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Daily instruction on reading strategies and skills needed to improve comprehension and raise test scores.

Bestselling author Sherman Alexie tells the story of Junior, a budding cartoonist growing up on the Spokane Indian Reservation. Determined to take his future into his own hands, Junior leaves his troubled school on the rez to attend an all-white farm town high school where the only other Indian is the school mascot. Heartbreaking, funny, and beautifully written, *The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian*, which is based on the author's own experiences, coupled with poignant drawings by Ellen Forney that reflect the character's art, chronicles the contemporary adolescence of one Native American boy as he attempts to break away from the life he was destined to live.

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With a forward by Markus Zusak, interviews with Sherman Alexie and Ellen Forney, and four-color interior art throughout, this edition is perfect for fans and collectors alike.

Explores how the characters and lives of King George III of England and George Washington affected the progress and outcome of the American Revolution.

This text will help the building level administrator become a more effective educational leader.

The Story of Immigration

Inclusion Lesson Plan Book for the 21st Century

The Literacy Cookbook

Reading History

An ASCD Action Tool

Speak

The extraordinary, groundbreaking novel from Laurie Halse Anderson, with more than 2.5 million copies sold! The

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first ten lies they tell you in high school. "Speak up for yourself--we want to know what you have to say." From the first moment of her freshman year at Merryweather High, Melinda knows this is a big fat lie, part of the nonsense of high school. She is friendless, outcast, because she busted an end-of-summer party by calling the cops, so now nobody will talk to her, let alone listen to her. As time passes, she becomes increasingly isolated and practically stops talking altogether. Only her art class offers any solace, and it is through her work on an art project that she is finally able to face what really happened at that terrible party: she was raped by an upperclassman, a guy who still attends Merryweather and is still a threat to her. Her healing process has just begun when

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she has another violent encounter with him. But this time Melinda fights back, refuses to be silent, and thereby achieves a measure of vindication. In Laurie Halse Anderson's powerful novel, an utterly believable heroine with a bitterly ironic voice delivers a blow to the hypocritical world of high school. She speaks for many a disenfranchised teenager while demonstrating the importance of speaking up for oneself. Speak was a 1999 National Book Award Finalist for Young People's Literature. NATIONAL BESTSELLER • A coming-of-age classic, acclaimed by critics, beloved by readers of all ages, taught in schools and universities alike, and translated around the world—from the winner of the 2019 PEN/Nabokov Award for Achievement in International

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Literature. The House on Mango Street is the remarkable story of Esperanza Cordero, a young Latina girl growing up in Chicago, inventing for herself who and what she will become. Told in a series of vignettes-sometimes heartbreaking, sometimes deeply joyous-Sandra Cisneros' masterpiece is a classic story of childhood and self-discovery. Few other books in our time have touched so many readers. "Cisneros draws on her rich [Latino] heritage ... and seduces with precise, spare prose, creat[ing] unforgettable characters we want to lift off the page. She is not only a gifted writer, but an absolutely essential one." —The New York Times Book Review

"The Understanding by Design Guide to Creating High-Quality Units is targeted

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to individuals and groups interested in improving their skills in designing units of study based on the Understanding by Design (UbD) framework. This guide introduces UbD unit design and directs readers through the process. It is organized around a set of modules that move from basic ideas (e.g., the three stages of "backward design") to more complicated elements of unit design (e.g., authentic performance tasks)."--publisher website.

There's a war in Room 3B! Horrible Harry and Song Lee are in a fight, and nobody in Room 3B is happy. Harry and Song Lee have been best friends since kindergarten. Song Lee always laughs at Harry's jokes, they both love gross things, and they even got married on the playground in second grade. But ever

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since Miss Mackle let them work together on a project about dragons, Song Lee hasn't spoken to Harry! Will someone wave the white flag soon and end this war over . . . dragons?

Liberty!

