



# Middle Cities Education Association's Urban Learner Resource Library

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AR = articles	BK = books	CA = cassettes
MC = MCEA documents	VD = videos	PM = pamphlets, guides, brochures
PR = papers	CD = CDROM	

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## Middle Cities Documents

- VD-0012 **NEW Star Urban Teachers: Dialogue with Martin Haberman**; MCEA Presentation featuring Dr. Martin Haberman, Distinguished Professor of Education, University of Wisconsin. Includes live "Urban Teacher Interview" to illustrate how star teachers think and behave to achieve excellence in urban settings, June 1999.
- MC-0001 **Web Page Publishing Guidelines**, Educational Technology Task Force, MCEA, 1998
- MC-0002 **Technology Revolution: Meeting the Communication Challenge**, Packet from MCEA Spring Event, MCEA, April 29, 1998
- MC-0003 **"Work in Progress Survey" Results for 1997-1998**, MCEA, 1998
- MC-0004 **Middle Cities Education Association Teacher Specifications**, Prepared by Grand Rapids Public Schools, August 1997
- MC-0005 **Early Childhood Task Force Survey: A Compilation of Preschool Programs, Services and Practices in Middle Cities Districts**, MCEA, September 1998
- MC-0006 **NEW Middle Cities Annual Financial B Expenditure Report for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1998**
- PR-0006 **Integrating the Internet into the Classroom**, MCEA, Blaine Victor Morrow, October 2, 1996
- PR-0022 **The Changing Nature of Learning**, John Cleveland, Center for Continuous Improvement, Grand Rapids Community College, MCEA Presentation
- PR-0023 **Strategic Planning Process: Individualizing Success**, School District of the City of Saginaw, September 1997
- PR-0024 **Block 8 Scheduling and the Urban Learner**, Monroe Public Schools, September 1997

## Urban Learner Framework

- VD-0001 **A New Vision of the Urban Learner: From Theory to Practice**, MCEA Task Force Presentation, Fall 1995 (featuring Belinda Williams, Director, Urban Education Project), supporting materials included
- VD-0002 **A New Vision of the Urban Learner: The Russell Story**, MCEA Task Force Presentation, Fall 1995, (featuring Belinda Williams, Director, Urban Education Project), supporting materials included
- CA-0020 **Reducing At-Riskness: Building Resiliency at School**, Richard Sagor, ASCD, 1996
- BK-0002 **Closing the Achievement Gap: A Vision for Changing Beliefs and Practices**, Belinda Williams, Editor, ASCD, 1996
- PR-0003 **Fostering Resiliency in Kids: Protective Factors in the Family, School, and Community**, Bonnie Benard, August 1991

- PR-0013 ***Developing Resilience in Urban Youth***, Linda F. Winfield, Ph.D. 1994
- PR-0016 ***NCREL Monograph: Developing Resilience in Urban Youth***, Linda F. Winfield, *Pathways Home Page*, pp 1-12
- PR-0018 ***Mentoring Programs For Urban Youth: Handle With Care***, Bonnie Benard, Western Regional Center for Drug-Free Schools and Communities, June 1992
- AR-1201 ***The Urban Learner Framework and School Change: Readings***, excerpts and adaptations from J. J. Irvine, B. Bowman, G. Ladson-Billings, H. Gardner, E. Miller, S. Lee, B. Benard, R. J. Rossi, S. C. Stringfield, P. I. Grossman, S. S. Stodolsky, December 1995
- AR-1202 ***Building on Urban Learners' Experiences***, Belinda Williams and Michele Woods, *Educational Leadership*, April 1997, pp 29-32
- AR-1205 ***Building on the Strengths of Urban Learners***, B. Williams and E. Newcombe, *Educational Leadership*, May 1994, pp 75-78

