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371.9 E24g

LET'S GET REAL

1 videodisc. DVD. 72 min. 1 curriculum guide. 2003.

Examines issues that lead to taunting and bullying in middle schools, including racial differences, perceived sexual orientation, learning disabilities, religious differences, sexual harassment, and others. Students who have been the targets of bullying, as well as students who do the bullying, describe their experiences and how they make them feel.

371.1024 L649g

SPELLBOUND

1 videodisc. DVD. 97 min. 2002.

Follows the lives of eight young Americans who share one goal: to win the 1999 National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C. The Bee is as intense a competition as any Olympic match, for both the spellers and their families. The unbearable pressure becomes even more extraordinary when ordinary teenagers feel it.

372.632 S742a

60 MINUTES: SCHOOL FOR THE HOMELESS

1 videocassette. VHS. 15 min. 1994.

Program about providing a quality education and giving a sense of stability to the 1,000,000 homeless children around the country that are denied a public education because of the lack of a fixed address, immunization record or birth certificate that is necessary under today's standards.

371.82 S372f

ADD, THE RACE INSIDE MY HEAD: A NEW VIDEO RESOURCE

1 videocassette. VHS. 37 min. 1996.

Focuses on Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder in the college environment. Students relate difficulties of coping with ADD in the classroom and other situations. Topics outlined include: most recent clinical definition of the disorder; diagnosis and medication; suggestions for service providers and faculty who work with students having ADD.

616.8589 A222t

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ALL OUR CHILDREN

1 videocassette. VHS. 150 min. 1991.

Examines the efforts of several programs and schools across the country that are achieving small victories in the lives of young people who have known defeat. Representatives from education, business, government, and the family engage in lively discussion with journalist Bill Moyers, concerning the challenges facing the nation's youth.

371.967 A416o

ALTERNATIVES FOR MEASURING PERFORMANCE

1 videocassette. VHS. 60 min. 1 guidebook. 1991.

Present research about learning suggests it is not linear, but proceeds in many directions at an uneven pace. Traditional multiple-choice and standardized tests do not assess learning development adequately. Authentic assessment considers the whole child, and is based on performance. Meaningful assessment also takes a critical look at every level and aspect of instruction. The first demonstration illustrates techniques; the second demonstrates how community and parental involvement can strengthen the program. A question period from the audience follows.

371.2722 A466f

THE AMERICANS

1 videocassette. VHS. 20 min. 1988.

Examines the lives of four early American educators: Horace Mann, Henry Barnard, Robert Owen, and Noah Websater.

370.92 L785i, pt.7

THE ANGRY EYE: WITH JANE ELLIOTT

1 videocassette. VHS. 52 min. + 1 guide 8 pgs. 2001.

A dynamic and provocative documentary film, showcasing Jane Elliott's world famous Blue-Eyed/Brown-Eyed exercise in discrimination. White young American college students from various backgrounds are forced to experience the same kind of racist treatment African Americans and other minorities have been receiving for years.

505.385 A593e

ASKING QUESTIONS

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

The lesson theme is presented through classroom vignettes, a narrative, and a skit. Researchers then demonstrate major concepts illustrated by scenes in actual classrooms, followed by a discussion and explanation of the research recommendations.

370.71 E27t, pt.18

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ASSESSING STUDENTS

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

Discusses what is known about the quizzes and tests teachers give students and how teachers use the information tests and quizzes provide. Tries to find alternate ways to assess students.

370.71 E27t, pt.21

ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER IN ADULTS: WHAT ADD IN ADULTS IS LIKE AND WHAT YOU CAN DO ABOUT IT: A WORKSHOP IN PROGRESS WITH DR. LYNN WEISS

1 videocassette. VHS. 120 min. 1993.

A practical video workshop for those who have ADD or want to treat it. Step-by-step method that shows how to cope with and manage ADD.

616.8589 A883d

BABY TALK

1 videocassette. VHS. 50 min. 1984.

Presents various theories of language acquisition during a child's first four years.

155.422 B115t

BILL COSBY ON PREJUDICE

1 videocassette. VHS. 24 min. 1 discussion leader's guide. 1971.

In a satiric diatribe in which a super bigot expresses hatred against all minority groups, actor Bill Cosby exposes the prejudices that are experienced by all.

303.385 B596c

BLACK MOUNTAIN COLLEGE: A THUMBNAIL SKETCH

1 videocassette. VHS. 15 min. 198?.

A documentary film describing the history and philosophy of Black Mountain College in North Carolina.

378.756 B627m

BLUE EYED

1 videocassette. VHS. 93 min. 1996.

Jane Elliott conducts a workshop where an arbitrarily selected group of individuals is targeted to experience prejudice and bigotry. Based on the blue eyed-brown eyed exercise.

370.114 B658e

BOYS & GIRLS ARE DIFFERENT: MEN, WOMEN & THE SEX DIFFERENCE: WITH JOHN STOSSEL

1 videocassette. VHS. 50 min. 1995.

Looks at the differences between the sexes and whether they are the result of biology or environment.

305.3 B793a

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BRIDGES TO INDEPENDENCE

1 videocassette. VHS. 27 min. 1991.

Provides information to visually impaired teens, their parents, and the professionals who serve them. Includes ways of developing teen's social skills and communication techniques, and also emphasizes the importance of participating in group activities.