The American Revolution as Seen from Both Sides

Leadership for Differentiating Schools and Classrooms

Daily Reading Comprehension, Grade 4
Grade 4 Reading

The House on Mango Street

Inclusion is now a way of life for many students with disabilities in the 21st Century. Today's classroom teachers need help with the implementation of inclusion through practical lesson plan formats and

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organizational templates to address their diverse student populations and to differentiate instruction. This plan book is a comprehensive guide for "honoring" the inclusive classroom and includes weekly/quarterly lesson plan formats, assessment, monitoring, and record-keeping forms, effective inclusive strategies and much, much more! Ideal for: General Education Classroom Teachers Special Education Collaborating Teachers Co-Teaching Teams Packed with easy-to-use, teacher-friendly lesson plan formats that account for the special instructional needs,

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accommodations and modifications of students, including Response to Intervention (RTI) plans.

"A lushly illustrated picture-book biography of two young Pakistani heroes, Malala Yousafzai and Iqbal Masih, from acclaimed nonfiction

author/illustrator Jeanette Winter"--

Proven methods for teaching reading comprehension to all students The Literacy Cookbook is filled with classroom-tested techniques for teaching reading comprehension to even the most hard-to-reach students. The book offers a review of approaches that are targeted

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for teaching reading, writing, speaking and listening skills. The book also includes information on how to connect reading, writing, and test prep. Contains accessible and easy-to-adopt recipes for strengthening comprehension, reading, writing, and oral fluency. Terrific resources are ready for download on the companion website. The materials in this book are aligned with the English Language Arts Common Core Standards The website includes an ELA Common Core Tracking Sheet, a handy resource when writing or evaluating curriculum. Provides a school reform

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strategy which focuses on a long-term mission; curriculum and assessment framework; set principles of learning; structures, policies, and staff that follow the mission; ongoing feedback and adjustments; and an effective planning process.

Understanding by Design

Horrible Harry and the Dragon War

Opening Doors to Student Understanding

The Tell-Tale Heart

The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian

"Now a major motion picture! Includes full-color movie photos and exclusive content!" --Dust jacket.

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Based on: Schooling by design / Grant Wiggins and Jay McTighe.

This book is a guide for the creation of "Smart Schools." Through the use of the "Education Instructional Coaching Model, American students can display the highest levels of academic achievement. This model is based upon a set of core beliefs that include:

- the major goal of educators is to inspire students to become critical thinkers and independent learners;*
- educators must create environments of small learning communities where a major portion of instruction is devoted to problem*

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solving; • teachers must design student directed instruction; • educational reform is comprehensive and involves every member of the educational community; • instructional coaching which requires mutual respect between a coach and teacher is the corner stone for improving classroom instruction.

A tour-de-force by rising indy comics star Gene Yang, American Born Chinese tells the story of three apparently unrelated characters: Jin Wang, who moves to a new neighborhood with his family only to discover that he's the only Chinese-American student at

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his new school; the powerful Monkey King, subject of one of the oldest and greatest Chinese fables; and Chin-kee, a personification of the ultimate negative Chinese stereotype, who is ruining his cousin Danny's life with his yearly visits. Their lives and stories come together with an unexpected twist in this action-packed modern fable. American Born Chinese is an amazing ride, all the way up to the astonishing climax. American Born Chinese is a 2006 National Book Award Finalist for Young People's Literature, the winner of the 2007 Eisner Award for Best Graphic Album: New, an

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*Eisner Award nominee for
Best Coloring and a 2007
Bank Street - Best
Children's Book of the Year.
This title has Common Core
Connections*

*Five Years at Fannie Lou
Mission, Action, and
Achievement*

Reading Wonders

*Reading/Writing Workshop
Grade 4*

Coming to America

*A Practical Guide to
Effective Reading, Writing,
Speaking, and Listening
Instruction*

*Malala, a Brave Girl from
Pakistan/Iqbal, a Brave Boy
from Pakistan*

***Explains how to encourage and
support teachers who are***

striving to match their instructional approaches to the needs and interests of every student.