### Teaching and Learning Models/Strategies

- BK-0034 **NEW** ***Teaching Middle School Students to Be Active Researchers***, Judith M. Zorfass with Harriet Copel, ASCD, 1998.
- VD-0014 **NEW** ***R.E.A.D.Y (Read, Educate and Develop Youth)***; Parent Information for Infants, Toddlers and Preschoolers. Includes activities you can do together to help your child learn, a book for your child, a child development chart, and *I Am Your Child* booklet and videotape, and more. Michigan Department of Education, 1998.
- BK-0026 **NEW** ***The Differentiated Classroom: Responding to the Needs of All Learners***, Carol Ann Thomlinson, ASCD, 1999.
- VD-0013 **NEW** ***Learn and Live (A documentary exploring innovative educational programs-hosted by Robin Williams)***, George Lucas Foundation, 1997-see BK 0020 below.
- VD-0003 ***MicroSociety***, MicroSociety, (discusses ideas behind building a miniature society and its value in children's education), Inc. 1995
- CA-0006 ***Educating Everybody's Children: Diverse Teaching Strategies for Diverse Learners***, Robert Cole, ASCD, 1995
- CA-0013 ***Instruction that Addresses the Needs of the Individual Learner While Simultaneously Honoring and Teaching to the Diversity of All Learning Styles***, J. Robert Hanson, ASCD, 1996
- BK-0008 ***Educating Everybody's Children: Diverse Teaching Strategies for Diverse Learners***, ASCD, Robert W. Cole ed., 1995
- BK-0016 ***Awakening Genius in the Classroom***, Thomas Armstrong, ASCD, 1998
- BK-0018 ***Visual Tools: for Constructing Knowledge***, David Hyerle, ASCD, 1996
- BK-0019 ***Over 1000 Easy-to Use Instructional Strategies***, Eric Jenson, Topics include Learning Styles, New Brain Research, New Models of Teaching, Changes in Teaching, Learning Theory, Multiple Intelligences, Listening Skills.
- BK-0020 ***George Lucas Educational Foundation: Learn & Live*** (Pioneering Education Efforts), <http://www.glef.org/>
- BK-0022 ***Enhancing Professional Practice: A Framework for Teaching***, C. Danielson, ASCD, 1996
- PR-0005 ***Life After Death: Critical Pedagogy in an Urban Classroom***, Alleyne J. Johnson, *Harvard Educational Review*, Summer 1995, pp 213-29
- PR-0014 ***Rising to the Challenge: Emerging Strategies for Educating Youth At Risk***, Nettie Legters and Edward L. McDill, 1994
- AR-1001 ***Engaging Students: What I Have Learned Along the Way***, Anne Wescott Dodd, *Educational Leadership*, September 1995, pp 65-67
- AR-1002 ***The I-Search: Guiding Students Toward Relevant Research***, Judith Zorfass and Harriet Copel, *Educational Leadership*, September 1995, pp 48-51
- AR-1003 ***Reversing Underachievement: Stories of Success***, Susan M. Baum, Joseph S. Renzulli and Thomas P. Herbert, *Educational Leadership*, November 1994, pp 48-52

- AR-1004 **Using Motivational Theory With At-Risk Children**, Rachel Buck Collpy and Theresa Green, *Educational Leadership*, September 1995, pp 37-38
- AR-1005 **Problem-Based Learning as Classroom Solution**, Joan M. Savoie and Andrew S. Hughes, *Educational Leadership*, November 1994, pp 54-57
- AR-1006 **Teaching and Practice** (Critical Urban Pedagogy) Paul Skilton Sylvester, *Harvard Educational Review*, Fall 1994, pp 309-329
- AR-1007 **Socratic Seminars: Engaging Students in Intellectual Discourse**, Lynda Tredway, *Educational Leadership*, September 1995, pp 26-28
- AR-1008 **Project-Based Learning: Pursuits With a Purpose**, *Educational Leadership*, November 1994, pp 42-45
- AR-1009 **Themes of Uncommonly Successful Teachers of At-Risk Students**, Kenneth D. Peterson, Betsy Bennet and Douglas F. Sherman, *Urban Education*, July 1991, pp 176-194
- AR-1010 **Thinking Maps: Seeing is Understanding**, David Hyerle, *Educational Leadership*, December 1995/January 1996, pp 85-89
- AR-1011 **Letting Children Take the Lead in Class**, Ana Maria Andrade and Delia Hakim, *Educational Leadership*, September 1995, pp 22-24
- AR-1012 **Putting FUN Back Into Learning**, Srikumar S. Rao, *Training*, August 1995
- AR-1013 **High Schools That Work - Raising Academic Standards for Students Who Aren't College Bound**, Gene Bottoms and Pat Mikos, *The Executive Educator*, October 1995, pp 37-38
- AR-1014 **Giving Their Best: Grading and Recognition Practices that Motivate Students to Work Hard**, Douglas J. MacIver and David A. Reuman, *American Educator*, Winter 1993/94
- AR-1015 **'Whenever and Wherever We Choose:' The Replication of 'Success for All'**, Robert E. Slavin, et al., *Phi Delta Kappan*, April 1994, pp 639-647
- AR-1016 **Synthesis of Research on Cooperative Learning**, Robert E. Slavin, *Educational Leadership*, February 1991, pp 71-82

