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Destiny's Style Tina Knowles 2002-10-08 Destiny's Child, one of the world's best-selling female groups, has an image and a style that's recognised worldwide. Here, Tina Knowles, creator of the world-famous Destiny's Child style and mother of Beyonce Knowles, shares the group's shopping, sewing, and lifestyle secrets, inspiring fans young and old to add a little Destiny Style to their life. Destiny's Child has graced the covers of magazines everywhere. The group's individuality both musically and style-wise has captured the media's attention, and influenced women worldwide. Beyonce Knowles and her friends began their song and dance routines at Headliners, Tina Knowles'ery successful salon in Houston. Since that time, Beyonce and her friends have gone on to become one of today's hottest groups – Destiny's Child – and Tina their costume designer, stylist and housemother. In this book, Tina not only shows how to dress as part of Destiny's Child, but shares shopping, cooking, decorating and entertaining tips. She demonstrates how to incorporate Destiny's Child style and traditions into home decorating and entertaining. She also shares the group's favourite recipes, from her old-fashioned gumbo recipe (which is so good that rap star JZ flies to Houston to have a bowl) to Beyonce's favourite peach cobbler. Fostering Learner Independence Roxann Rose-Duckworth 2008-11-10 This book helps teachers reflect on practices that help students develop self-sufficiency, good work habits, self-motivation, resiliency, and critical thinking skills so they can learn independently.

Matrix Algebra and Its Applications to Statistics and Econometrics Calyampudi Radhakrishna Rao 1998 "I recommend this book for its extensive coverage of topics not easily found elsewhere and for its focus on applications".Zentralblatt MATH"The book is an excellent source on linear algebra, matrix theory and applications in statistics and econometrics, and is unique in many ways. I recommend it to anyone interested in these disciplines, and especially in how they benefit from one another".Statistical Papers, 2000

Disney Princess Coloring Book for a Girl Elm Ely 2020-04-16 This groundbreaking coloring book is all about building a girl's confidence, imagination, and spirit! The 22+ coloring pages encourage girls to think beyond social conventions and inspire conversations with adults about what it really means to be confident, brave, and beautiful.Features & Highlights:Whimsical black-and-white line drawings explore concepts like bravery, beauty, strength, creativity, independence and morePositive, educational and fun a great gift for any girlBased on studies showing that coloring books can combat stereotypes and positively impact girls' interest in things like scienceDesigned to build confidence in girls age 3-8, while giving them an opportunity to express themselves creativelyA Great Gift for Any GirlIf you're looking for an activity for your toddler, preschooler, kindergartner or school-aged child, this cute and positive book helps kids build confidence while inspiring and entertaining them. It s a fun and mess-free way to engage in arts and crafts for girls age 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and up.Hundreds of IllustrationsThis book features hundreds of whimsical doodles, including: butterflies, nature scenes, an astronaut, unicorns, science scenes, trees, flowers, a castle, birds, ocean waves, animals, hearts, cats, rainbows, camping scenes, dragons, stars, a gardening scene, a microscope, a treehouse, a telescope, plants, a skyscraper, rockets, space scenes, a train, a superhero cape, musical instruments, art supplies, dolphins, bunnies, rock climbing, elephants, illustrated math equations, dancing, singing, swimming, biking, dogs, an exploration of inner beauty and much, much more!Perfect for ArtistsThis book is a great choice for budding artists. The paper is heavier than most coloring books and works well with art supplies like crayons, colored pencils, gel pens and most markers. It also pairs nicely with craft supplies like glitter glue, pom poms and stickers for an arts

and crafts-themed gift. This inspiring book stands out from other girl toys and kids crafts on the market because of its focus on lifting girls up.

Cooperative Learning in Context Evelyn Jacob 1999-07-01 Explains why powerful educational innovations like "cooperative learning" do not always reach their full potential in everyday classrooms.

Diagnostics in Plant Breeding Thomas Lübberstedt 2013-02-28 "Diagnostics in Plant Breeding" is systematically organizing cutting-edge research reviews on the development and application of molecular tools for the prediction of plant performance. Given its significance for mankind and the available research resources, medical sciences are leading the area of molecular diagnostics, where DNA-based risk assessments for various diseases and biomarkers to determine their onset become increasingly available. So far, most research in plant genomics has been directed towards understanding the molecular basis of biological processes or phenotypic traits. From a plant breeding perspective, however, the main interest is in predicting optimal genotypes based on molecular information for more time- and cost-efficient breeding schemes. It is anticipated that progress in plant genomics and in particular sequence technology made recently will shift the focus from "explanatory" to "predictive" in crop science. This book assembles chapters on all areas relevant to development and application of predictive molecular tools in plant breeding by leading authorities in the respective areas.