A tour de force from acclaimed author Alan Gratz (Prisoner B-3087), this timely -- and timeless -- novel tells the powerful story of three different children seeking refuge. A New York Times bestseller! JOSEF is a Jewish boy living in 1930s Nazi Germany. With the threat of concentration camps looming, he and his family board a ship bound for the other side of the world . . . ISABEL is a Cuban girl in 1994. With riots and unrest plaguing her country,

she and her family set out on a raft, hoping to find safety in America . . . MAHMOUD is a Syrian boy in 2015. With his homeland torn apart by violence and destruction, he and his family begin a long trek toward Europe . . . All three kids go on harrowing journeys in search of refuge. All will face unimaginable dangers -- from drownings to bombings to betrayals. But there is always the hope of tomorrow. And although Josef, Isabel, and Mahmoud are separated by continents and decades, shocking connections will tie their stories together in the end. This action-packed

novel tackles topics both timely and timeless: courage, survival, and the quest for home.

This series of books is designed to help upper elementary teachers teach a rigorous yearlong writing curriculum.

How can today's teachers, whose classrooms are more culturally and linguistically diverse than ever before, ensure that their students achieve at high levels? How can they design units and lessons that support English learners in language development and content learning—simultaneously?

Authors Amy Heineke and Jay McTighe provide the answers by adding a lens on language to the widely used Understanding by Design® framework (UbD® framework) for curriculum design, which emphasizes teaching for understanding, not rote memorization. Readers will learn * the components of the UbD framework; * the fundamentals of language and language development; * how to use diversity as a valuable resource for instruction by gathering information about students' background knowledge from home, community, and school; * how

to design units and lessons that integrate language development with content learning in the form of essential knowledge and skills; and * how to assess in ways that enable language learners to reveal their academic knowledge. Student profiles, real-life classroom scenarios, and sample units and lessons provide compelling examples of how teachers in all grade levels and content areas use the UbD framework in their culturally and linguistically diverse classrooms. Combining these practical examples with findings from an extensive research base, the authors

deliver a useful and authoritative guide for reaching the overarching goal: ensuring that all students have equitable access to high-quality curriculum and instruction.

The Giver

Using Understanding by Design in the Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Classroom

Creating Smart Schools

Multicultural Curriculum

Transformation in Literacy and Language Arts

Wonder

Two Stories of Bravery

Concise and focused, the

Wonders Reading/Writing

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Workshop is a powerful instructional tool that provides students with systematic support for the close reading of complex text. Introduce the week ' s concept with video, photograph, interactive graphic organizers, and more Teach through mini lessons that reinforce comprehension strategies and skills, genre, and vocabulary Model elements of close reading with shared, short-text reads of high interest and grade-level rigor

Slowly Jack learns the pleasures of writing poetry as Miss Stretchberry encourages him to tell his own story through verse.

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What emerges is a moving and memorable story about a boy and his dog and his growing passion for poetry.

Saving Shiloh
Simon and Schuster

What are "essential questions," and how do they differ from other kinds of questions? What's so great about them? Why should you design and use essential questions in your classroom? Essential questions (EQs) help target standards as you organize curriculum content into coherent units that yield focused and thoughtful learning. In the classroom, EQs are used to stimulate students'

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discussions and promote a deeper understanding of the content. Whether you are an Understanding by Design (UbD) devotee or are searching for ways to address standards—local or Common Core State Standards—in an engaging way, Jay McTighe and Grant Wiggins provide practical guidance on how to design, initiate, and embed inquiry-based teaching and learning in your classroom. Offering dozens of examples, the authors explore the usefulness of EQs in all K-12 content areas, including skill-based areas such as math, PE, language instruction, and arts

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education. As an important element of their backward design approach to designing curriculum, instruction, and assessment, the authors

- *Give a comprehensive explanation of why EQs are so important;
- *Explore seven defining characteristics of EQs;
- *Distinguish between topical and overarching questions and their uses;
- *Outline the rationale for using EQs as the focal point in creating units of study; and
- *Show how to create effective EQs, working from sources including standards, desired understandings, and student misconceptions. Using essential

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questions can be challenging—for both teachers and students—and this book provides guidance through practical and proven processes, as well as suggested "response strategies" to encourage student engagement. Finally, you will learn how to create a culture of inquiry so that all members of the educational community—students, teachers, and administrators—benefit from the increased rigor and deepened understanding that emerge when essential questions become a guiding force for learners of all ages.