Teaching and Learning Models/Strategies (Subject Area Specific)

**Government**

- AR-1018 **"Educating for Democratic Life: Reengaging Young People"**, Erick W. Robelen, ASCD, *Infobrief*, Issue 13, June 1998

**Math**

- CD-0004 **NEW TechPaths for Math**, Brenda Kallick and James M. Wilson III, Technology Pathways Corporation, 1998 (One CD-Rom for Windows and Macintosh with a 104-page spiral bound user's manual).
- VD-2000 **"Good Morning Miss Toliver": A behind-the-scenes and in-classroom look at Kay Toliver and her students at East Harlem Tech.**, 27 min., Foundation for Advancements in Science and Education, 1993

**Science**

- VD-0018 **NEW Science Standards: Making Them Work for You**, ASCD video developed by Judy Fanellette and Loraine Corfield of Teachers' Video Workshop, 1995 (Three 30-minute videos with 3 Facilitator's Guides).

**Teacher Talk - Staff Development Guide** (Kay Toliver and Dave Hendry, Foundation for Advancements in Science and Education, 1996). Kay Toliver presenter, 15 min, handout materials

- VD-2001 **Hands-On Math**
- VD-2002 **Mathematics and Communication**
- VD-2003 **The Math Trial**
- VD-2004 **Oobleck**

**The Eddie Files with Kay Toliver** (Kay Toliver, PBS Video, Foundation for Advancements in Science and Education, 1995) These have been geared towards children in grades 3 through 6. "Eddie" and Kay Toliver presenters, 20 min. teacher's guide

- VD-2005 ***Welcome to Math: You Gotta Start Somewhere***,
- VD-2006 ***Estimation: Going to the Dogs***
- VD-2007 ***Geometry: Invasion of the Polygons***
- VD-2008 ***Fractions: Any Way You Slice It***

***The Kay Toliver Files*** (Kay Toliver, a PBS Video, Foundation for Advancements in Science and Education, 1995). Designed for in-service and pre-service use. Kay Toliver presenter, 15 min, teacher's guide

- VD-2009 ***Welcome to Mathematics***
- VD-2010 ***Estimation***
- VD-2011 ***Polygons***
- VD-2012 ***Fractions***

- CA-0014 ***Integrating the Arts Across the Curriculum - Why and How?***, Judith Stoehr, ASCD, 1996
- BK-0012 ***Understanding by Design***, Grant Wiggins and Jay McTighe, ASCD, 1998
- AR-1017 ***Solving Problems in Math and Science Education: Research offers clues about how to raise student achievement in math and science***, Rebecca Jones, *The American School Board Journal*, July 1998, pp 16-19

#### Assessment/Evaluation

- VD-0015 **NEW *Developing Performance Assessments***, ASCD video, 1996 (One 60-minute video with a 65-page Facilitator's Guide).
- VD-0016 **NEW *Redesigning Assessment Series***, ASCD, 1992 (Three 24-40 minute videos and three 50-page Facilitator's Guides).
- VD-0019 **NEW *Assessment in Elementary Science***, ASCD video developed by Judy Famellette and Loraine Corfield of Teachers' Video Workshop, 1997 (Three 30-40 minute videos with a 130-page Facilitator's Guide).
- BK-0032 **NEW *The School Portfolio: A Comprehensive Framework for School Improvement***, Victoria L. Bernhardt, 1994.
- BK-0029 **NEW *Data Analysis for Comprehensive Schoolwide Improvement***, Victoria L. Bernhardt, 1998.
- VD-0009 ***High Standards. High Stakes...The Michigan High School Proficiency Test***, Dr. Ernie Bauer (Keynote Speaker), approx. 15 min., Oakland Schools, includes handout materials, 1996
- BK-0006 ***Communicating Student Learning***, Thomas R. Guskey ed., ASCD, 1996
- BK-0014 ***Results: The Key to Continuous School Improvement***, Mike Schmoker, ASCD, 1996
- PR-0020 ***Transforming Teaching and Learning in Urban Schools Through Alternative Assessment***, Deborah L. Winking, Ph.D. and Linda Ann Bond, Pd.D., NCREL, 1995
- AR-2001 ***EVALUATION - The Key to Reflective Management of School Reform for At-Risk Students***, Terry A. Clark, *Urban Education*, April 1991, pp 105-117

