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Building Toothpick Bridges - Jeanne Pollard
1985

Teaches students how to build toothpick bridges, manage a budget, and order the materials necessary to complete their projects

Math 2004 - HSP 2003-03

K-8 Digital Citizenship Curriculum - Ask a Tech
Teacher 2019-09-21

9 grade levels. 17 topics. 46 lessons. 46 projects.

A year-long curriculum that covers everything you need to discuss on internet safety and efficiency. Digital Citizenship—probably one of the most important topics students will learn between kindergarten and 8th and too often, teachers are thrown into it without a roadmap. Well, here it is—your guide to what our children must know at what age to thrive in the community called the internet. It's a roadmap for blending all pieces into a cohesive, effective student-directed cyber-learning experience that accomplishes ISTE's general goals

MCP Mathematics - Dale Seymour
PUBLICATIONS 2004-07

MCP Mathematics promotes mathematical success for all students, especially those who struggle with their core math program. This trusted, targeted program uses a traditional drill and practice format with a predictable, easy-to-use lesson format. MCP Math is flexible and adaptable to fit a variety of intervention settings

including after school, summer school, and additional math instruction during the regular school day. By teaching with MCP Math, you can: Provide targeted intervention through a complete alternative program to core math textbooks. Help students learn and retain new concepts and skills with extensive practice. Prepare students at a wide range of ability levels for success on standardized tests of math proficiency.

Bridges and Tunnels - Donna Latham 2012
Kids explore the physical science, engineering, and innovation behind two major structures our world depends on.

Creating a Culture of Reflective Practice -
Pete Hall 2017-08-29

As a school administrator, instructional coach, or teacher leader, you know that reflective teachers are effective teachers. But how can you help teachers become self-reflective practitioners whose thoughtful approach translates into real gains for student achievement? In *Creating a Culture of Reflective Practice*—a companion volume to their teacher-oriented book *Teach, Reflect, Learn*—authors Pete Hall and Alisa Simeral draw on lessons learned from educators across grade levels, content areas, and district demographics to present a definitive guide to developing a culture of reflective practice in your school. Hall and Simeral expand on ideas originally presented in *Building Teachers'*

Capacity for Success to help you gain a clear understanding of your role and responsibilities—and those of your teachers—within each stage of the Continuum of Self-Reflection. Armed with the book's real-life examples and research-based tools, you'll learn how to determine the current location of all stakeholders on the continuum and how teacher-leadership activities, transformational feedback, and strategic coaching can move them forward. The end result? A schoolwide culture that both values reflection and uses it to ensure that teachers—and their students—reach their fullest potential.

Proof and Proving in Mathematics

Education - Gila Hanna 2012-06-14

THIS BOOK IS AVAILABLE AS OPEN ACCESS BOOK ON SPRINGERLINK One of the most significant tasks facing mathematics educators is to understand the role of mathematical reasoning and proving in mathematics teaching, so that its presence in instruction can be enhanced. This challenge has been given even greater importance by the assignment to proof of a more prominent place in the mathematics curriculum at all levels. Along with this renewed emphasis, there has been an upsurge in research on the teaching and learning of proof at all grade levels, leading to a re-examination of the role of proof in the curriculum and of its relation to other forms of explanation, illustration and justification. This book, resulting from the 19th ICMI Study, brings together a variety of viewpoints on issues such as: The potential role of reasoning and proof in deepening mathematical understanding in the classroom as it does in mathematical practice. The developmental nature of mathematical reasoning and proof in teaching and learning from the earliest grades. The development of suitable curriculum materials and teacher education programs to support the teaching of proof and proving. The book considers proof and proving as complex but foundational in mathematics. Through the systematic examination of recent research this volume offers new ideas aimed at enhancing the place of proof and proving in our classrooms.

Dreaming Up - Christy Hale 2012

"A collection of concrete poetry, illustrations, and photographs that shows how young

children's constructions, created as they play, are reflected in notable works of architecture from around the world. Includes biographies of the architects, quotations, and sources"-- Provided by publisher.