362.19 B851t

CHAOS TO CALM: CREATING SAFE SCHOOLS

1 videocassette. VHS. 25 min. 1984.

Documents exemplary programs and administrative leadership that have created safe environments for students and teachers. Concepts discussed: the strongly committed principal is the key to quality education, students best manage conflict resolution, law-related education helps students understand the reasons for rules and laws.

371.58 C461t

CHICANO!: HISTORY OF THE MEXICAN AMERICAN CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT

4 videocassettes. VHS. 240 min. 1 program index. 1 four-color poster/viewing guide. 1 teaching and resource guide. 1996.

This four part series premiered nationally on PBS in April 1996. Episode 1 examines the events at Tierra Amarilla, New Mexico that sparked a national movement for social justice. Episode 2 examines the efforts of farmworkers to form a national labor union under the leadership of Cesar Chavez. Episode 3 documents the Mexican-American struggle to reform an educational system that failed to properly educate Chicano students. Episode 4 focuses on the emergence in Texas of Mexican-American political power and the creation of a third political party, La Raza Unida.

305.86872 C533h

CHILDREN IN AMERICA'S SCHOOLS

1 videocassette. VHS. 120 min. 1996.

Covering only public school districts in Ohio, this program examines the extreme range in physical conditions and educational opportunities presented in the rural, suburban, and city schools of Ohio. Discusses how the property tax funding of schools has created a situation where some districts can only spend 3,000 dollars per pupil in old, unsafe, dilapidated buildings, while other districts can afford to spend 12,000 dollars per pupil per year while maintaining modern, state-of-the-art environments. Includes a panel discussion moderated by Bill Moyers.

371.967 C536i

CHILDREN OF A LESSER GOD

1 videocassette. VHS. 110 min. 1987.

Love story about an idealistic special education teacher and a headstrong deaf student.

791.4372 C536o

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CHILDREN TALK ABOUT AIDS

1 videocassette. VHS. 23 min. 1 guide. 1999.

Children from the Bank Street College of Education, School for Children in New York City, ranging in age from 4-8, discuss AIDS. The 3 discussions show the range of ideas and information that young children have about HIV/AIDS.

614.599392 C536t

CIRCLES OF LEARNING

1 videocassette. VHS. 33 min. 1983.

Includes scenes involving elementary and high school students and participants in the Cooperative Learning Training Class.

371.9 C578o

A CLASS DIVIDED

1 videocassette. VHS. 57 min. 1 study guide. 1985.

Documents a reunion of Iowa teacher Jane Elliott and her third-grade class of 1970, subjects that year of an ABC News television documentary entitled "The eye of the storm." Shows how her experimental curriculum on the evils of discrimination had a lasting effect on the lives of the students.

303.385 C614d

CLASSROOM RULES AND ROUTINES

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

Discusses the differences between rules and routines in the classroom and why they are important.

370.71 E27t, pt.6

COUNT ON ME

1 videocassette. VHS. 56 min. 1 parent's guide. 1993.

A multi-ethnic cast acts out an elementary school's "math night" and presents teaching strategies for mathematics.

372.72 C855o

CREATING AND SCORING A SENIOR PROJECT PRESENTATION

1 videocassette. VHS. 23 min. 1 guide. 2002.

Intended for students and teachers, presents ideas for the creation, development, and presentation of a senior project, as well as for its judging and scoring.

808.5 S477p

CREATIVE MOVEMENT: A STEP TOWARDS INTELLIGENCE

1 videocassette. VHS. 80 min. 1993.

Melissa Lowe encourages children (ages 2-8) to have fun as they clap, sing, and move to music. Designed to improve body awareness and foster self-confidence; emphasizes motor skills development, coordination skills, limbering, and muscle-toning.

372.66 C912m

THE CRITICS

1 videocassette. VHS. 25 min. 1988.

Alternative visions of 20th century school critics Maria Montessori, John B. Watson, Margaret Naumburg and W.E.B. Du Bois are discussed.

370.92 L785i, pt.10

CULTURAL ILLITERACY

1 videocassette. VHS. 1988.

Commentator Robert MacNeil hosts a discussion of cultural literacy in the U.S. There is a debate in education circles over the quality of what American students are learning in school. The old debate has a new twist, a best seller written by E.D. Hirsch, Cultural literacy.

370.19 C968i

DANCE AND GROW

1 videocassette. VHS. 60 min. 1994.

"Based upon Betty Rowen's book Dance and grow, this video shows the viewer how primary grade children can learn activities to heighten awareness of the basic components of dance ... while at the same time demonstrating the relationship to language development and number concepts. Filmed on location at a Broward County, Florida, school with a multi-ethnic group of six and seven-year-olds and three teachers who display different teaching styles."

372.66 D173a

DISCIPLINE WITH DIGNITY

1 videocassette. VHS. 26 min. 1999.

In Nepal, teachers regard beating as the only way of maintaining discipline, and regularly beat the children in their class. This film documents the campaign of Devendra Ale to end corporal punishment in Nepalese schools.

341.481 T839o, pt.3

DO WE NEED STANDARDS IN EDUCATION?: CRITICAL VISIONS FOR AMERICA'S FUTURE

1 videocassette. VHS. 45 min. 1 fact sheet. 1989.