Reconstructing School Mathematics Stephen I. Brown 2001 This book offers a critique of two major themes of the modern reform movement in mathematics education: problem solving and the applications of mathematics to the «real world». In examining the educational fallacy inherent in the impulse to move unflinchingly from «problem» to «problem solving», Stephen I. Brown demonstrates the potential of mathematical reflection to reveal aspects of self and society that have been suppressed in curriculum. He then argues that in seeking connections between mathematics and the «real world», we have tended to reduce their relationship to one of modeling. Furthermore, in constructing what is «real» in an overly concrete way, we have lost sight of the wonder of what is «real» in both mathematics and the world. Brown explores alternative text formats, including that of the novel and the Talmud, as vehicles to rejuvenate the educational potential of problems and of real world connections.

Scalar Wave Theory John Desanto 1992-08-06 This book comprises some of the lecture notes I developed for various one-or two-semester courses I taught at the Colorado School of Mines. The main objective of all the courses was to introduce students to the mathematical aspects of wave theory with a focus on the solution of some specific fundamental problems. These fundamental solutions would then serve as a basis for more complex wave propagation and scattering problems. Although the courses were taught in the mathematics department, the audience was mainly not mathematicians. It consisted of graduate science and engineering majors with a varied background in both mathematics and wave theory in general. I believed it was necessary to start from fundamental principles of both advanced applied mathematics as well as wave theory and to develop them both in some detail. The notes reflect this type of development, and I have kept this detail in the text. I believe it essential in technical careers to see this detailed development at least once. This volume consists of five chapters. The first two on Scalar Wave Theory (Chapter 1) and Green's Functions (Chapter 2) are mainly mathematical although in Chapter 1 the wave equation is derived from fundamental physical principles. More complicated problems involving spatially and even temporally varying media are briefly introduced.

Accountability for Learning Douglas B. Reeves 2004-01 A guide to building a student-centered accountability program through teaching, leadership, the curriculum, and the involvement of parents and the community.

Transforming School Cultures Martin L Maehr 1996-07-28 Revised from the 1993 *Essentials of Pulp and Papermaking* to account for the fact that it was being used as an industry reference as well as a teaching tool. Most of the chapters have been little changed, but new material is added on paper chemistry and optical properties, wood and fiber anatomy, paper use, and processing equipment. A guide for troubleshooting pumps is also included. The first third serves as a textbook for beginning students, and the rest provides detailed information on specific topics relating to the production and use of paper. Annotation copyright by Book News, Inc., Portland, OR

The Genomes of Rosaceous Berries and Their Wild Relatives Timo Hytönen 2018-06-08 This book collates the most up to date information on *Fragaria*, and *Rubus* genomes. It focuses on the latest advances in the model system *Fragaria vesca*, along with the allied advances in economically important crops. Covering both basic and applied aspects of crop genomics, it illustrates strategies and resources for the study and utilization of genome sequences and aligned functional genomics resources. Rosaceous berries are collectively an increasingly important set of high-value global crops, with a trade

value of over £2 billion dollars per annum. The rosaceous berries strawberry, raspberry and blackberry share some common features at the genome scale, namely a range of ploidy levels in each genus and high levels of heterozygosity (and associated inbreeding depression) due to self-incompatibility systems, dioecy, or multispecies hybridization events. Taken together, although the genomes are relatively compact, these biological features lead to significant challenges in the assembly and analysis of berry genomes, which until very recently have hampered the progress of genome-level studies. The genome of the woodland strawberry, *Fragaria vesca*, a self-compatible species with a homozygous genome was first sequenced in 2011 and has served as a foundation for most genomics work in *Fragaria* and to some extent *Rubus*. Since that time, building upon this resource, there have been significant advances in the development of genome sequences for related crop species. This, coupled with the revolution in affordable sequencing technology, has led to a suite of genomics studies on *Fragaria* and more recently *Rubus*, which undoubtedly aid crop breeding and production in future years.

Meaningful Urban Education Reform Kathryn M. Borman 2005-02-24 Summarizes findings of a long-term study of math and science education reforms in Chicago, El Paso, Memphis, and Miami.

