Developmental Math Assessment is for young children age 3+ and is used to: 1) assess the important number concepts and skills needed to be successful at a grade level, 2) gain insight into how effectively teachers are learning, 3) improve instruction, and determine plans for individual students. 4) Monitor annual yearly progress in number concepts. This facilitative communication between teachers and parents so parents feel more informed about their student's strengths and needs in mathematics.

This guide presents strategies for applying technology to help students who have cognitive and physical disabilities, and shows how technology is useful not only in presenting current information, but also for accessing information about instruction and organization of special education programs. Case studies and descriptions of state-of-the-art applications illustrate how technology can help students with disabilities master complex materials and basic skills and how technology can support educators and evaluating students' progress. Chapter 1 describes the most common challenges associated with educating children with disabilities and discusses research-validated approaches in assistive instruction and assessment technologies. Chapter 2 demystifies the process of determining what technology will best meet student needs and discusses the cost-effective acquisition of those technologies. Chapter 3 delineates strategies necessary to ensure that technology investments produce continuous learning improvements, including the establishment of a technology team and devising a long-range technology plan. Chapter 4 provides assistance in finding the help needed to make technology "pay off." It includes an extensive resource list that provides contact information and describes national, state, and local organizations, information centers, clearinghouses, and research group that provide services, information, and demonstrations of technology. An appendix includes relevant federal documents on assistive technology. (CR)

A two-volume comprehensive guide with information on obtaining scholastic grants, scholarships and other financial resources to be used for educational expenses.

This cultural history examines representations of pleasure and work during Japan's transformation into a modern nation-state. It traces the figure of the prostitute in the context of Japanese nation- and empire-building immediately before and during the Meiji era.

This publication is designed to take into modern stories and ideas about mathematics and science teachers who are charting new territory in education.

TodaY's dynamic organizations must achieve positive results in record time - a challenge that requires managers to avoid problems before they arise and to solve these issues quickly. Human Performance Improvement (HPI) is a powerful tool that can help to build intellectual capital, establish and maintain a high-performance workplace, enhance profitability, and encourage productivity - as well as increase return on equity and improved safety. Written by a group of highly respected authors in the field, this book will show you how to: - discover and analyze performance gaps - plan for future improvements in human performance - design and develop cost-effective interventions to close performance gaps.

Describes educational uses for the Internet, tells how to navigate the Internet, and surveys resources in the areas of art, music, drama, foreign languages, math, science, social studies, and geography.

"Winner of the 2019 A.A.L.E. First Book Award" Racialized Identities in Second Language Learning: Speaking Blackness in Brazil provides a critical overview and original sociolinguistic analysis of the African African American experience in second language learning. More broadly, this book introduces the idea of second language learning as "transformative socialization": how teachers, instructors, and their communities shape new communicative selves as they collaboratively construct and negotiate race, ethnicity, gender, sexuality, and social class identities. Uju A. Anyi's study follows African American college students learning Portuguese in four African Brazilian communities, and their journeys in learning to do and speak blackness in Brazil. Video-recorded interactions, student journals, interviews, and writing assignments show how powerful methods of enacted and chimerical language and identity play out in the classroom, and conversation analyses describe how African American students use talk to reproduce or resist ideological, and symbolic selves in Portuguese and how linguistic action reproduces or resists power and inequity. The book addresses key questions on how learners can authentically and effectively participate in classrooms and target language communities to show that black students' racialized identities and identities in these communities greatly influence their success in second language learning and how successful others perceive them to be.

Scientists worldwide are showing greater interest in contributing to the reform of science education, yet many do not know how to begin. This highly readable book serves as a guide for those scientists interested in working on the professional development of K-12 science teachers. Based on information from over 180 professional development programs for science teachers, the volume addresses what kinds of activities work and why. Included are useful examples of programs focusing on issues of content and process in science teaching. The authors present "day-in-a-life" vignettes, along with a suggested reading list, to help familiarize scientists with the professional lives of K-12 science teachers. The book also offers scientists suggestions on how to take first steps toward involvement, how to identify that programs have been determined effective by teachers, and how to become involved in system-wide programs. Discussions on ways of working with teachers on program design, program evaluation, and funding sources are included. A concise and practical, this book will be a welcome resource for university, institutional, and corporate scientists; teachers; teacher educators; organizations; administrators; and parents.

