies

A Hand-On Approach to Developing Investigative Skills in Social Studies

by Carla B. Brigandi, Robert A. Waterson and Nicole S. Waicunas

Prufrock Press Inc. • On Sale: Jun 30/18 • 8.5 x 11 • 150 pages
9781618216472 • \$34.95 • pb • Education / Teaching Methods & Materials / Social Science

Grounded in decades of research, the Schoolwide Enrichment Model (SEM) has been successfully implemented at hundreds of schools across the world. In The Schoolwide Enrichment Model in Social Studies: A Hands-On Approach to Developing Investigative Skills in Social Studies, teachers learn to apply the SEM strategies to the social studies curriculum. Through activities designed to motivate, challenge and engage, teachers learn how to help students develop an understanding of the core principles of democracy and



Makerspaces in School

A Month-by-Month Schoolwide Model for Building Meaningful Makerspaces

by Lacy Brejcha

Prufrock Press Inc. • On Sale: Jul 1/18 • 6 x 9 • 175 pages
9781618217806 • \$30.95 • pb • Education / Teaching Methods & Materials / General

Organized into an easy-to-follow, month-by-month plan for implementation, this book provides field-tested and research-based knowledge that will serve educators as they create and maintain a meaningful Makerspace. Although science, technology, engineering, arts, and math have made huge gains in the past decade, STEAM jobs are not being filled at the rate they are being created or needed. Makerspaces in School promotes innovative thinking in students that fills this need. Through Makerspaces, project-based learning provides



Create a Growth Mindset School

An Administrator's Guide to Leading a Growth Mindset Community
by Mary Cay Ricci

Prufrock Press Inc. • On Sale: Aug 1/18 • 6 x 9 • 100 pages
9781618217837 • \$41.95 • pb • Education / Educational Psychology

Principals and district administrators will learn ways to develop, sustain, monitor, and lead schools and districts striving for growth mindset learning environments. The book will include guidance in the areas of: growth mindset hiring, feedback, systemic professional learning, and ways to evaluate present processes and protocols through a growth mindset lens. Guidance and suggestions for embedding growth mindset learning through curriculum, instruction, and grading will also be included. Anticipated barriers for implementation will be discussed, as well as suggestions for addressing these barriers. Attributes of growth mindset leaders will also be discussed.