The Reflective Educator's Guide to Classroom Research - Nancy Fichtman Dana 2019-08-20

For three editions, teacher preparation and professional development providers have turned to this bestselling how-to guide for its authentic approach to teacher inquiry and how to harness it for the greatest transformational effect. In this edition, readers explore contemporary as well as enduring real-life examples of data-driven classrooms. Featuring helpful exercises and step-by-step instructions, this edition explores:

- equity and social justice and the role inquiry plays in tackling it
- professional practice doctoral programs as ripe context for inquiry
- the role literature plays in teacher research

STEM, Grade 5 - 2015-01-05

Applying the Standards: STEM for fifth grade offers 64 pages of highly engaging STEM tasks. It includes a problem-solving rubric and guided pages that walk students through completing each step of the STEM process. Fifth graders will complete tasks in areas such as the human body, furniture design, pendulum physics, environmental building, and friction. The Applying the Standards: STEM series emphasizes creativity and innovation in science, technology, engineering, and math. This is a series of six 64-page books for students in kindergarten through grade 5. A variety of topics are covered with 30 engaging tasks, and a culminating reflection question for each task encourages students to think about and apply their newfound learning and knowledge.

El-Hi Textbooks & Serials in Print, 2005 - 2005

Design as a Catalyst for Learning - Meredith J. Davis 1997

This book presents findings of a 1993 study of how design in the curriculum helps students achieve national educational objectives. It also explores opportunities for expanding the role design can play in students' academic lives. Results of the 1993 study reveal how the use of design experiences in classrooms provides

teachers and students with a learning construct for the next century. The book summarizes descriptive research that makes qualitative statements regarding current classroom practice and identifies effective models for using design in classrooms. The research tapped three primary sources of data: (1) a review of the literature; (2) a national qualitative survey of teachers; and (3) site visits to 10 schools. Also, the researchers conducted qualitative interviews with principals, curriculum coordinators, other school or district administrators, teachers, teachers' aides, students, and parents. The six chapters include: (1) "Learning Through Design"; (2) "Lifelong Learning"; (3) "A Strategy for Excellent Teaching"; (4) "Design in the Curriculum"; (5) "Opportunities and Challenges for Schools"; and (6) "Conclusions and Recommendations." Three appendices, a bibliography, and information about the authors, the National Endowment for the Arts, and the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development conclude the document. (EH)
Bringing Math Home - Suzanne L. Churchman
2006-05-31

This ultimate parents' guide to elementary school math features projects, games, and activities children and parents can do together to increase their understanding of basic math concepts. Fun activities such as mapping a child's bedroom for practice in measurements or keeping a diary of numeric items like vacation mileage and expenses reinforce the math skills outlined in each lesson. Using the standards issued by the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics as a foundation, this book covers both content and process standards for areas such as algebra, geometry, measurement, problem solving, and reasoning/proofs. It also includes a glossary of math terms and dozens of suggestions for additional children's reading to further math understanding.

Harcourt Math, Grade 1 - HSP 2002

Mathematics program for grades K-6 provides focused instruction on key skills, comprehensive assessment, targeted intervention and practice for mastery and retention.

First Steps in Mathematics - Sue Willis

2005-01-01

Provides teachers with a range of practical tools to improve the mathematical learning for all

students

Awesome Engineering Activities for Kids -

Christina Schul 2019-05-28

Build Excitement for Engineering Make engineering for kids fun and inspiring. From toothpick towers and marble runs to egg drops and water rockets, Awesome Engineering Activities for Kids is filled with exciting projects that will challenge and delight kids ages 5-10. Kids learn how and why things work as they explore amazing projects all by themselves. These engineering for kids activities also help them discover important STEAM connections, showing how engineering relies on science, technology, art, and math. Awesome Engineering Activities for Kids features: MORE THAN 50 PROJECTS-Learn about different kinds of engineering for kids by constructing shoebox foosball, rubber band race cars and more. EASY-TO-FIND MATERIALS-Create a makerspace-a place to freely start and explore projects-with items readily found around the house. STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS-Engineering for kids is easy with detailed steps that make it simple for kids to take the lead on activities and build on their own. Unlock the world of engineering for kids with Awesome Engineering Activities for Kids.

