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**Holiday Crafts (Set)** Corwin Press  
Setting the Standard for Project Based  
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Your Field Guide to Real-World Projects in  
the Digital Age ASCD

Explains how stories and informational  
texts can be used to promote research  
and inquiry in children from preschool  
through grade two.

### GRADES PREK-K

Solution Tree Press

Many tens of thousands of preservice and  
inservice teachers have relied on this  
highly regarded text from leading experts,  
now in a revised and updated sixth  
edition. The latest knowledge about  
literacy teaching and learning is distilled  
into flexible strategies for helping all  
PreK-12 learners succeed. The book  
addresses major components of literacy,  
the needs of specific populations,

motivation, assessment, approaches to  
organizing instruction, and more. Each  
chapter features bulleted previews of key  
points; reviews of the research evidence;  
recommendations for best practices in  
action, including examples from  
exemplary classrooms; and engagement  
activities that help teachers apply the  
knowledge and strategies they have  
learned. New to This Edition \*Incorporates  
the latest research findings and  
instructional practices. \*Chapters on new  
topics: developmental word study and the  
physiological, emotional, and behavioral  
foundations of literacy learning. \*Chapters  
offering fresh, expanded perspectives on  
writing and vocabulary. \*Increased  
attention to timely issues: classroom  
learning communities, teaching English  
learners, and the use of digital tools and  
multimodal texts.

**100 Classroom-Ready Activities that  
Inspire Curiosity, Problem Solving  
and Self-Guided Discovery for Third,  
Fourth and Fifth Grade Students**  
Penguin

A unique blend of age-appropriate tracing

and writing activities are combined with  
puzzles to make learning fun while helping  
kindergarteners build alphabet and  
handwriting skills and develop lifelong  
learning confidence. Identifying letters and  
learning to write letters and words are  
important steps toward reading readiness,  
and Highlights (TM) infuses Fun with a  
Purpose® into these essential learning  
activities. With vibrant art and engaging  
prompts, Writing exposes kindergarteners  
to letters and words through tracing and  
writing practice and the fun of puzzles and  
other activities, including Hidden  
Pictures® puzzles and mazes.

How Schools and Parents Around the  
World are Inspiring Greatness, One Child  
at a Time ASCD

The untold story of the root cause of  
America's education crisis--and the  
seemingly endless cycle of  
multigenerational poverty. It was only  
after years within the education reform  
movement that Natalie Wexler stumbled  
across a hidden explanation for our  
country's frustrating lack of progress when  
it comes to providing every child with a

quality education. The problem wasn't one of the usual scapegoats: lazy teachers, shoddy facilities, lack of accountability. It was something no one was talking about: the elementary school curriculum's intense focus on decontextualized reading comprehension "skills" at the expense of actual knowledge. In the tradition of Dale Russakoff's *The Prize* and Dana Goldstein's *The Teacher Wars*, Wexler brings together history, research, and compelling characters to pull back the curtain on this fundamental flaw in our education system—one that fellow reformers, journalists, and policymakers have long overlooked, and of which the general public, including many parents, remains unaware. But *The Knowledge Gap* isn't just a story of what schools have gotten so wrong—it also follows innovative educators who are in the process of shedding their deeply ingrained habits, and describes the rewards that have come along: students who are not only excited to learn but are also acquiring the knowledge and vocabulary that will enable them to succeed. If we truly want to fix our education system and unlock the potential of our neediest children, we have no

choice but to pay attention.

**Getting Smart** Createspace Independent Pub

This newly revised book explores proven strategies for overcoming the limitations of the traditional classroom, including a wealth of technology tools for inquiry, collaboration, and global connection to support this new vision of instructional design. The book follows the arc of a project, providing guided opportunities to direct and reflect educators own learning and professional development. In the expanded second edition, educators will find new examples of the latest tools, assessment strategies and promising practices that are poised to shape education in the future.

### **THE LEADER IN ME**

ASCD

It's no secret that in today's complex world, students face unparalleled demands as they prepare for college, careers, and active citizenship. However, those demands won't be met without a fundamental shift from traditional, teacher-centered instruction toward innovative, student-centered teaching and

learning. For schools ready to make such a shift, project-based learning (PBL) offers a proven framework to help students be better equipped to tackle future challenges. Project Based Teachers encourage active questioning, curiosity, and peer learning; create learning environments in which every student has a voice; and have a mastery of content but are also comfortable responding to students' questions by saying, "I don't know. Let's find out together." In this book, Suzie Boss and John Larmer build on the framework for Gold Standard PBL originally presented in *Setting the Standard for Project Based Learning* and explore the seven practices integral to Project Based Teaching: Build the Culture Design and Plan Align to Standards Manage Activities Assess Student Learning Scaffold Student Learning Engage and Coach For each practice, the authors present a wide range of practical strategies and include teachers' reflections about and suggestions from their classroom experiences. This book and a related series of free videos provide a detailed look at what's happening in PBL classrooms from the perspective of the

Project Based Teacher. Let's find out together. A copublication of ASCD and Buck Institute for Education (BIE).

The Popcorn Book Corwin Press

It's time to say Yes to PBL Project Based Learning can be messy, complicated, and downright scary. When done right, though, PBL and Inquiry are challenging, inspiring and fun for students. Best of all, when project-based learning is done right, it actually makes the teacher's job easier.