370 D631w

DYSLEXIA: A DIFFERENT KIND OF MIND

1 videocassette. VHS. 29 min. 1997.

Explains how dyslexia has come to be understood to be a biologically-based brain disorder which may be diagnosed and effectively treated. Visits the Washington Lab School where proven teaching strategies and techniques are demonstrated.

616.855 D998a

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L'ECOLE EN FRANCE

1 videocassette. VHS. 13 min. 1987.

Looks at the types of schools, from nursery schools to universities, which make up the French educational system.

370.944 E19e

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EDUCATING PETER

1 videocassette. VHS. 30 min. 1 study guide. 1993.

Follows Peter, a Down's syndrome child who has always attended special schools, through his first year in a regular classroom.

371.928 E244p

EDUCATION ON TRIAL: PART 1, DO WE NEED A NATIONAL REPORT CARD?

1 videocassette. VHS. 60 min. 1992.

Using a trial format, arguments are advanced for and against the American tradition of strong local control of schools. The disparity in educational attainment among students graduating from over 1600 local public school systems in the United States raises the question: Should we adopt mandatory national education standards?

370.973 E24o, pt.1

EDUCATION ON TRIAL: PART 2, IS OUR PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM BEYOND REPAIR?

1 videocassette. VHS. 60 min. 1992.

Using a trial format, questions about the actual nature of, causes of, and possible remedies for our degenerating American public education system are raised and debated. Are the problems in our educational system caused primarily by external social factors (e.g. quality of parenting, debilitating criticism) or are they primarily internal systemic problems (e.g. entrenched educational bureaucracy, quality of teaching)?

370.973 E24o, pt.2

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EDUCATION ON TRIAL: PART 3, ARE WE SHORTCHANGING OUR SCHOOLS?

1 videocassette. VHS. 60 min. 1992.

Using a trial format, the issue of whether we spend enough money on education is debated. The United States spends more per capita on education than most industrialized nations yet most educators argue that we must spend substantially more. Must we spend more or simply spend more wisely? These questions and others are discussed and debated.

370.973 E24o, pt.3

EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGIES

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

Describes new technologies that are useful to teachers. Discusses the strengths and weaknesses of these technologies, and tells how to use available technologies more effectively and efficiently. Uses vignettes, excerpts from class sessions, and interviews with educators.

370.71 E27t, pt.15

EDUCATION'S BIG GAMBLE: CHARTER SCHOOLS

1 videocassette. VHS. 57 min. 1 user's guide. 1997.

Presents the educational concept of the charter school, a public school that has been given freedom from bureaucratic control in return for promising both academic achievement and financial responsibility.

371.04 E24b

EFFECTIVE TECHNIQUES FOR PLANNING

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

Discusses the role of planning in teaching, and tells how the effective teacher uses plans and planning. Uses vignettes, excerpts from class sessions, and interviews with educators.

370.71 E27t, pt.11

EMERGENT LITERACY

1 videocassette. VHS. 43 min. 1 viewer's guide. 1991.

Ann Hemmeter teaches 3 days' lessons of her literacy-based kindergarten program. Following are interview segments during which she talks with educators Bill Teale and Linda Tankersley about the techniques, approaches, and attitudes which contribute to her teaching.

372.4 T253r, pt.1

EQUITY: A CASE FOR FAIRNESS

1 videocassette. VHS. 16 min. 1991.

Focuses on the disparity between rich and poor school districts across Pennsylvania and the basic problem of education funding sources in the state.

370.9748 E649a

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THE EVOLUTION OF THE TEXTBOOK

1 videocassette. VHS. 15 min. 1987.

Identifies historically important authors and textbooks, illustrates the content and format of famous texts of the past and demonstrates the use of textbooks in yesterday's classrooms. Covers hornbooks, psalters, primers, readers, and various other types of texts.

371.32 E93o

THE EYE OF THE STORM

1 videocassette. VHS. 25 min. 1 teacher's guide. 1970.

Shows how Jane Elliott, a teacher in Riceville, Iowa, introduced her children to the realities of prejudice by using the color of eyes as the criterion of superiority. Explains that the results of the experiment were indicative of the situation throughout the United States.

303.385 E97o

FAILURES BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1989.

A program dealing with the testing of young children.

372 F161b

FEAR AND LEARNING AT HOOVER ELEMENTARY

1 videocassette. VHS. 53 min. 1997.

A documentary by Los Angeles teacher Laura Angelica Simon, exploring the impact of California's Proposition 187 on the immigrant community. The subject is Hoover Street Elementary School, where Simon candidly explores the attitudes and emotions of teachers, students and parents, focusing on a ten year old Salvadorian girl.

371.829 F288a

FEEDBACK AND CORRECTION

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

Discusses the importance of students being aware of what they have and have not learned. Provides insight into the role feedback and correctives have in the teaching-learning process.

370.71 E27t, pt.23

FOSTERING A LITERATE CULTURE

1 videocassette. VHS. 50 min. 1 viewer's guide. 1991.

3rd grade teacher Kathy Johnson teaches language arts to educable mentally handicapped students, followed by interview segments during which she talks with educator Martha Waggoner about the techniques, approaches, and attitudes which contribute to her teaching.