Disney's World of English Raymond Smith 2020-03-19 This book is special because: Lifting flaps strengthens motor skills Look and Find play encourages focus and exploration Connecting words with pictures build vocabulary Matching and comparing are important early math skills Learn about STEM concepts, shapes, and counting Includes popular Disney characters: Minnie Mouse, Mickey Mouse, Simba from The Lion King, Dumbo, Lightning McQueen from Cars, Rapunzel from Tangled, Nemo, Dory, Marlin, and Crush from Finding Nemo and Finding Dory, and Bambi

The Results Fieldbook Michael J. Schmoker 2001-01-01 Looks at educational practices that can make an immediate and profound difference in student learning.

Disney Princess Classic Coloring Book akshay gawde 2020-03-29 This groundbreaking coloring book is all about building a girl's confidence, imagination, and spirit! The 22+ coloring pages encourage girls to think beyond social conventions and inspire conversations with adults about what it really means to be confident, brave, and beautiful. Features & Highlights: Whimsical black-and-white line drawings explore concepts like bravery, beauty, strength, creativity, independence and more Positive, educational and fun a great gift for any girl Based on studies showing that coloring books can combat stereotypes and positively impact girls' interest in things like science Designed to build confidence in girls age 3-8, while giving them an opportunity to express themselves creatively A Great Gift for Any Girl! If you're looking for an activity for your toddler, preschooler, kindergartner or school-aged child, this cute and positive book helps kids build confidence while inspiring and entertaining them. It's a fun and mess-free way to engage in arts and crafts for girls age 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and up. Hundreds of Illustrations This book features hundreds of whimsical doodles, including: butterflies, nature scenes, an astronaut, unicorns, science scenes, trees, flowers, a castle, birds, ocean waves, animals, hearts, cats, rainbows, camping scenes, dragons, stars, a gardening scene, a microscope, a treehouse, a telescope, plants, a skyscraper, rockets, space scenes, a train, a superhero cape, musical instruments, art supplies, dolphins, bunnies, rock climbing, elephants, illustrated math equations, dancing, singing, swimming, biking, dogs, an exploration of inner beauty and much, much more! Perfect for Artists This book is a great choice for budding artists. The paper is heavier than most coloring books and works well with art supplies like crayons, colored pencils, gel pens and most markers. It also pairs nicely with craft supplies like glitter glue, pom poms and stickers for an arts and crafts-themed gift. This inspiring book stands out from other girl toys and kids crafts on the market because of its focus on lifting girls up.

A Time to Run Barbara Boxer 2012-09-21 Written with a true insider's perspective, *A Time to Run* is the remarkable literary debut of United States Senator Barbara Boxer, one of the most admired and respected figures on the political scene. Senator Boxer, writing with Mary-Rose Hayes, tells an exciting tale of friendship and betrayal, idealism and pragmatism, in-fighting and public spin. The novel follows Ellen Fines from her days as a college student through romantic entanglements and a difficult marriage to a rising political star. When her husband is killed in a car accident during his campaign for the Senate, Ellen assumes his candidacy and achieves an upset victory over a political machine. On the eve of a crucial vote, past and public worlds collide when Ellen's former lover, now a journalist with strong right-wing connections, gives her sensitive documents that could either make or break her career. From hideaways deep under the U.S. Capitol to wealthy southern California ranches to the political unrest on the streets of Berkeley, *A Time to Run* is a great read, and a fascinating, up-close story of power and trust.

Learning Mathematics Archie Lapointe 1992 In 1990-91, 20 countries (Brazil, Canada, China, England,

France, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jordan, Korea, Mozambique, Portugal, Scotland, Slovenia, Soviet Union, Spain, Switzerland, Taiwan, and the United States) surveyed the mathematics and science performance of 13-year-old students (and 14 countries also assessed 9-year-olds in the same subjects) as part of the second International Assessment of Educational Progress (IAEP) Project. While recognizing the fundamental differences from country to country, the participants assembled tests that focus on the common elements of their curriculums, and in order to form the contexts for interpreting the student achievement data, they added sets of questions about students' home background and classroom experiences and the characteristics of the schools they attended. Results are reported in six chapters that discuss the following: (1) the mathematics performance of 13-year-olds; (2) results organized around topics featured in the curriculum; (3) results reporting students' and administrators' perceptions of teaching practices and their relationship to student performance; (4) information about the backgrounds of students and how they spend their time outside of school; (5) information about physical, demographic, and socioeconomic characteristics and the educational systems of the participating countries; and (6) the mathematics performance of 9-year-olds. Other sections present highlights of the findings discussed in detail in the main chapters, information about the participating countries, a procedural appendix discussing the research methods used by the countries, and a data appendix providing tables of results reported in the main chapters. (MDH)