#### Urban Students/Promoting Achievement

- VD-0005 ***Putting Standards into Action***, National Urban League, Inc. and the U.S. Department of Education, 1997 (21 min.)
- VD-0010 ***Raising Achievement Through Standards***, Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, 1998 (3 videos – 30-35 min. each) facilitators guide
- CA-0002 ***How To Select Teachers for Children in Urban Poverty***, Martin Haberman and Clifford B. Janey, 130<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference on Education, February 27 – March 2, 1998
- CA-0009 ***What Research Says About Improving Student Achievement***, Gordon Cawelti, ASCD, 1996
- CA-0010 ***Motivating Students to Work Hard at Challenging Tasks***, Richard Strong, ASCD, 1996
- CA-0015 ***Building Safe, Supportive School Programs for Low Achieving, High-Risk Students Through Invitational Education***, John Van Hoose, Judy Moreno and Charlotte Reed, ASCD, 1996

- CA-0016 **Identifying, Predicting, and Reducing the Number of Dropouts in High Schools in Large Urban Areas**, Jack Frymier, ASCD, 1996
- BK-0009 **Handbook of Research on Improving Student Achievement**, Alliance for Curriculum Reform, ECS, 1995
- BK-0010 **Effective Strategies for Educating Students in At-Risk Situations**, Patricia Cloud Duttweiler, 1995
- PM-0012 **Overcoming Obstacles to Learning in Our Cities**, National Educational Association, 1995
- AR-3001 **Why We Need Academic Standards**, Matthew Gandal, *Educational Leadership*, September 1995, pp 84-86
- AR-3002 **More than Just No**, Rebecca Jones, *The American School Board Journal*, Jan. 1997, pp 30-32
- AR-3003 **Urban Students Thrive As Independent Researchers**, Jeanette A. Hartman and Emily K. Decicco, *Educational Leadership*, November 1994, pp 46-47
- AR-3004 **School's Out: An Interview with John Taylor Gatto**, (Urban Teaching Experience) Ellen Becker, *Journal of Family Life*, V.1, #1, Fall 1994
- AR-3005 **Empowering At-Risk Students to Succeed**, Bill Lamperes, *Educational Leadership*, November 1994, pp 67-69
- AR-3006 **Motivation and Schooling in the Middle Grades**, Eric M. Andermand and Martin L. Maehr, *Review of Educational Research*, September 1994, pp 287-309
- AR-3007 **The "Turnaround" Process: Factors Influencing the School Success of Urban Youth**, Lynn W. Gregory, *Journal of Adolescent Research*, January 1995, pp 136-154
- AR-3009 **Giving Their Best: Grading and Recognition Practices That Motivate Students To Work Hard**, Douglas J. Mac Iver and David A. Reuman, *American Educator*, Winter 1993/94, pp 24-31
- AR-3010 **An Underachievement Epidemic**, Sylvia B. Rimm, *Educational Leadership*, April 1997
- AR-3011 **Paying Attention to Relationships**, Theo Wubbels, Jack Levy, and Mieke Brekelmans, *Educational Leadership*, April 1997, pp 82-86
- AR-3012 **Preventing Early School Failure: What Works?**, Robert E. Slavin, et al., *Educational Leadership*, December 1992/January 1993, pp 10-18
- AR-3013 **Reconceiving Academic Instruction for the Children of Poverty**, Michael S. Knapp and Patrick M. Shields, *Phi Delta Kappan*, June 1990, pp 753-758
- AR-3014 **The Caring Classroom's Academic Edge**, Catherine C. Lewis, Eric Schaps, and Marilyn S. Watson, *Educational Leadership*, September 1996, pp 16-21