372.4 T253r, pt.2

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THE FRAGILE BRAIN: WHAT IMPAIRS LEARNING AND WHAT WE CAN DO ABOUT IT

1 videocassette. VHS. 27 min. 2000.

Jensen discusses what we know about the relationship between the brain and learning and how to apply this knowledge in the classroom. An array of topics include attention problems, depression, anxiety and stress.

153.15 F811b**"GOOD MORNING MISS TOLIVER"**

1 videocassette. VHS. 27 min. 1993.

Shows how East Harlem teacher, Kay Toliver, gets her students inspired and motivated in the math class.

371.102 G646m**THE "GOOD" TEACHER**

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

The lesson theme is presented through classroom vignettes, a narrative, and a skit. Researchers then demonstrate major concepts illustrated by scenes in actual classrooms, followed by a discussion and explanation of the research recommendations.

370.71 E27t, pt.4**GOOD WILL HUNTING**

1 videocassette. VHS. 126 min. 1997.

A young working-class genius is hauled back from the brink of self-destruction by a gifted counselor.

791.4372 G646w**GRADING STUDENTS**

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

Discusses the options teachers have in grading students and what teachers can do to develop meaningful and fair approaches to grading students.

370.71 E27t, pt.22**GUIDED READING AT THE EMERGENT LEVEL**

2 videocassettes. VHS. 85 min. 1995.

372.41 G946r**HIGH SCHOOL**

1 videocassette. VHS. 75 min. 1971

This documentary, filmed at Philadelphia's North East High, depicts life in a large urban high school through encounters between students, teachers, and parents.

373.18 H638s

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HIGH SCHOOL II

2 videocassettes. VHS. 220 min. 1994.

A documentary about Central Park East Secondary School, a successful alternative high school in New York's Spanish Harlem. Ninety-five percent of the school's graduates go on to four-year colleges.

373.18 H638sc

HOW CHILDREN LEARN

1 videocassette. VHS. 23 min. 1997.

Examines how people learn by taking in new information and acquiring new skills.

370.15 H847c

I AM A PROMISE: THE CHILDREN OF STANTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

1 videocassette. VHS. 90 min. 1993.

Enter an inner-city school equipped with few resources and surrounded by a community where drugs, crime, and poor housing offer a bleak setting in which to grow up.

371.96 I11a

THE I.Q. MYTH

1 videocassette. VHS. 51 min. 1975.

Describes standard I.Q. tests, shows how they have been used in the past, and examines their use today. Discusses the controversy surrounding the tests and some of the abuses that have accompanied their use.

153.9 I64m

INCREASING MOTIVATION THROUGH ACTIVE-LEARNING STRATEGIES

1 videocassette. VHS. 85 min. 1 leader's manual. 1 book. 1995.

Offers instructional strategies that actively involve all students in the learning process.

370.154 I37mo

INCREASING MOTIVATION THROUGH DYNAMIC PRESENTATION SKILLS

1 videocassette. VHS. 85 min. 1 leader's manual. 1995.

Offers instructional strategies that actively involve all students in the learning process.

370.154 I37m

INDIVIDUAL DIFFERENCES

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

Tells how the individual differences of students affect the teaching process.

Discusses ways to deal successfully with individual differences in the regular classroom. Uses vignettes, excerpts from class sessions, and interviews with educators.

370.71 E27t, pt. 10

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INTELLIGENCE, CREATIVITY, AND THINKING STYLES

1 videocassette. VHS. 29 min.

Robert Sternberg discusses the IQ-based "single trait notion of intelligence"; the application and implementation of the triarchic theory of intelligence; and the implications of school reform on the future of public education.

53 I61c

INVITATION TO EDUCATION

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1990.

A conversation with Mike Rose, author of *Lives on the Boundary*, about education of the disadvantaged.

371.967 I61t

INVOLVING STUDENTS IN LEARNING

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

The lesson theme is presented through classroom vignettes, a narrative, and a skit. Researchers then demonstrate major concepts illustrated by scenes in actual classrooms, followed by a discussion and explanation of the research recommendations.

370.71 E27t, pt.20

IT'S ELEMENTARY: TALKING ABOUT GAY ISSUES IN SCHOOL

1 videocassette. VHS. 37min. 1997.

An exploration of what happens when experienced teachers talk to their students about lesbian and gay issues. Students are asked to consider issues related to homosexuality at six elementary and middle schools. Presents footage of classroom activities and discussions with students exploring questions and issues presented to them by teachers and guest lecturers.

306.766 I89ee

IT'S ELEMENTARY: TALKING ABOUT GAY ISSUES IN SCHOOL

1 videocassette. VHS. 78 min. 1996.

An exploration of what happens when experienced teachers talk to their students about lesbians and gay men. Students are asked to consider issues related to homosexuality at six elementary and middle schools. Footage of classroom activities and discussions are presented with students exploring questions and issues presented to them by teachers and guest lecturers who come into their classes. School-wide presentations, activity-days, and how these events affect faculty, parents, and teachers are also discussed.

306.766 I89e

LEARNING IN AMERICA

5 videocassettes. VHS. 58 min each. 1989.

This five part series presents the problems of our educational system to the American people.