Every day, 250 children are suspended from school. Many are children of color, deprived of opportunities to experience learning at the same rate and quality as white children. M any families don't feel heard or respected in their child's school. Don't Look Away: Embracing Anti-Bias Classrooms leads early childhood professionals to explore and address issues of bias, equity, low expectations, and family engagement. It is full of practical, family-responsive experiences. Importantly, this book will challenge you to consider your perspectives and thought processes: I identify with your own unconscious biases we all have them! Recognize and minimize bias in the classroom, school, and community. Connect with children and their families Help close the opportunity gap for children from marginalized communities This book offers strategies, tools, and information to help you to contribute a culturally responsive and equitable learning environment.

With this guide, major help for nineteenth-century W orld History term papers has arrived to enrich and stimulate students in challenging and enjoyable ways. Each entry event begins with a brief summary to pique interest. Each entry offers original and thoughtful probing term paper ideas in both standard and alternative formats that often incorporate the latest in electronic media, such as the iPod and iMovie. The best in primary and secondary sources for further research are annotated. + Updated, stable websites to suggestions and multimedia resources, usually videos, are noted for further viewing. A 'literate term paper suggestions encourage role-playing to personalize the learning environment.

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Each two-volume book contains four major sections: - Introduction and Overview: Provides forewords by notables in the field and an outline of the book. - Essays: Features eight to 10 essays on topics such as workplace issues, financial aid, diversity, and more. - Directory: Contains descriptions and contact information for hundreds of organizations, schools, and associations, arranged by topic. - Further Resources/indexes: Includes glossaries, appendixes, reading further, and indexes.
Offering comprehensive coverage of core anatomical concepts, this respected, clinically oriented text is the definitive source for a complete understanding of veterinary anatomy. Gain the working anatomical knowledge that is crucial to your understanding of the veterinary basic sciences, as well as detailed information directly applicable to the care of specific animal species, including dogs, cats, horses, cows, pigs, and birds. Each chapter is centered around a particular organ or system, including an overview of the structure and functions of each organ and explanation of the anatomical relationships. The richly illustrated photographs and diagrams couple with the text to illustrate the relevance of anatomy to successful veterinary practice. Content is logically organized into two main sections: a general introduction to mammalian anatomy and a region-specific breakdown - to make studying more efficient and ensure greater understanding. Comprehensive, all-in-one coverage of all major species presents everything you need to master anatomical concepts in one text. Focus on essential anatomy of each species delivers just the right level of detail to help you establish a solid foundation for success. For the first time, all images in the text appear in full color. This lifelike presentation clarifies anatomical concepts and structures in vibrant detail. Vivid full-color dissection photographs help you translate anatomical knowledge to clinical practice and confidently perform dissection procedures. A companion Evolve Resources website reinforces your understanding and helps you prepare for the NAVLE® board exam with 300 exam-style practice questions, a full-color electronic image collection, and more.

Everything you need to know about the nation's fifteen largest cities—whether you plan to pursue an education, start a business, or raise a family, this guide takes you through the rapidly growing Discovery City.

For the Internet generation, educational technology designed with the brain in mind offers a natural pathway to the pleasures and rewards of deep learning. Drawing on neuroscience and cognitive psychology, Michelle Miller shows how attention, memory, critical thinking, and analytical reasoning can be enhanced through technology-aided approaches. This authoritative book has supported thousands of distance learners, providing accessible support and friendly advice for their studies. This essential guide provides practical help for anyone who is embarking on a distance learning course, providing accessible support and friendly advice for their studies. It is a key resource for distance learners, providing accessible support and friendly advice for their studies. It is a key resource for distance learners, providing accessible support and friendly advice for their studies. It is a key resource for distance learners, providing accessible support and friendly advice for their studies.

Studying at a Distance, 4th edition is a key resource for undergraduates and postgraduates in all open and distance learning or e-learning courses. This guide is ideal for students and international students in understanding how to make the most of studying remotely at a UK Higher Education institution. Hallmark features of this book are the comments and advice offered by students and tutors sharing their own experiences of distance learning. It also includes comprehensive self-study activities that highlight the element of active learning that is crucial to successful studying at a distance. Studying at a Distance, 4th edition is a key resource for under graduates and postgraduates in all open and distance learning or e-learning courses.

For many of us, the drive to affect positive change—however vague or idiosyncratic our sense of this might be—has guided our work in higher education. We champion the pursuit of a college degree because we know that a college education can transform teaching. This guide is suitable for teachers in any content area. Please visit www.essentialsforblended.com for additional resources.