Genetics, Evolution and Radiation Victoria L. Korogodina 2017-03-28 This book is dedicated to the great scientist and outstanding individual Nikolay Wladimirovich Timofeeff-Ressovsky. The book brings together a number of brief stories/essays about Timofeeff-Ressovsky including "Stories told by himself", and scientific chapters addressing his major research areas: genetics, radiobiology, radiation ecology and epidemiology, and evolution. Timofeeff-Ressovsky contributed to several fields of biology and established new directions of scientific research. He often repeated the phrase, which would later become famous: "Science should not be approached with the ferocity of wild animals". In keeping with that philosophy, the issues discussed here are still open. Each scientific part starts with a current review; the chapters present leading scientific schools and views. The main theme discussed in the genetics part is mutation variability in the context of linear (replication, transcription, translation) and conformational template processes, and its dependence on phylogenetic group. In turn, the radiobiology chapters focus on the reorganization of DNA, cell, and population variability under low-dose irradiation, sparking indirect processes and adaptive response. The radiation ecology and epidemiology parts present data on the consequences of nuclear plants and related accidents for ecological systems and human beings. Here some approaches to estimating radiation risks are also offered. Evolution laws are demonstrated in the genomic universe, plant-microbe symbiosis, stabilizing and destabilizing (directional) selection. The last essay demonstrates the principles of organization operating in local animal populations, which are approached as social organisms of complex systemic nature. The chapter 'Radiation-Induced Aging and Genetic Instability of Mesenchymal Stem Cells: An Issue for Late Health Effects?' is available open access under a CC BY 4.0 license.

Invisible Child Andrea Elliott 2021-10-05 PULITZER PRIZE WINNER • A "vivid and devastating" (The New York Times) portrait of an indomitable girl—from acclaimed journalist Andrea Elliott "From its first indelible pages to its rich and startling conclusion, *Invisible Child* had me, by turns, stricken, inspired, outraged, illuminated, in tears, and hungering for reimmersion in its Dickensian depths."—Ayad Akhtar, author of *Homeland* **ONE OF THE TEN BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR: The New York Times • ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR: The Atlantic, The New York Times Book Review, Time, NPR, Library Journal** In *Invisible Child*, Pulitzer Prize winner Andrea Elliott follows eight dramatic years in the life of Dasani, a girl whose imagination is as soaring as the skyscrapers near her Brooklyn shelter. In this sweeping narrative, Elliott weaves the story of Dasani's childhood with the history of her ancestors, tracing their passage from slavery to the Great Migration north. As Dasani comes of age, New York City's homeless crisis has exploded, deepening the chasm between rich and poor. She must guide her siblings through a world riddled by hunger, violence, racism, drug addiction, and the threat of foster care. Out on the street, Dasani becomes a fierce fighter "to protect those who I love." When she finally escapes city life to enroll in a boarding school, she faces an impossible question: What if leaving poverty means abandoning your family, and yourself? A work of luminous and riveting prose, Elliott's *Invisible Child* reads like a page-turning novel. It is an astonishing story about the power of resilience, the importance of family and the cost of inequality—told through the crucible of one remarkable girl. Winner of the J. Anthony Lukas Book Prize • Finalist for the Bernstein Award and the PEN/John Kenneth Galbraith Award *Stuck in the Shallow End* Jane Margolis 2008-08-15 Discusses the reasons behind the disproportionately

low number of African American and Latino students seeking degrees in computer science and looks at the daily experiences of students and teachers in three Los Angeles public high schools to explore the extent of America's digital divide.

The Definitive Guide to GCC Kurt Wall 2008-01-01 Besides covering the most recently released versions of GCC, this book provides a complete command reference, explains how to use the info online help system, and covers material not covered in other texts, including profiling, test coverage, and how to build and install GCC on a variety of operating system and hardware platforms. It also covers how to integrate with other GNU development tools, including automake, autoconf, and libtool.