370.973 L438i

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LEARNING IN CONTEXT: PROBING THE THEORIES OF PIAGET AND VYGOTSKY

1 videocassette. VHS. 31 min. 2000.

Presents recent work by developmental psychologists that emphasizes the influence of contextual factors in learning and performance.

370.1523 L438i

LEARNING TO READ

1 videocassette. VHS. 15 min. 1 guide. 1986.

An introduction to the New Zealand model of literacy development showing five and six year olds engaged in reading activities supported by the model.

372.41 L438t

LEARNING TOGETHER OR ALONE

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

The lesson theme is presented through classroom vignettes, a narrative, and a skit. Researchers then demonstrate major concepts illustrated by scenes in actual classrooms, followed by a discussion and explanation of the research recommendations.

370.71 E27t, pt.8

LIBERATING AMERICA'S SCHOOLS: CHARTER SCHOOLS THAT WORK

1 videocassette. VHS. 56 min. 2000.

Looks at the pros and cons of school choice and how choice has been implemented within several public school systems. Also describes the use of vouchers for private schools.

379.320973 C486s

LISTENING TO CHILDREN: A MORAL JOURNEY WITH ROBERT COLES

1 videocassette. VHS. 87 min. 1995.

Child psychiatrist Robert Coles investigates children's moral development via case studies of eight children and their families. In Part II, Coles leads a group discussion with parents and teachers in Raleigh, North Carolina.

155.4 L773t

LITERACY IN CONTENT AREA INSTRUCTION

1 videocassette. VHS. 44 min. 1 viewer's guide. 1991.

3rd grade teacher Laura Pardo teaches reading/writing integrated into a social studies unit on communication.

372.4 T253r, pt.3

LITERATURE CIRCLES

1 videocassette. VHS. 30 min. 1990.

Shows teachers what a literature-based, process reading program looks like and how such a program might be organized; explains how whole language teachers can organize for instruction as well as facilitate and support quality discussions over books.

372.6 L776c

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THE LOOK OF LEARNING STYLES: ELEMENTARY VERSION

1 videocassette. VHS. 25 min. 1985.

Demonstrates ways for elementary school teachers to accommodate individual learning styles to help children feel more comfortable and be more able to concentrate.

370.15 L863e

THE LOOK OF LEARNING STYLES: SECONDARY VERSION

1 videocassette. VHS. 25 min. 1985.

Descriptions of how students' individual learning style characteristics are matched with appropriate environments, resources, and methods in classrooms throughout the country.

370.15 L863s

MANAGING THE DISRUPTIVE CLASSROOM: STRATEGIES FOR EDUCATORS

1 videocassette. VHS. 59 min. 1 facilitator's guide. 1994.

A videotape workshop designed for teachers at all levels of instruction presenting Dr. Robert E. Wubbolding teaching the classroom management techniques developed by Dr. William Glasser, president of the Institute for Reality Therapy in Los Angeles, California.

371.1024 M266t

MATH WHO NEEDS IT?!

1 videocassette. VHS. 58 min. 1 booklet. 1991.

Beginning in Jaime Escalante's East Los Angeles classroom, this video is a fun and exciting adventure showing how math is used in real life. With guest appearances by Bill Cosby, Dizzy Gillespie, Teri Garr, and world-class professionals, engineers and designers, viewers are shown the applications of math from skateboard design to fashion, sports, and music.

510.712 M426w

MENTAL HYGIENE: CLASSROOM FILMS 1945-1970

1 videocassette. VHS. 120 min. 199?.

"This is a compilation of America's social guidance films, 10-minute celluloid treatises on proper dating, good table manners, the evils of dope, and what happens to teens who drive too fast on prom night. Thousands of classroom films were made between 1945 and 1970 and seen by millions of American baby boomers."

646.7 M549h

THE MERROW REPORT: IN SCHOOLS WE TRUST

1 videocassette. VHS. 57 min. 1996.

This program analyzes the 150-year history of public education and finds that today's disagreements about school reform are more familiar than they are startling.

370.973 I35s

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THE MERROW REPORT: LOST IN TRANSLATION: LATINOS, SCHOOLS AND SOCIETY

1 videocassette. VHS. 57 min. 1998.

A report concerning the future of Latino youth in the United States, including dropout rates and the impact of California's Proposition 227.

371.829 M572r

MINDS OF OUR OWN

3 videocassettes. VHS. 80 min. 1 guide. 1997.

A look at why people can pass tests on basic science concepts but cannot apply the knowledge, and what teachers can do to address this problem.

507 M663o

MINERVA'S MACHINE: WOMEN AND COMPUTING

1 videocassette. VHS. 60 min. 1995.

This documentary on women in computing profiles a diverse group of successful women in the field today. Topics covered include the history of women in computing, the departure of women from academic computing in the mid-80s, why there are fewer women in computing than men, and gender differences in response to high technology. Sociologists, psychologists, educators, and other experts report findings on research into different responses to computers and video games and reports are given on programs designed to encourage girls in math, science and engineering, as well as other ways to bridge the computer gender gap.

004.082 M664m

MISUNDERSTOOD MINDS

1 videocassette. VHS. 90 min. 2002.