#### Authentic, Experiential and Brain Compatible Learning

- CD-0003 **NEW Exploring Our Multiple Intelligences**, ASCD, CD-ROM, 1997 (Windows 3.1 and PowerMac).
- VD-0017 **The Multiple Intelligence Series**, ASCD, 1995 (Three 20-36 minute videos, Three Facilitator's Guides, written by Bruce & Linda Campbell; "Multiple Intelligences in the Classroom" by Thomas Armstrong (ASCD book, 1994); and "On Multiple Intelligences & Education" (ASCD View points Audiotape, 1995).
- BK-0033 **NEW Learning & Memory: The Brain in Action**, Marilee Sprenger, ASCD, 1999.
- VD-0004 **The Brain and Learning**, ASCD, 1998 (4 videos 20 – 30 min. each) facilitator's guide included
- VD-0011 **I Am Your Child: The First Years Last Forever**, The New Brain Research and Your Child's Healthy Development for Parents and Caregivers, hosted by Rob Reiner, The Reiner Foundation, 1997 (30 min.) video guide and R.E.A.D.Y. (Read, Educate and Develop Youth) materials for the Reading Plan for Michigan initiative included
- BK-0003 **Promoting Social and Emotional Learning: Guidelines for Educators**, Maurice J. Elias, Joseph E. Zins, Roger P. Weissberg, Karin S. Frey, Mark T. Greenberg, Norris M. Haynes, Rachael Kessler, Mary E. Schwab-Stone, Timothy P. Shriver, ASCD, 1997
- BK-0013 **Teaching with the Brain in Mind**, Eric Jensen, ASCD, 1998
- AR-4001 **Multiple Intelligences: Seven Ways to Approach Curriculum**, Thomas Armstrong,

*Educational Leadership*, November 1994, pp 26-28

- AR-4002 **How the New City School Applies the Multiple Intelligences**, Thomas R. Hoerr, *Educational Leadership*, November 1994, pp 29-34
- AR-4003 **Huge Learning Jumps Show Potency of Brain-Based Instruction**, Charmaine Della Neve, *Phi Delta Kappan*, October 1996
- AR-4005 **On Emotional Intelligence: A Conversation with Daniel Goleman**, John O'Neil, *Educational Leadership*, September 1996, pp 6-11
- AR-4007 **Building Resiliency in Students**, Rucgard Sagor, *Educational Leadership*, September 1996, pp 38-43
- AR-4009 **Brain-Compatible Teaching in a Block Schedule**, Ron Fitzgerald, *The School Administrator*, September 1996, pp 20-22
- AR-4010 **Allowing for Thinking Styles**, Robert J. Sternberg, *Educational Leadership*, November 1994, pp 36-40
- AR-4011 **Classroom Constructivism**, Andrew Trotter, *The Executive Educator*, October 1995, pp 25-27

### Cultural Diversity

- VD-0008 **What We Need To Do For Children: "Race Matters"**, Cornel West (Keynote Speaker), General Session, AASA Annual Conference, 1995
- CA-0005 **Strength Through Diversity as a Plus in Education**, Samuel Betances, ASCD, 1995
- CA-0012 **Research Defines Diversity and Provides Clear Descriptions of Effective Learning and Teaching**, Rita Dunn, ASCD, 1991
- BK-0011 **Other People's Children: Cultural Conflict in the Classroom**, L. Delpit, New York: New Press, 1995
- BK-0015 **From Rage to Hope: Strategies for Reclaiming Black and Hispanic Students**, Crystal Kuykendall, National Education Service, 1992
- AR-5002 **A Framework for Culturally Responsive Teaching**, Raymond J. Wlodkowski and Margery B. Ginsberg, *Educational Leadership*, September 1995, pp 17-21
- AR-5003 **Cultural Diversity and Academic Achievement**, Barbara T. Bowman, *Pathways Home Page*
- AR-5004 **Cultural Congruence in Instruction**, Kathryn H. Au and Alice J. Kawakami, *Teaching Diverse Populations*, edited by E. Hollins, J. King, and W. Hayman. Albany, N.Y.:SUNY, 1994, pp 5-23
- AR-5005 **Teaching Multicultural Literacy to Teachers**, James A. Banks, *Teaching Education*, 1991, Vol. 4, No. 1, pp 135-144