Bringing Technology Education Into K-8 Classrooms Edward Britton 2005-03-02 Featuring an easy-to-follow organization and sample pages from major products, this resource will help all students become technologically literate!"--Jacket.

Computational Mathematics Robert E. White 2003-09-17 Computational Mathematics: Models, Methods, and Analysis with MATLAB and MPI explores and illustrates this process. Each section of the first six chapters is motivated by a specific application. The author applies a model, selects a numerical method, implements computer simulations, and assesses the ensuing results. These chapters include an abundance of MATLAB code. By studying the code instead of using it as a "black box," you take the first step toward more sophisticated numerical modeling. The last four chapters focus on multiprocessing algorithms implemented using message passing interface (MPI). These chapters include Fortran 9x codes that illustrate the basic MPI subroutines and revisit the applications of the previous chapters from a parallel implementation perspective. All of the codes are available for download from [www4.ncsu.edu/~white](http://www4.ncsu.edu/~white). This book is not just about math, not just about computing, and not just about applications, but about all three--in other words, computational science. Whether used as an undergraduate textbook, for self-study, or for reference, it builds the foundation you need to make numerical modeling and simulation integral parts of your investigational toolbox.

California Dreaming Suzanne M. Wilson 2003 A history of efforts to reform mathematics education in California throughout the last two decades of the 20th century. That history is a contentious one, full of such fervour and heat that participants and observers often refer to the math wars. Suzanne Wilson considers the many perspectives of those involved in maths reform, weaving a tapestry of facts, philosophies, conversations, events and personalities into the narrative. While her focus is on California, the implications of her book extend to struggles over education policy and practice throughout the United States.

The Homework Myth Alfie Kohn 2006-08-21 Argues that homework does not provide academic benefits for younger students and that the notion of homework is the result of a set of misconceptions about learning, a mistrust of children, and a misguided focus on competitiveness.

Defying Dystopia Ed Ayres 2016-06-30 To most, the collapse of modern civilization is the stuff of fiction. Yet, science confirms that misuse of technology and environmental abuse places our world in grave danger of ruin. The World Scientists' Warning to Humanity places our civilization on a collision course. Defying Dystopia analyzes how we have come to this, and what options remain for far-seeing people to take control of their own destiny and survive the future. Ed Ayres, who has worked with some iconic environmental scientists of the past half-century, argues that technology was originally used to augment the natural strengths of humans, but has been increasingly used in ways that weaken us—shifting from useful work to the industries of distraction, entertainment, convenience, pain-relief, and sedation. Ayres advises on how at least some of us can avoid that collision. The most critical task, for those of us who want humanity to survive and thrive, is to disengage from our tech thralldom, and shift to a conscious management of our evolution in which we use technology to enhance our skills and strengths rather than erode or supplant them. Ayres provides insightful, actionable suggestions we can use to increase our odds of survival. He asks far-seeing individuals to take on a mission that the dominant governments and institutions demonstrably cannot: the epic task of shepherding a low-profile, resilient transition to a new kind of human future.

Mathematics and Beauty Nathalie Sinclair 2006-09-08 In this innovative book, Nathalie Sinclair makes a compelling case for the inclusion of the aesthetic in the teaching and learning of mathematics. Using a provocative set of philosophical, psychological, mathematical, technological, and educational insights, she illuminates how the materials and approaches we use in the mathematics classroom can be enriched for the benefit of all learners. While ranging in scope from the young learner to the professional mathematician, there is a particular focus on middle school, where negative feelings toward mathematics frequently begin. Offering specific recommendations to help teachers evoke and nurture their students'

aesthetic abilities, this book: Features powerful episodes from the classroom that show students in the act of developing a sense of mathematical aesthetics. Analyzes how aesthetic sensibilities to qualities such as connectedness, fruitfulness, apparent simplicity, visual appeal, and surprise are fundamental to mathematical inquiry. Includes examples of mathematical inquiry in computer-based learning environments, revealing some of the roles they play in supporting students' aesthetic inclinations.