The Public Broadcasting Service PBS and the WGBH Educational Foundation present a special program on learning differences and disabilities. The program highlights the stories of children who struggle to learn, many don't fit any clinical diagnosis. Leading experts in the field of learning problems are featured on the program.

371.9 M678m

MULTI-CULTURAL EDUCATION: GOVERNOR'S CONFERENCE ON ETHNICITY

1 videocassette. VHS. 18 min. 1 guide. 1991.

305.8 G747c, pt.2

A NEW LOOK AT ADHD: INHIBITION, TIME AND SELF-CONTROL

1 videocassette. VHS 39 min. 1 program manual. 2000.

Provides an accessible introduction to Russell A. Barkley's theory of the nature and causes of ADHD. Also discussed are concrete ways to facilitate more effective clinical interventions.

616.8589 N532L

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OFF TRACK: CLASSROOM PRIVILEGE FOR ALL

1 videocassette. VHS. 30 min. 1998.

Documentation of a detracked classroom in an integrated public high school. Students explore a curriculum of World literatures, using a critical pedagogy of group work, collaboration, and serious individualized attention to create a revolutionary classroom where all children learn at the highest levels.

371.3 O32c**ON TELEVISION: TEACH THE CHILDREN**

1 videocassette. VHS. 57 min. 1992.

Host Edwin Newman explores the impact of extensive television viewing on young children through interviews with educators, psychologists, media analysts, mental health researchers, children, and interested adults.

302.2345 O58te**ORGANIZING CLASSROOMS**

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

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370.71 E27t, pt.7**PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT: A TEACHER'S WAY OF KNOWING**

1 videocassette. VHS. 21 min. 1993.

Explains the principles of performance assessment using illustrations from a Head Start program and kindergarten and third grade classes of a public school.

371.27 P438a**PETER PAN**

1 videocassette. VHS. 100 min. 1990.

Peter Pan teaches Wendy and her brothers to fly to Never-Never Land, where they share some exciting adventures with Indians and pirates.

791.4572 P478p**PIAGET'S DEVELOPMENTAL THEORY: CONCRETE OPERATIONS**

1 videocassette. VHS. 30 min. 1984.

Using structured interviews with children from 4 to 9 years old, Dr. David Elkind illustrates the development of transitive thinking and reversibility as children move from the pre-operational to concrete operational stage of cognitive development. Children's construction of the unit concept is illustrated in a first grade class.

155.413 P579d

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PRACTICAL GUIDE TO BRAIN-BASED LEARNING

1 videocassette. VHS. 36 min. 2000.

Jensen discusses what we know about the relationship between the brain and learning and how to apply this knowledge in the classroom to enhance learning.

153.15 P895g

PRESENTATIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

The lesson theme is presented through classroom vignettes, a narrative, and a skit. Researchers then demonstrate major concepts illustrated by scenes in actual classrooms, followed by a discussion and explanation of the research recommendations.

370.71 E27t, pt.17

A PRIVATE UNIVERSE: MISCONCEPTIONS THAT BLOCK LEARNING

1 videocassette. VHS. 18 min. 1989.

In this simple yet dramatic demonstration of how preconceived ideas can interfere with learning, a bright high school student diagrams her answer to the question, "Why is it warm in the summer?" She soon learns that her theories, pieced together from elementary school science, are incorrect. Yet even when she is given correct information, she can't let go of the previous ideas in her private universe.

001.96 P961u

THE PROGRESSIVES

1 videocassette. VHS. 25 min. 1988.

Examines the lives of four educators of the Progressive era: G. Stanley Hall, Francis Wayland Parker, John Dewey, and Ella Young.

370.92 L785i, pt.9

THE READING/WRITING CONNECTION

1 videocassette. VHS. 55 min. 1 viewer's guide. 1991.

2nd grade teacher Dawn Harris Martine teaches language arts, followed by interview segments during which she talks with educator Dorothy Strickland about the techniques, approaches, and attitudes which contribute to her teaching.

372.4 T253r, pt.4

REVIVING OPHELIA: SAVING THE SELVES OF ADOLESCENT GIRLS WITH DR. MARY PIPHER

1 videocassette. VHS. 90 min. 1996.

Discusses the challenges facing today's teenagers, especially girls, as well as the role of media and popular culture in shaping their identities.

305.235 R454o

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SAFE SCHOOLS: A GUIDE FOR ACTION

1 videocassette. VHS. 26 min. 1 book. 1991.

A video on how schools can create a safe and positive learning environment for their students. How parents, teachers, school administrators, students, businesses, law enforcement, and communities can work together to create safe schools.

371.58 S128s**SARA LIGHTFOOT**

1 videocassette. VHS. 29 min. 1988.

Sara Lawrence Lightfoot is interviewed by Bill Moyers on American education and what makes good schools.

370.973 S243l**SCHOOL, THE STORY OF AMERICAN PUBLIC EDUCATION**

4 videocassettes. VHS. 55 min each. 2001.

A history of America's public school system.

370.973 S372t**SCHOOLS THAT WORK**

1 videocassette. VHS. 119 min. 1990.

Examines four ordinary elementary schools that have exemplary teachers and principals. The objective was to identify qualities that enable these schools to succeed with the hope that these methods can be used in other schools. Done as a follow-up to the five previous shows in the series.