### Technology

- AR-6012 **NEW Technological Literacy for Administrators**. Doug Johnson and Erica Bartleson, *The School Administrator*, April 1999.
- BK-0025 **NEW Information Power: Building Partnerships for Learning**. American Association of School Librarians, American Library Association, 1998.
- BK-0023 **Cool Web Sites for Teachers: A Resource Guide**, prepared by REMC 12 & Instructional Center Kalamazoo Valley Intermediate School District, September 1998
- PM-0001 **1996-97 Michigan State Tech Survey Report**, Quality Education Data, 1997
- PM-0002 **Guiding Questions for Technology Planning**, Randy Knuth, Chris Hopey and Kevin Rocap, editors, North Central Regional Technology in Education Consortia, 1996
- PM-0003 **Plugging In: choosing and using educational technology**, Beau Fly Jones, Gilbert Valdez, Jeri Nowakowski, and Claudette Rasmussen, NCREL
- PM-0005 **Year 2000 Toolkit for Michigan Local Governments and School Districts**, Michigan Department of Management and Budget, November 1998
- PM-0007 **Technology and Education: The Current Debate**, North Central Regional Educational Laboratory, *New Leaders for Tomorrow's Schools*, Winter 1998, Volume 5, No. 1
- PM-0008 **School Technology and Readiness Report: From Pillars to Progress**, The CEO Forum on

Education and Technology, October 9, 1997

- PR-0001 **Technology Content Standards and Benchmarks**, MDE, September 1, 1996
- PR-0025 **Instructional Technology Across the Curriculum (ITAC): K-12 Instructional Technology Standards**, Michigan Department of Education, July 1995
- PR-0026 **Instructional Technology Across The Curriculum: Sample Activities**, Michigan Department of Education and East Grand Rapids Public Schools, 1998
- AR-6001 **What's Possible: Reimagining Learning with Technology**, *Changing Minds*, the Partnership, Fall 1995
- AR-6002 **Teacher in the Sky: Distance learning can bring far-flung teachers and students together, but research on its effectiveness is still up in the air**, Susan Black, *The American School Board Journal*, July 1998, pp 30-35
- AR-6003 **Interactive Learning: It's Pushing the Right Buttons**, David Dockterman, *Educational Leadership*, October 1995, pp 58-59
- AR-6004 **Tomorrow's High-Performance Courseware: A Rough Sketch**, Royal Van Horn, *Phi Delta Kappan*, March 1998, pp 156-158
- AR-6005 **Ten Ways to Make Online Learning Groups Work**, Lisa Kimball, *Educational Leadership*, Oct. 1995, pp 54-56
- AR-6006 **Selling a School Technology Budget**, Ralph S. Musco, *Educational Leadership*, Oct.. 1995, pp 68-70
- AR-6007 **How K-12 Teachers Are Using Computer Networks**, John M. Peha, *Educational Leadership*, Oct. 1995, pp 18-25
- AR-6008 **How to Fund Technology Projects**, Denise K. Schnitzer, *Educational Leadership*, Oct. 1995, pp 71-72
- AR-6009 **How Computers Live in Schools**, Larry Miller and John Olson, *Educational Leadership*, Oct. 1995
- AR-6011 **Can Integrated Instructional Technology Transform the Classroom?**, Lani M. Van Dusen and Blaine R. Worthen, *Educational Leadership*, October 1995, 28-33