### **Reinventing Project-Based Learning**

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Worm is all about having fun, respecting the earth, and never taking baths. Many children will relate to this funny character! In *Diary of a Worm: Teacher's Pet*, Worm makes a surprising discovery—teachers have birthdays. That means Worm and his friends have to find the perfect present for their teacher, Mrs. Mulch. *Diary of a Worm: Teacher's Pet* is a Level One I Can Read book, which means it is perfect for kids learning to sound out words and sentences.

### **KINDERGARTEN WRITING**

Simon and Schuster

"Do not do to others that which would

anger you if others did it to you."—Socrates (the Greek philosopher), circa 470-399 B.C. Mr. Rabbit's new neighbors are Otters. OTTERS! But he doesn't know anything about otters. Will they get along? Will they be friends? Just treat otters the same way you'd like them to treat you, advises Mr. Owl. In her smart, playful style Laurie Keller highlights how to be a good friend and neighbor—simply follow the Golden Rule! This title has Common Core connections. Do Unto Otters is a 2008 Bank Street - Best Children's Book of the Year.

### **Stuck** Child's World

First published in 1968, *Ten Black Dots* is a counting book, a book of simple rhymes, and a book of everyday objects.

Keep It Real With PBL, Elementary

Greenwood Publishing Group

Children in today's world are inundated with information about who to be, what to do and how to live. But what if there was a way to teach children how to manage priorities, focus on goals and be a positive influence on the world around them? The Leader in Me is that programme. It's based on a hugely successful initiative carried out at the A.B. Combs Elementary School

in North Carolina. To hear the parents of A. B Combs talk about the school is to be amazed. In 1999, the school debuted a programme that taught *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People* to a pilot group of students. The parents reported an incredible change in their children, who blossomed under the programme. By the end of the following year the average end-of-grade scores had leapt from 84 to 94. This book will launch the message onto a much larger platform. Stephen R. Covey takes the 7 Habits, that have already changed the lives of millions of people, and shows how children can use them as they develop. Those habits -- be proactive, begin with the end in mind, put first things first, think win-win, seek to understand and then to be understood, synergize, and sharpen the saw -- are critical skills to learn at a young age and bring incredible results, proving that it's never too early to teach someone how to live well.

Gingerbread Baby ABC-CLIO

Several animals sleep snugly in Nicki's lost mitten until the bear sneezes.

**Diary of a Worm: Teacher's Pet** Mark Twain Media

The Texas Project-Based Learning book is

56 pages consisting of projects using geography, history, government, economics and more. Great for grades 3-5. There are 50 projects-based learning activities.

### The Standards-Based Classroom

Turtleback Books

If your young students ask, "Why are we doing that?" if they wonder what school learning has to do with life outside of school, if YOU wonder how you will motivate, engage, or otherwise inspire your students to take schoolwork seriously, then read this book. Deborah Diffily and Charlotte Sassman give us pause to rethink the look, feel, and content of classrooms. They remind us that even the youngest students can fully participate in the life of their schools and their communities. And they show us just how successful children can be in conducting their own projects. The authors detail the characteristics of an Applied Learning project, a venture in which students connect school work to the real world and direct their own learning. They offer a timeline for one such project, and describe several more, with suggestions for additional project topics, research

resources, and end products. Using numerous vignettes and examples from their own teaching experiences, they demonstrate that, above and beyond academic learning, children grow into contributing members of different groups by learning how to negotiate and compromise, direct their own learning, and make daily work choices that mesh classroom learning with real-world projects. As one six-year-old explained, "Projects can be educkashional. Projects can be fun." This book's purpose is the same: to help you understand the power, and the fun, of project-based learning. Try it and possibly change your life.

### Setting the Standard for Project Based Learning

Henry Holt and Company (BYR) There's something about a celebration that makes people want to be creative! Inspire young readers to get crafting with this fun series. These age-appropriate and easy-to-follow projects are sure to spark kids' imaginations. Each book contains information on the background of the holiday, as well as step-by-step instructions to simple, fun projects. Whether it's a ghostly mask, a clothespin nutcracker, or a chick on a stick, there's a

project for every crafter in this series! Each book includes sidebars with additional facts and a phonetic glossary. *The Differentiated Classroom Setting the Standard for Project Based Learning* Presents a variety of facts about popcorn and includes two recipes.

## **PROJECT-BASED INQUIRY UNITS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN**

International Society for Technology in Education

Over the snow, the world is hushed and white. But under the snow exists a secret kingdom of squirrels and snow hares, bears and bullfrogs, and many other animals that live through the winter safe and warm, awake and busy, under the snow. Discover the wonder and activity that lies beneath winter's snowy landscape in this magical book.

*Project-Based Learning Tasks for Common Core State Standards, Grades 6 - 8*

Heinemann Educational Books

Maps can show you where you are anywhere in the world! A beloved bestseller that helps children discover their place on the planet, now refreshed with new art from Qin Leng. Where are

you? Where is your room? Where is your home? Where is your town? This playful introduction to maps shows children how easy it is to find where they live and how they fit in to the larger world. Filled with

fun and adorable new illustrations by Qin Leng, this repackaged *Me on the Map* will show readers how easy it is to find the places they know and love with help from a map.

*Engaging Children's Minds* Penguin

A young boy and his mother bake a gingerbread baby that escapes from their oven and leads a crowd on a chase similar to the one in the familiar tale about a not-so-clever gingerbread man.

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