372.973 S372t**THE SECRET GARDEN**

1 videocassette. VHS. 102 min. 1993.

A young orphan named Mary is sent to live at the dark and foreboding English estate of her widowed uncle. She discovers a secret garden that was abandoned after a tragic accident. With the help of her crippled cousin Colin, and Dickon the country boy, her spirit is gradually reawakened as they bring the garden back to life.

791.4372 S446g**SEE DICK & JANE LIE,CHEAT & STEAL: TEACHING MORALITY TO KIDS**

1 videocassette. VHS. 47 min. 1989.

Program on children being taught basic caring, decency, and the difference between right and wrong.

370.114 S451d**SHORTCHANGING GIRLS, SHORTCHANGING AMERICA**

1 videocassette. VHS. 19 min. 1991.

A video presentation included in the agenda of the AAUW Educational Equity Roundtable held January 9, 1991, in Washington, DC; stresses promotion of self-esteem in girl students and encouragement in math and science studies.

370.1934 S559g

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SNAKE HILL TO SPRING BANK: A CLASSROOM PUBLISHING PROJECT

1 videocassette. VHS. 31 min. 1984.

Follows Marian Mohr's eleventh and twelfth grade students as they interview members of their local community, revise and edit their transcripts, and publish a book of neighborhood history and family folklore. Since they are writing for a real purpose and a real audience, the students value what they have written and are genuinely concerned with improving their writing skills.

808.04207 S669h

SPECIAL EDUCATION AND THE CLASSROOM TEACHER: DEVELOPMENTAL WRITING

1 videocassette. 60 min. 1988.

Demonstrates the classroom application of a well-documented and systematic approach to teaching students to write.

371.9043 S741d

SPECIAL EDUCATION AND THE CLASSROOM TEACHER: MATH FOR THE MAINSTREAMED CLASSROOM

1 videocassette. 60 min. 1988.

Demonstrates the use of innovative materials and strategies for teaching math. This program demonstrates successful team teaching.

371.9043 S741m

SPECIAL EDUCATION AND THE CLASSROOM TEACHER: SEMANTIC MAPPING

1 videocassette. 60 min. 1988.

Analyzes and demonstrates techniques for teaching reading which are particularly useful in mainstreamed and bi-lingual classrooms.

371.9043 S741s

SPECIAL EDUCATION AND THE CLASSROOM TEACHER: TEACHER ASSISTANCE TEAMS

1 videocassette. 60 min. 1988.

Explains and demonstrates their highly acclaimed approach to developing teacher support teams which help solve classroom problems.

371.9043 S741t

SPIRIT OF THE DAWN

1 videocassette. VHS. 29 min. 1994.

This documentary traces the history of Indian education in the U.S. and the experience of the Crow Indians in Montana in particular. It features the work of 6th grade teacher Mick Fedullo, who uses poetry as a tool for Crow Indian students to express their cultural heritage. Includes archival footage.

970.3 S759o

STAND AND DELIVER

1 videocassette. VHS. 103 min. 1988.

Story of Jaime Escalante, a math teacher at East Los Angeles' Garfield High School, who refuses to write off his inner-city students as losers. Escalante pushes and inspires 18 students who were struggling with math to become math whizzes.

791.4372 S785an

STANDARDS, NOT STANDARDIZATION VOL. I, RE-THINKING ASSESSMENT, PROVOCATION AND ISSUES

2 videocassettes. VHS. 120 min. 1 guide. 1991.

Enables a group leader to stimulate discussion on student evaluation. Writers Grant Wiggins and John Browne present alternative ideas and encourage viewers to think about changing traditional forms of assessment.

371.26 S785n

STORYTELLING

1 videocassette. VHS. 1 book. 1986.

How to captivate an audience of young readers, offering step-by-step explanations and analyses of the techniques illustrated.

372.64 S888aa

A STUDENT AT RISK

1 videocassette. VHS. 21 min. 1988.

Describes the causes and cures of the dropout problem, outlines elements for effective school strategies, and includes commentary by educators, legislators, and the students themselves.

373.12913 S933at

TAKING OFF: GUIDED READING AT THE EMERGENT STAGE

1 videocassette. VHS. 14 min. 1 booklet. 1990.

"Shows some of the features of, and context for, a guided reading lesson for children in their first year at school. Guided reading is an approach that helps teachers respond to the needs of the individual child by focusing on the strategies children use, and could use, in order to discover the author's meaning for themselves."

372.41 T136o

TEACHING MATHEMATICS WITH CALCULATORS: A NATIONAL WORKSHOP

1 videocassette. VHS. 1992.

510.712 T253m

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TEACHING READING COMPREHENSION: EXPERIENCE AND TEXT

1 videocassette. VHS. 34 min. 1 viewer's guide. 1991.

3rd grade teacher Joyce Ahuna-Ka'ai'ai teaches 4 days' classroom lessons on reading comprehension, followed by interview segments during which she talks with educator Kathy Au about the techniques, approaches, and attitudes which contribute to her teaching.

372.4 T253r, pt.5

TEACHING RESPECT FOR ALL

1 videocassette. VHS. 52 min. 1996.

Discusses why schools must address anti-gay prejudice to create a positive learning environment for all students, gay and straight.

370.19341 T253r

TEACHING WITH MANIPULATIVES

1 videocassette. VHS. 45 min. 1994.

