

Rick DuFour Materials

Elementary Principals as Leaders of Learning

8850635 36-50 minutes 12+
VHS 2003 Video Journal



Observe how successful elementary principals serve as "leaders of learners" and keep up with the administration demands. Determine the importance of curriculum, instruction and standards. Establish a climate of excellence in teaching to create powerful student learning.

Failure is Not an Option - How High Achieving Schools Succeed with all Students

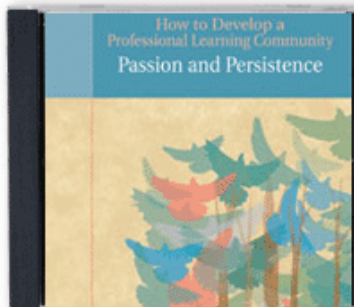
8850648 20 minutes 12+
VHS 2003 HOPE Found.

Provides a practical step-by-step process for involving all staff in creating a high-performing, results-oriented school.



How to Develop a Professional Learning Community - Passion and Persistence

8850006 7 minutes 12+
VHS 2002 National Ed Service



This motivational video is both inspirational and instructional; it combines the key components of Professional Learning Communities with powerful music, quotes, and lighthearted humor to produce an excellent introduction to or

reinforcement of the framework. The author has used this video with great success in his presentations to administrators, teachers, and staff members.

Leadership in the Age of Standards & High Stakes

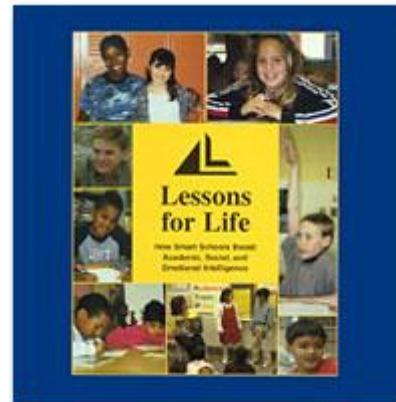
8850028 34-41 minutes 12+
VHS 2001 Video Journal

Learn of a proven model to ensure that students meet standards and succeed in high stakes testing. Has two programs: creating a professional learning community and bringing students to a higher level of success.

Lessons for Life - How Smart Schools Boast Academic, Social & Emotional Intelligence

8850649 21-29 minutes 12+
VHS 2003 HOPE Foundation

Demonstrates how successful schools are re-shaping school climate through three explicit strategies: enhancing relationships, tapping student emotions to enhance learning and helping students develop clear goal-setting strategies.



Professional Learning Communities at Work - Best Practices for Enhancing Student Achievement

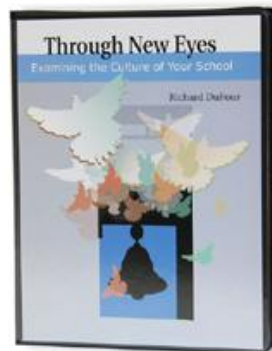
8850551 20-26 minutes 12+
VHS 1999 National Ed Association

Offers an excellent approach to heightening student achievement and increasing staff motivation through teamwork among educators.

Through New Eyes - Examining the Culture of Your School

8850642 32 minutes 12+
VHS 2003 National Ed Service

Tells a story of school culture through the experiences of a teenage boy. It places the student in two different



schools and calls upon viewers to relate to his feelings, assess the practices of the schools and most importantly, to examine the reality of their own school from a critical perspective.