Alicia Keys, Ashanti, Beyoncé, Destiny's Child, Jennifer Lopez & Mya Stacy-Deanne 2005 The life and times of Alicia Keys, Ashanti, Beyoncé, Destiny's Child, Jennifer Lopez and Mya

Elements of Applied Bifurcation Theory Yuri Kuznetsov 2004-06-29 Providing readers with a solid basis in dynamical systems theory, as well as explicit procedures for application of general mathematical results to particular problems, the focus here is on efficient numerical implementations of the developed techniques. The book is designed for advanced undergraduates or graduates in applied mathematics, as well as for Ph.D. students and researchers in physics, biology, engineering, and economics who use dynamical systems as model tools in their studies. A moderate mathematical background is assumed, and, whenever possible, only elementary mathematical tools are used. This new edition preserves the structure of the first while updating the context to incorporate recent theoretical developments, in particular new and improved numerical methods for bifurcation analysis.

Virus Dynamics Martin Nowak 2000-11-23 "In this accessible and well-written text, Martin Nowak and Robert May describe the emerging field of theoretical immunology. Using mathematical and computational models, the authors explore how populations of viruses and immune cells interact in various circumstances, and how infectious diseases spread with-in patients."--Page 4 de la couverture.

Circadian Rhythms in Bacteria and Microbiomes Carl Hirschie Johnson 2021-06-21 This book addresses multiple aspects of biological clocks in prokaryotes. The first part of the book deals with the circadian clock system in cyanobacteria, i.e. the pioneer of bacterial clocks. Starting with the history and background of cyanobacteria and circadian rhythms in microorganisms, the topics range from the molecular basis, structure and evolution of the circadian clock to modelling approaches, Kai systems in cyanobacteria and biotechnological applications. In the second part, emergent timekeeping properties of bacteria in microbiomes and bacteria other than cyanobacteria are discussed. Since the discovery of circadian rhythms in cyanobacteria in the late 1980s, the field has exploded with new information. The cyanobacterial model system for studying circadian rhythms (*Synechococcus elongatus*), has allowed a detailed genetic dissection of the bacterial clock due to state-of-the-art methods in molecular, structural, and evolutionary biology. Cutting-edge research spanning from cyanobacteria and circadian phenomena in other kinds of bacteria, to microbiomes has now given the field another major boost. This book is aimed at junior and senior researchers alike. Students or researchers new to the field of biological clocks in prokaryotes will get a comprehensive overview, while more experienced researchers will get an update on the latest developments.

Handbook of Statistics 2013-05-16 Statistical learning and analysis techniques have become extremely important today, given the tremendous growth in the size of heterogeneous data collections and the ability to process it even from physically distant locations. Recent advances made in the field of machine learning provide a strong framework for robust learning from the diverse corpora and continue to impact a variety of research problems across multiple scientific disciplines. The aim of this handbook is to familiarize beginners as well as experts with some of the recent techniques in this field. The Handbook is divided in two sections: Theory and Applications, covering machine learning, data analytics, biometrics, document recognition and security. very relevant to current research challenges faced in various fields

self-contained reference to machine learning emphasis on applications-oriented techniques

Technology and the Politics of Instruction Jan Nesper 2006 In this study of computer-mediated instruction (CMI) in a U.S. research university that is the site of nationally known innovations in this area, Jan Nesper traces the varying material and organizational entanglements of a constantly reconfiguring network of people, things, categories, and ideas that are sometimes loosely, sometimes tightly entangled in forms of CMI. He unfolds how the different forms and meanings of CMI policy and practice were constructed over time, across departments, and in relation to students' academic trajectories. Tying together a range of issues usually separated in discussions of instructional technology and examining often slighted topics, such as the articulations of local and national practices, this book questions the common vocabulary for making sense of CMI and contributes to educational change theory by showing how CMI has evolved both from the top-down and the bottom-up. Technology and the Politics of Instruction is distinctive in its multi-level approach and in the breadth of its conceptual frame. Departing from the mainstream research on instructional technology to focus on mundane and widespread forms of

CMI—PowerPoint slides, CD-ROMs, self-paced labs, and the like—Nespor views these from multiple standpoints, not just what they mean for professors, but also for administrators and students. The effect is to displace the typical emphasis in CMI research from cutting-edge, high resource artifacts and systems (the importance of which is not questioned) to the politics and organizational processes that shape the uses of such things. This book is intended primarily for scholars and students in the fields of educational and more broadly organizational change, the politics and sociology of education, curriculum theory, higher education, and educational administration, and will also interest instructional technologists and technology developers.

Multiple Measures Joan Ardivino 2000-03-31 This easy-to-use guide to evaluating compensatory education programs offers a synthesis and an expansion of handouts, reports, graphs and charts, and communiques related to the authors' work with 50 school districts.