372.72 T253w

TEACHING WORD IDENTIFICATION

1 videocassette. VHS. 50 min. 1 viewer's guide. 1991.

Elementary teacher Marjorie Downer teaches two days' classroom lessons on word identification, followed by interview segments during which she talks with Benchmark school founder Irene Gaskins about the techniques, approaches, and attitudes that contribute to her teaching.

372.4 T253r, pt.6

TO BE A TEACHER

1 videocassette. VHS. 60 min. 1986.

Documentary about teaching, showing several teachers at work in their classrooms.

371.1 T627b

THE TRUTH ABOUT TEACHERS

1 videocassette. VHS. 47 min. 1989.

Shows outstanding teachers across the U.S. who are making a profound and positive difference in the lives of their students.

371.102 T874ab

UNDERSTANDING LEARNING DISABILITIES

1 videocassette. VHS. 17 min. 1996.

Explains how to identify different types of learning disabilities and how to intervene and aid a learning disabled student.

371.9 U55L

UNEQUAL EDUCATION

1 videocassette. VHS. 60 min. 1994.

The initial segment "Failing our children" focuses on inequality in the education available in rich and poor New York neighborhood schools. A group of four recently graduated high school students produced and reported this segment. Also includes Kathleen Hall Jamieson commenting on the 1992 Presidential campaign and a discussion between Jonathan Kozol and John Chubb on school vouchers.

371.01 U56e

UP THE DOWN STAIRCASE

1 videocassette. VHS. 123 min. 1994.

Sandy Dennis stars as an idealistic new teacher in the New York's Calvin Coolidge High where there are no books, no chalk, too many students, and no discipline.

791.4372 U65t

VYGOTSKY'S DEVELOPMENTAL THEORY: AN INTRODUCTION

1 videocassette. VHS. 27 min. 1994.

Presents Lev Vygotsky's early childhood learning theories and demonstrates them in classrooms. Development, according to Vygotsky, cannot be separated from its social context: it is misleading to evaluate children only on what they accomplish independently.

372.21 V996d

THE WAVE

1 videocassette. VHS. 46 min. 1989.

Re-creates a classroom experiment in which a high-school teacher formed his own "Reich" to show why the German people could so willingly endorse Nazism.

791.4372 W355aa

WE'RE NOT STUPID: LIVING WITH A LEARNING DIFFERENCE

1 videocassette. VHS. 14 min. 1998.

Young people share their experiences of dealing with learning disabilities.

616.85889 W486n

WHAT IS A TEACHER?

1 videocassette. VHS. 28 min. 1987.

The lesson theme is presented through classroom vignettes, a narrative, and a skit. Researchers then demonstrate major concepts illustrated by scenes in actual classrooms, followed by a discussion and explanation of the research recommendations.

370.71 E27t, pt.1

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WHOLE LANGUAGE: PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES IN READING DEVELOPMENT WITH A SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON READING RECOVERY

1 videocassette. VHS. 74 min. 1985.

An introduction to whole language literacy learning that aims to help teachers begin to examine the assumptions and methodologies that govern their current approach to literacy teaching. Filmed at the Reading for the Love of It conference in Toronto, in February, 1985.

372.6 W628L

WHY DO THESE KIDS LOVE SCHOOL?

1 videocassette. VHS. 60 min. 1990.

Documents a variety of alternative approaches in education, providing an intimate look at nine different schools.

370.1 W629d

WHY MAN CREATES

1 videocassette. VHS. 25 min. 1993.

This production examines why, in all ages of history and prehistory, man has felt the need to be creative and imaginative in solving problems and expressing himself.

153.35 W629m

WOMEN AND TEACHING: HARDSHIPS AND HEROICS

1 videocassette. VHS. 20 min. 1987.

Profiles famous women educators like Catherine Beecher and examines the life of the woman teacher in the 1800's.

371.11 W872an

THE WORLD IN CLAIRE'S CLASSROOM

1 videocassette. VHS 89 min. 2000.

A documentary examining how veteran teacher Claire Oglesby addresses issues of respect, diversity and community building in her first and second grade classroom at the public school in Vermont. Each year, the whole school carries out an integrated, in-depth study of another culture, which lasts for the entire second half of the school year, involving students, parents, and community members. This year the focus is on the study of India.

370.1170973 W927i

THE WRITING AND READING PROCESS: A NEW APPROACH TO LITERACY

3 videocassettes. VHS. 1 resource guide. 1986.

Explores the process method of teaching reading and writing in the elementary classroom.

372.6 W956an

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THE WRITING WORKSHOP: A WORLD OF DIFFERENCE

1 videocassette. 40 min. 1987.

Lucy Calkins discusses how to teach writing and how children develop as writers; she stresses the importance of staff development for teachers of writing.

372.6 W956w

YOUNG ASPIRATIONS YOUNG ARTISTS: EMPOWERING AT-RISK YOUTH THROUGH ART

1 videocassette. VHS. 55 min. 1992.

Portrays a group of talented inner-city kids from New Orleans, who design, draw, and dream together under the watchful eye of a great teacher. It provides an exceptional model for a nurturing and challenging environment in which young people develop their creativity and artistry.

371.8296 Y68a