El-Hi Textbooks & Serials in Print, 2003 - 2003

Teaching and Learning Mathematics - Linda Jensen Sheffield 2004-03-29

Help students make sense of mathematics Rather than merely discussing how to improve students' ability to do mathematics, this fifth edition focuses on helping them make sense of mathematics. Based on research on the functioning of the mind as it engages in learning, the text supports teachers as they promote mathematical understanding, strengthen students' abilities to think, and help students to attain computational fluency. Features A rich collection of ready-to-use learning activities Fully integrated language and intent of Principles and Standards for School Mathematics (PSSM). A greater emphasis on problem solving and higher-level thinking A greater focus on teaching mathematics to diverse learners Descriptions of a variety of promising and effective mathematics programs for the K - 8 levels

[Building Thinking Classrooms in Mathematics, Grades K-12](#) - Peter Liljedahl 2020-09-28

A thinking student is an engaged student. Teachers often find it difficult to implement lessons that help students go beyond rote memorization and repetitive calculations. In fact, institutional norms and habits that permeate all classrooms can actually be enabling "non-thinking" student behavior. Sparked by observing teachers struggle to implement rich mathematics tasks to engage students in deep thinking, Peter Liljedahl has translated his 15 years of research into this practical guide on how to move toward a thinking classroom. *Building Thinking Classrooms in Mathematics, Grades K-12* helps teachers implement 14 optimal practices for thinking that create an ideal setting for deep mathematics learning to occur. This guide provides the what, why, and how of each practice and answers teachers' most frequently asked questions. Includes firsthand accounts of how these practices foster thinking through teacher and student interviews and student work samples. Offers a plethora of macro moves, micro moves, and rich tasks to get started. Organizes the 14 practices into four toolkits that can be implemented in order and built on throughout the year. When combined, these unique research-based practices create the optimal conditions for learner-centered, student-owned deep mathematical thinking and learning, and have the power to transform mathematics classrooms like never before.

Building Toothpick Bridges - Jeanne Pollard 1985

Teaches students how to build toothpick bridges, manage a budget, and order the materials necessary to complete their projects.

Bartholomew and the Oobleck - Dr. Seuss 2013-11-05

Join Bartholomew Cubbins in Dr. Seuss's Caldecott Honor-winning picture book about a king's magical mishap! Bored with rain, sunshine, fog, and snow, King Derwin of Didd summons his royal magicians to create something new and exciting to fall from the sky. What he gets is a storm of sticky green goo called Oobleck—which soon wreaks havoc all over his kingdom! But with the assistance of the wise page boy Bartholomew, the king (along with young readers) learns that the simplest

words can sometimes solve the stickiest problems.

ENC Focus - 2000

Math Games Lab for Kids - Rebecca Rapoport 2017

Math is the foundation of all sciences and key to understanding the world around us. *Math Games Lab for Kids* uses over fifty hands-on activities to make learning a variety of math concepts fun and easy for kids. Make learning math fun by sharing these hands-on labs with your child. *Math Games Lab for Kids* presents more than 50 activities that incorporate coloring, drawing, games, and making shapes to make math more than just numbers. With *Math Games Lab for Kids*, kids can: Explore geometry and topology by making prisms, antiprisms, Platonic solids, and Möbius strips. Build logic skills by playing and strategizing through tangrams, toothpick puzzles, and the game of Nim. Draw and chart graphs to learn the language of connections. Discover how to color maps like a mathematician by using the fewest colors possible. Create mind-bending fractals with straight lines and repeat shapes. And don't worry about running to the store for expensive supplies. Everything needed to complete the activities can be found in the book or around the house. Math is more important than ever. Give your child a great experience and solid foundation with *Math Games Lab for Kids*.