#### School Based Management

- AR-7008 **NEW The Effects of Block Scheduling**; Two leading authorities describe what results when high schools use alternative schedules. Michael D. Rettig and Robert Lynn Canady, *The School Administrator*, March 1999.
- AR-7007 **NEW Block Scheduling's Success Formula: Modifying Time in School Effectively Boils Down to a Six-Step Recipe**; David S. Hottenstein, *The School Administrator*, March 1999.
- CA-0011 **Educating the Whole Child: The Imperative for School-Based Comprehensive Services**, Sharon Robinson, ASCD, 1996
- BK-0007 **Organizing for Successful School-Based Management**, Priscilla Wohlstetter, Amy N. Van Kirk, Peter J. Robertson, Susan A. Mohrman, ASCD, 1997
- PR-0008 **Academic Excellence, Cultural Relevance, Community Connectedness: Lessons from R.W. Coleman Elementary School**, Pauline Lipman and DePaul University, April 1995
- PR-0019 **Parent Centers in Urban Schools: Four Case Studies**, Vivian R. Johnson, Boston University, Center on Families, Communities, School and Children's Learning, Report No. 23, April 1994
- PR-0024 **Block 8 Scheduling and the Urban Learner**, Monroe Public Schools, September 1997
- AR-7001 **How to Build Ownership in City Schools**, Beverly E. Cross and Ulrich C. Reitzug, *Educational Leadership*, December 1995/January 1996, pp 16-19
- AR-7002 **On Building Learning Communities: A Conversation with Hank Levin**, Ron Brandt, *Educational Leadership*, Vol. 50 No. 1, pp 19-23
- AR-7003 **Turnaround At Canton Middle School**, Craig E. Spilman, *The Executive Educator*, Nov. 1995, pp 33-34
- AR-7004 **All Around the Block: The Benefits and Challenges of a Non-Traditional School Schedule**, Michael D. Rettig and Robert Lynn Canady, *The School Administrator*, Sept. 1996, pp 8-12

- AR-7005 ***The Administrative Challenges of Block Scheduling: One Principal's Plan for Dealing with Extended Time***, William M. Reid, *The School Administrator*, September 1996
- AR-7006 ***Parallel Block Scheduling Spells Success***, Marica, Delany, Laura Toburen, Becky Hooton, and Ann Dozier, *Educational Leadership*, December 1997/January 1998, pp 61-63

### Professional Development

- AR-8007 **NEW *Strengthening Teachers: Setting a Standard for Professional Development and School Renewal***; Bruce Joyce and Emily Calhoun, *The American School Board Journal*, March 1999.
- BK-0030 **NEW *Star Teachers of Children in Poverty***, Martin Haberman, Phi Delta Kappa, 1995,
- BK-0031 **NEW *Star Principals Serving Children in Poverty***, Martin Haberman, Phi Delta Kappa, 1999.
- CA-0001 ***Lessons Learned From Improving Urban Elementary School***, H. Jerome Freiberg (1995 ASCD Conference)
- CA-0018 ***A Comprehensive Instructional Training Program for Intensive/Block Scheduling***, Robert Vogel, ASCD, 1996
- CA-0019 ***How Not to Teach Values: A Critical Look at Character Education***, Alfie Kohn, ASCD, 1996
- CA-0021 ***Teaching and Parenting with Wit and Wisdom***, Barbara Coloroso, ASCD, 1996
- BK-0005 ***A New Vision for Staff Development***, Dennis Sparks and Stephanie Hirsh, ASCD, 1997
- BK-0017 ***Building Leadership Capacity In Schools***, Linda Lambert, ASCD, 1998
- PR-0017 ***Connecting Leadership and Learning: A Planning Paper***, Lewis A. Rhodes, American Association of School Administrators and National Center for Connected Learning, April, 1997
- AR-8001 ***Helping Teachers Teach Well: Transforming Professional Development***, Thomas B. Corcoran, *CPRE Policy Briefs*, June 1995, pp 1-11
- AR-8002 ***Practices That Support Teacher Development: Transforming Conceptions of Professional Learning***, Ann Lieberman, *Phi Delta Kappan*, April 1995, 7 pages
- AR-8004 ***More Time, More Training: What Staff Development Do Teachers Need for Effective Instruction in Block Scheduling?*** Linda D. Wyatt, *The School Administrator*, Sept. 1996
- AR-8006 ***What Our Teachers Should Know and Be Able To Do: A Student's View***, Lorien Belton, *Educational Leadership*, September 1996, pp 66-68