Can't You Make Them Behave,

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King George?

Instructional Leadership

Schooling by Design

Essential Questions

How the Revolutionary War
Began

Tsion's Life

Traces the history of immigration to America, from the prehistoric peoples who crossed the land bridge from Asia to modern war refugees

Shows how important learning is in a country where only a few children are able to go to school.

"This workbook will introduce your child to grade four vocabulary and reading comprehension exercises in a step-by-step manner"--Cover [p. 1].

Fritz presents the biography of King George III, ruler who was determined

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to be a good king but who had the not uncommon royal viewpoint that whoever disagreed with him was 'a traitor or a scoundrel.'--Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books.

Understanding by Design Professional Development Workbook

Rain School

Endangered

The Education Instructional Coaching Model

Bringing History to Life

The American Revolution

Presents a multifaceted model of understanding, which is based on the premise that people can demonstrate understanding in a variety of ways.

Poe's preference for not naming his narrators is potent once again in "The Tell-Tale Heart", a story that is trying so hard to appear sane, but fails

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miserably in the end. With minute preparations, perfect calculations, and even more precise execution of the conceived gruesome act, the narrator successfully fulfils his purpose, only to be lost in a battle with his sanity and guilt afterwards. Backed by the numerous movie and theatrical adaptations, the story is considered one of Poe's most popular and critically acclaimed. Edgar Allan Poe (1809-1849) was an American poet, author, and literary critic. Most famous for his poetry, short stories, and tales of the supernatural, mysterious, and macabre, he is also regarded as the inventor of the detective genre and a contributor to the emergence of science fiction, dark romanticism, and weird fiction. His most famous works include "The Raven" (1845), "The Black Cat"

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(1943), and "The Gold-Bug" (1843).
"Gail Gibbons is known for her ability to bring the nonfiction world into focus for young students. Through pictures, captions, and text, this book provides a window into the world of growing things...Erin Mallon complements Gibbons's text with a clear, clipped, and purposeful narration." -AudioFile Magazine
Offers a glimpse into the life of an eleven-year-old Ethiopian girl and her family along with facts about the country's culture and customs.
From Seed to Plant
Love That Dog
George Vs. George
The Understanding by Design Guide to Creating High-Quality Units
American Born Chinese
Knowledge and Skills for K-12 Success

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From National Book Award Finalist Eliot Schrefer comes the compelling tale of a girl who must save a group of bonobos -- and herself -- from a violent coup. Congo is a dangerous place, even for people who are trying to do good. When Sophie has to visit her mother at her sanctuary for bonobos, she's not thrilled to be there. Then Otto, an infant bonobo, comes into her life, and for the first time she feels responsible for another creature. But peace does not last long for Sophie and Otto. When an armed revolution breaks out in the country, the sanctuary is attacked, and the two of them must escape unprepared into the jungle. Caught in the crosshairs of a lethal conflict, they must

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struggle to keep safe, to eat, and to live. In *ENDANGERED*, Eliot Schrefer plunges us into a heart-stopping exploration of the things we do to survive, the sacrifices we make to help others, and the tangled geography that ties us all, human and animal, together. Depicts the outbreak of the American Revolution at Lexington in 1775 through stories and illustrations. Marty Preston wonders why it is that despite Judd Traver's attempts to redeem himself everyone is still so willing to think the worst of him. Marty's friend David is sure that Judd will be named as the murderer of a man who has been missing. Others are sure that Judd is behind a series of burglaries in

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the area. But Marty's parents and, with some trepidation, Marty himself persist in their attempts to be good neighbors and to give Judd a second chance. Now that Marty has Shiloh, maybe he can help Judd to take better care of his other dogs. Then again, maybe folks are right -- there's no way a Judd Travers can ever change for the good. Then a terrifying life-or-death situation brings this dilemma into sharp focus. Saving Shiloh is a powerful novel that brings this trilogy to a close. Living in a "perfect" world without social ills, a boy approaches the time when he will receive a life assignment from the Elders, but his selection leads him to a mysterious man known

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as the Giver, who reveals the dark secrets behind the utopian facade.