Building Big - David Macaulay 2000

Focuses on the connections between the planning and design problems and the solutions that are finally reached when building bridges, tunnels, skyscrapers, domes, and dams.

More Plexers - Dave Hammond 1983-01

Gives word puzzles to encourage persons to think logically and decisively.

Ten Black Dots Board Book - Donald Crews 2010-06-22

How many black dots? One? Two? Three? What can you make? Read this book and see!

The Shape of the World - K.L. Going 2017-09-05

A little boy who loves to find shapes in nature grows up to be one of America's greatest architects in this inspiring biography of Frank Lloyd Wright. When Frank Lloyd Wright was a baby, his mother dreamed that he would become a great architect. She gave him blocks to play

with and he learned that shapes are made up of many other shapes. As he grew up, he loved finding shapes in nature. Wright went on to study architecture and create buildings that were one with the natural world around them. He became known as one of the greatest American architects of all time.

Mathematics & Science in the Real World - 2000

How to Read Bridges - Edward Denison
2018-03-08

How to Read Bridges is a practical introduction to looking at the structure and purpose of bridges. It is a guide to reading the structural clues embedded in every bridge that allows their variety and ingenuity to be better appreciated. Small enough to carry in your pocket and serious enough to provide real answers, this comprehensive guide: - analyses and explores all types of bridges from around the world from the first millennium to the present day. - explores fundamental concepts of bridge design, key materials and engineering techniques. - provides an accessible visual guide with intelligent text, using detailed illustrations and cross-sections of technical features.

The Gingerbread Boy - Richard Egielski
2000-08-22

"Run run run as fast as you can. You can't catch me! I'm the gingerbread man." In this modern retelling of a nursery classic, Caldecott-winning illustrator Richard Egielski adds an urban twist to a well-loved tale. This time, the gingerbread boy is on the loose in New York City, and he taunts everyone from construction workers to subway musicians, until his fateful chase through Central Park!

MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS. (PRODUCT ID 23864410). - MICHELLE. MANES 2018

The Exploratorium Guide to Scale and Structure
- Barry Kluger-Bell 1995

Children love to build, and are fascinated by things that are big and small. This book capitalizes on these natural fascinations to involve students in scientific explorations. *Made by Dad* - Scott Bedford 2013-05-07
The Snail Soup Can Decoy to keep the candy stash safe. The Customizable "Keep Out" Sign to

deter meddlesome siblings and parents. A Bunk Bed Communicator made from cardboard tubes ("Psst! Can you keep the snoring down?"). Clever, whimsical, and kind of genius, here are 67 unique projects that will turn any dad with DIY leanings into a mad scientist hero that his kid(s) will adore. No screens, no hi-tech gadgetry. Made by Dad combines the rough-edged, handmade ethos of a Boy Scout manual or *The Dangerous Book for Boys* with a sly sense of humor that kids love. Scott Bedford, a creative director by day and Webby Award-winning blogger by nights and weekends, wields an X-ACTO knife, magic marker, and prodigious imagination to create endlessly delightful projects for his two sons. He knows that kids like contraptions and gadgets, things that are surprising—a chair that appears to be balanced on eggshells. Things that are complex—a multilevel city, with buildings, tunnels, and roads, built from old boxes around the legs of a table. And especially things with humor—the Snappy Toast Rack, made to resemble a crocodile's gaping mouth. The projects are shown in full-color photographs, and the instructions are illustrated in detailed line drawings that exude personality. Some are quick and simple enough to be done in a coffee shop; others are more of an afternoon project—yielding hours and hours of rich, imaginative playtime.