### School Reform/Alternative Schools

- VD-0010 **NEW *Raising Achievement Through Standards***, Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, 1998 (Three 30-35 minutes each and Facilitator's Guide).
- BK-0024 **NEW *The Hero's Journey: How Educators can Transform Schools and Improve Learning***; John L. Brown and Cerylle A. Moffett, ASCD, 1999.
- VD-0015 **NEW *Break-It!: Thoughtware for our Times***, Growthworks Incorporated, 1994. An insightful video (14 minutes explaining the Break-It! thinking program) intended for those who are responsible for initiating change in their districts.
- CD-0001 **NEW *Linking & Learning CD-ROM***, the MDE Michigan Curriculum Framework, 1999. Includes facilitator-training materials for local training workshops (Win 95/98, Mac OS).
- CD-0002 **NEW *Michigan Curriculum Framework CD-ROM: Interactive Links to Content Strands, Standards and Benchmarks***, Michigan Department of Education, 1999. (Win 95/98, Mac OS)
- BK-0028 **NEW *Whole-Faculty Study Groups: A Powerful Way to Change Schools and Enhance Learning***, Carlene U. Murphy and Dale W. Lick, 1998.
- VD-0006 ***Leadership and The New Science***, Dr. Margaret G. Wheatley, 1995, (25 min. - Explores a simpler way to manage complex organizations)
- VD-0007 ***Lessons from the New Workplace***, Dr. Margaret G. Wheatley, 1995, (24 min. - Effective strategies for embracing chaos and change - Includes Leaders Guide)
- BK-0001 ***Rethinking Educational Change with Heart and Mind***, Andy Hargreaves, ASCD, Jan. 1997
- BK-0004 ***Catalog of School Reform Models: First Edition***, Northwest Regional Educational laboratory

and Education Commission of the States, March 1998

- PM-0006 ***New Leaders for Tomorrow's Schools, Lessons from Four Reforms: Learning from Research and Practice***, NCREL v.1, no. 2, Winter 1995
- PM-0019 ***New Schools: New Communities, Standards, not Standardization***, Voices for Educational Change, Volume XII, Number 2, Winter 1996
- PR-0007 ***The New American URBAN School District***, Education Commission of the States, July 1995
- AR-9001 ***A Bridge from Hope to Social Action: Multiple Choice – New York's Alternative Schools***, David Gonzalez, *The New York Times*, May 23, 1995
- AR-9002 ***A School Called Vanguard That Learned the Hard Way***, Sam Dillon, *The New York Times*, May 22, 1995
- AR-9003 ***Islands of Change Create Friction***, Sam Dillon, *The New York Times*, May 25, 1995
- AR-9005 ***When Teachers Unite to Run School***, David Firestone, *The New York Times*, May 24, 1995
- AR-9006 ***Making the Good School Better: The Essential Question of Rigor***, Kathleen Cushman, *Horace*, March 1995, pp 1-8
- AR-9009 ***Margaret Wheatley: On Leadership for Change***, Elizabeth Donohoe Steinberger, *The School Administrator*, January 1995, pp 16-20
- AR-9010 ***A Great LEAP Forward: How one district is reaching at-risk kids***, John A. Harrison, *The American School Board Journal*, September 1998, pp 44-45 & 55

#### School-Linked Services/Interagency Collaboration

- CA-0004 ***Shared Responsibilities-Changes Lives***, School-Linked & Community-based Integrated Services
- PM-0025 ***Community Schools Across America: 135 Community/School Partnerships that are Making a Difference***, Pat Edwards and Kim Biocchi, NCCE, 1994
- PR-0004 ***Effective Features of Collaborative School-Linked Services for Children in Elementary School: What Do We Know From Research and Practice?***, Margaret C. Wang, Geneva D. Haertel and Herbert J. Walberg, The National Center on Education in the Inner Cities, 1994
- PR-0010 ***School-Linked Services: A Research Synthesis***, Margaret C. Wang, Geneva D. Haertel and Herbert J. Walberg, The National Center on Education in the Inner Cities, 1995
- PR-0011 ***Organizational Structures to Promote Teacher Engagement***, Karen Seashore Louis, 1995
- AR-1106 ***School-Linked Services***, Priscilla M. Hardiman, Joan L. Curcio and Jim C. Fortune, *American School Board Journal*, Sept. 1998, pp 37-40

#### Safe Schools

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