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Sullivan, W. M. (2016). The power of integrated learning: higher education for success in life, work, and society. Sterling, VA: Stylus Publishing.

WHY ARE ALL THE BLACK KIDS SITTING TOGETHER IN THE CAFETERIA?

This book is very useful to everyone, is to help people to talk to children, their friends, and their colleagues about the difficult topic of racism.

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Tatum, B. D. (1999). "Why are all the Black kids sitting together in the cafeteria?": and other conversations about race. New York: Basic Books.

THE DIFFERENTIATED CLASSROOM: RESPONDING TO THE NEEDS OF ALL LEARNERS

This book is about writing your own history as a teacher, one day at a time, one increment of growth at a time, one collegial partnership at a time. The author looks at elementary and secondary classrooms in nearly all subject areas to show how real teachers turn the challenge of differentiation into a reality.

Reference:

Tomlinson, C. A. (1999). The differentiated classroom: responding to the needs of all learners. Alexandria, VA: Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development.

STARTING WITH THE REAL WORLD

This book is to help teachers foster nonfiction reading and writing at all stages of literacy, from emergency to fluency. Also to help teachers expand their students' genre, media range and evaluate children's learning in different areas using authentic assessment tools.

Trussell-Cullen, A. (1999). Starting with the real world: strategies for developing nonfiction reading and writing, K-8. Carlsbad, Calif: Dominie Press.

WRITING VOYAGE: A PROCESS APPROACH TO BASIC WRITING

The utmost purpose of this book is to provide an integrated writing experience for students. They learn what elements of writing are most important at each stage of the process, and they understand that mastery of variety of skills is crucial to the effective communication of the writer's idea.

Reference:

Tyner, T. E. (1994). Writing voyage: a process approach to basic writing. Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Pub. Co.

URBAN PREPARATION: YOUNG BLACK MEN MOVING FROM CHICAGOS SOUTH SIDE TO SUCCESS IN HIGHER EDUCATION

This book clearly addresses many of the questions about race, racism, and discrimination to advance what we know in education and to move towards a more equitable education system. Also, the books included in this series will be developed to highlight scholarship from leading researchers in the field as well as emerging scholars and will investigate mechanisms, systems, structures and practices that have a real bearing on students' opportunity to learn.

Reference:

Warren, C. A., & Brooms, D. R. (2017). Urban preparation: young black men moving from Chicagos South Side to success in higher education. Cambridge, MA: Harvard Education Press.

INSPIRED COLLEGE TEACHING

This book is about the ride and what it takes to keep teaching inspired across a career. It's about getting started so that disaster can be avoided before it's experienced. This resource therefore explores the various aspects of career long growth and development for college teachers are all but nonexistent.

Weimer, M. (2010). Inspired college teaching: a career-long resource for professional growth. San Francisco, CA: Jossey-Bass.

TEACHING STRATEGIES FOR THE COLLEGE CLASSROOM: A COLLECTION OF FACULTY ARTICLES

Some of the resources in this book explain to students why some assignment or in class activities are designed as they are. The collegial and inquiry based conversation of resources in this book is to help students succeed.

Reference:

Weimer, M. (2013). Teaching strategies for the college classroom: a collection of faculty articles.

WHAT GREAT TEACHERS DO DIFFERENTLY?

This book about what great teachers do that sets them apart. It gives an insight to how effective educators are and how they can continue to refine their skills.

Reference:

Whitaker, T. (n.d.). What Great Teachers Do Differently: Seventeen Things that Matter Most. Second

WRITING TALK: SENTENCES AND PARAGRAPHS WITH WRITING

The writing talk, sentences and paragraphs are designed for instructors to teach principles and as well show students in practice. This book is loaded with lots of readings sections giving practical advice on techniques of reading.

Reference:

Winkler, A. C., & McCuen, J. R. (2003). Writing talk. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall.

DOING RESEARCH TO IMPROVE TEACHING AND LEARNING

This book is set up to provide a variety of different examples of teaching as a research project from the university and college settings. It blends some background theory, concrete steps and strategies with actual concrete examples from a variety discipline.

Williams, K. M. (2015). Doing research to improve teaching and learning: a guide for college and university faculty. New York, NY: Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group.

THE FIRST DAYS OF SCHOOL: HOW TO BE AN EFFECTIVE TEACHER

This book is written to help teachers jumpstart by beginning school successfully. The contents are based on techniques and experiences shared by the legion of educators.

Reference:

Wong, H. K., & Wong, R. T. (2009). The first days of school: how to be an effective teacher. Mountain View, CA: Harry K. Wong Pubs.

THE MIS-EDUCATION OF THE NEGRO

The intention of this book is not as a broadside against any particular person, group or class, but to redirect as a corrective for methods which have not produced satisfactory results. This book does not support the one-time popular opinion that in matters of education Negros are rightfully subjected to the will of others on the presumption that these poor people are not large taxpayers and must be contented with charitable contributions to their uplift

Reference:

Woodson, C. G. (2014). The mis-education of the Negro. New York: Tribeca Books.

APPLICATIONS OF CASE STUDY RESEARCH

This book is intended to augment the earlier work by providing students and research investigators with extensive applications of actual case study and with discussion on how case study research can be applied to a broad areas of inquiry.

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Yin, R. K. (2000). Applications of case study research. Newbury Park, Calif.: SAGE.

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