Essays in the History of Lie Groups and Algebraic Groups Armand Borel 2001 This book looks at the development of lie groups and algebraic groups, highlighting the evolution from the almost purely local theory at the start to the global theory that we know today. Starting from Lie's theory of local analytic transformation groups and early work on Lie algebras, he follows the process of globalization in its two main frameworks: differential geometry and topology on one hand, algebraic geometry on the other. Chapters II through IV are devoted to the former, Chapters V through VIII, to the latter.

The Essentials of Science, Grades 7-12 Rick Allen 2007 Where is U.S. secondary-level science education heading today? That's the question that The Essentials of Science, Grades 7-12 sets out to answer. Over the last century, U.S. science classes have consistently relied on lectures, textbooks, rote memorization, and lab demonstrations. But with the onset of NCLB-mandated science testing and increased concern over the United States' diminishing global stature in science and technology, public pressure is mounting to educate students for a deeper conceptual understanding of science. Through lively examples of classroom practice, interviews with award-winning science teachers and science education experts, and a wide-ranging look at research, readers will learn \* How to make use of research within the cognitive sciences to foster critical thinking and deeper understanding. \* How to use backward design to bring greater coherence to the curriculum. \* Innovative, engaging ideas for implementing scientific inquiry in the classroom. \* Holistic strategies to address the complex problems of the achievement gap, equity, and resources in the science classroom. \* Strategies for dealing with both day-to-day and NCLB assessments. \* How professional learning communities and mentoring can help teachers reexamine and improve their practice. Today's secondary science teachers are faced with an often-overwhelming array of challenges. The Essentials of Science, Grades 7-12 can help educators negotiate these challenges while making their careers more productive and rewarding.

Mathematics for Young Children Jean M. Shaw 1998 The text focuses on mathematics education reform, on mathematics topics, and on ways to facilitate young children's learning. Later chapters contain scholarly references and a list of suggested children's books.

Biology, Controls and Models of Tree Volatile Organic Compound Emissions Ülo Niinemets 2013-07-08 Plant-driven volatile organic compound (BVOC) emissions play a major role in atmospheric chemistry, including ozone and photochemical smog formation in the troposphere, and they extend the atmospheric lifetime of the key greenhouse gas, methane. Furthermore, condensation of photo-oxidation products of BVOCs leads to formation of secondary organic aerosols with profound implications for the earth's solar radiation budget and climate. Trees represent the plant life form that most contributes to BVOC emissions, which gives global forests a unique role in regulating atmospheric chemistry. Written by leading experts in the field, the focus is on recent advancements in understanding the controls on plant-driven BVOC emissions, including efforts to quantitatively predict emissions using computer models, particularly on elicitation of emissions under biotic and abiotic stresses, molecular mechanisms of volatile synthesis and emission and the role of emissions in plant stress tolerance.

Elementary and Middle School Mathematics John A. Van de Walle 2010 Elementary and Middle School Mathematics: Teaching Developmentally.

Mastering Mathematica John W. Gray 1998 This new edition of Mastering Mathematica focuses on using Mathematica as a programming language, because programming in Mathematica is the best way to use the software to its fullest capacity. The book covers functional programming, imperative programming, rewrite programming, and object-oriented programming. It also addresses the use of Mathematica as a symbolic manipulator and a general tool for knowledge representation. \* Focus on four different types of programming styles with Mathematica: functional programming, rewrite (or rule-based) programming, imperative (or procedural) programming, and object-oriented programming, with many examples of each

style \* Compatible with Mathematica 3.0 and its programming language \* Chapters on graphics programming show how to make the most of the considerable graphics capabilities of Mathematica \* Includes coverage of programming needed for creation of Mathematica packages that allow a user to extend the language as needed for particular uses \* Applications include: \* Poly pattern analysis \* Critical points of functions \* Object-oriented graph theory \* Minimal surfaces \* Mathematica-Enhanced CD-ROM Enclosed \* Complete text in active Mathematica Notebook files, enhanced for v3.0; Allows you to evaluate complex examples without retyping; Extensive use of the v3.0 math typesetting system \* Hyperlink index and table of contents \* Instant access to any chapter or topic \* Index is automatically merged with the main Mathematica help system forming a master index of all the user's Mathematica related information; Quickly see listings on a given topic from The Mathematica Book, Mastering Mathematica, the Guide to Standard Packages, or any other Help Browser aware books you have installed

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