Mathematics Teaching in the Middle School - 2009-02

Al Capone Does My Shirts - Gennifer Choldenko 2006-04-20

The Newbery Honor Book and New York Times Bestseller that is historical fiction with a hint of mystery about living at Alcatraz not as a prisoner, but as a kid meeting some of the most famous criminals in our history. *Al Capone Does My Shirts* has become an instant classic for all kids to read! Today I moved to Alcatraz, a twelve-acre rock covered with cement, topped with bird turd and surrounded by water. I'm not the only kid who lives here. There are twenty-three other kids who live on the island because their dads work as guards or cooks or doctors or electricians for the prison, like my dad does. And then there are a ton of murderers, rapists, hit men, con men, stickup men, embezzlers,

connivers, burglars, kidnappers and maybe even an innocent man or two, though I doubt it. The convicts we have are the kind other prisons don't want. I never knew prisons could be picky, but I guess they can. You get to Alcatraz by being the worst of the worst. Unless you're me. I came here because my mother said I had to. A Newbery Honor Book A New York Times Bestseller A People magazine "Best kid's Book" An ALA Book for Young Adults An ALA Notable Book A School Library Journal Best Book of the Year A Kirkus Reviews Editor's Choice A San Francisco Chronicle Best Book of the Year A Publishers Weekly Best Book of the Year A Parents' Choice Silver Honor Book A New York Public Library "100 Titles for Reading and Sharing" Selection A New York Public Library Best Book for the Teen Age *"Choldenko's pacing is exquisite. . . . [A] great read."—Kirkus Reviews, starred review *"Exceptionally atmospheric, fast-paced and memorable!"—Publishers Weekly, starred review *"The story, told with humor and skill, will fascinate readers."—School Library Journal, starred review "Al is the perfect novel for a young guy or moll who digs books by Gordon Korman, or Louis Sachar."—Time Out New York for Kids "Funny situations and plot twists abound!"—People magazine "Heartstopping in some places, heartrending in others, and most of all, it is heartwarming."—San Francisco Chronicle

Multiple Intelligences in the Elementary Classroom - Susan Baum 2005-08-26

This book will help teachers design effective curriculum for their students with diverse learning abilities. The authors have created a guided process to apply MI theory to the elementary school classroom. The five, pathways, or approaches examined: Exploration, Bridging, Understanding, Authentic Problems, and Talent Development, represent the ways in which MI can be implemented and nurtured across the elementary grades. The Pathways Model promotes and supports the development of a well-grounded understanding of MI theory to inform goal-setting and planning for using multiple intelligences theory in the classroom. Each pathway addresses a different set of goals and provides appropriate guidelines and examples.

Pop's Bridge - Eve Bunting 2006-05-01

The Golden Gate Bridge. The impossible bridge, some call it. They say it can't be built. But Robert's father is building it. He's a skywalker--a brave, high-climbing ironworker. Robert is convinced his pop has the most important job on the crew . . . until a frightening event makes him see that it takes an entire team to accomplish the impossible. When it was completed in 1937, San Francisco's Golden Gate Bridge was hailed as an international marvel. Eve Bunting's riveting story salutes the ingenuity and courage of every person who helped raise this majestic American icon. Includes an author's note about the construction of the Golden Gate Bridge.

Math Stories For Problem Solving Success - James L. Overholt 2008-03-07

This second edition of the popular math teaching resource book Math Stories for Problem Solving Success offers updated true-to-life situations designed to motivate teenagers to use math skills for solving everyday problems. The book features intriguing short stories followed by sets of problems related to the stories that are correlated to the standards of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics. Each of the easy-to-read stories is followed by three increasingly difficult groups of problem sets. This makes it simple for teachers to select the appropriate problem set for students of different abilities and at different grade levels. To further enhance student involvement, the stories feature recurring characters and can be used either sequentially or out of order. The problems in the book cover many basic math topics, including decimals, fractions, and percents; measurement; geometry; data, statistics, and probability; algebra; and problem solving. In addition to having all the answers, an Answer Key at the end of the book offers explanations and background information about the problems that can be helpful to both teachers and students. Math Stories for Problem Solving Success will help you show students that math is something they are already using every day.

Designing and Building File-folder Bridges - Stephen J. Ressler 2001

This book, along with the West Point Bridge Designer software, help teach students that the essence of engineering is design and that engineering design entails the application of

math, science, and technology to create something that meets a human need

Teaching Elementary Science - William K. Esler 1993