Ethiopian Voices

Long Way Down

Refugee

Saving Shiloh

“An intense snapshot of the chain reaction caused by pulling a trigger.” –Booklist (starred review)

“Astonishing.” –Kirkus Reviews (starred review)

“A tour de force.”

–Publishers Weekly (starred review) A

Newbery Honor Book A

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A Time Best YA Book of All Time (2021) A Los Angeles Times Book Prize Winner for Young Adult Literature Longlisted for the National Book Award for Young People's Literature Winner of the Walter Dean Myers Award An Edgar Award Winner for Best Young Adult Fiction Parents' Choice Gold Award Winner An Entertainment Weekly Best YA Book of 2017 A Vulture Best YA Book of 2017 A BuzzFeed Best YA Book of 2017 An ode to Put the Damn Guns Down,

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this is New York Times bestselling author Jason Reynolds's electrifying novel that takes place in sixty potent seconds—the time it takes a kid to decide whether or not he's going to murder the guy who killed his brother. A cannon. A strap. A piece. A biscuit. A burner. A heater. A chopper. A gat. A hammer. A tool for RULE Or, you can call it a gun. That's what fifteen-year-old Will has shoved in the back waistband of

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his jeans. See, his brother Shawn was just murdered. And Will knows the rules. No crying. No snitching. Revenge. That's where Will's now heading, with that gun shoved in the back waistband of his jeans, the gun that was his brother's gun. He gets on the elevator, seventh floor, stoked. He knows who he's after. Or does he? As the elevator stops on the sixth floor, on comes Buck. Buck, Will finds out, is who gave Shawn the gun

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before Will took the gun. Buck tells Will to check that the gun is even loaded. And that's when Will sees that one bullet is missing. And the only one who could have fired Shawn's gun was Shawn. Huh. Will didn't know that Shawn had ever actually USED his gun. Bigger huh. BUCK IS DEAD. But Buck's in the elevator? Just as Will's trying to think this through, the door to the next floor opens. A teenage girl gets on, waves away the smoke

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from Dead Buck's
cigarette. Will doesn't
know her, but she knew
him. Knew. When they
were eight. And stray
bullets had cut through
the playground, and Will
had tried to cover her,
but she was hit anyway,
and so what she wants to
know, on that fifth
floor elevator stop, is,
what if Will, Will with
the gun shoved in the
back waistband of his
jeans, MISSES. And so it
goes, the whole long way
down, as the elevator
stops on each floor, and

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at each stop someone connected to his brother gets on to give Will a piece to a bigger story than the one he thinks he knows. A story that might never know an END...if Will gets off that elevator. Told in short, fierce staccato narrative verse, Long Way Down is a fast and furious, dazzlingly brilliant look at teenage gun violence, as could only be told by Jason Reynolds. This book focuses on multicultural curriculum

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transformation in literacy and language arts subject areas. The discussion of each area outlines critical considerations for multicultural curriculum transformation for the area by grade level and then by eight organizing tools, including content standards, relationships with and among students and their families, and evaluation of student learning and teaching effectiveness. The volume is designed to speak with PK-12

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teachers as colleagues
in the multicultural
curriculum
transformation work.
Readers are exposed to
"things to think about,"
but also given
curricular examples to
work with or from in
going about the actual,
concrete work of
curriculum change. This
work supports PK-12
teachers to
independently
multiculturally adapt
existing curriculum, to
create new multicultural
curriculum

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differentiated by content areas and grade levels, and by providing ample examples of what such multicultural transformed literacy and language arts curricula looks like in practice.