



Inside Information: Developing Powerful Readers and Writers of Informational Text Through Project-Based Instruction

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Scholastic Teaching Resources, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 226 x 183 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Most teachers understand the importance of teaching children to read and write informational text. But how do they do it effectively? And in a way that is truly engaging? Nell K. Duke has the answer. With this book, she shows teachers how to build skills in reading and writing major informational text types: informative/explanatory, procedural/how-to, persuasive, nonfiction narrative, and biographical through project-based instruction. Children read and write for real purposes and real audiences on topics that matter to them. In the process, they make a difference in the world. Drawing from the latest research, Duke explains how to design and carry out instruction, providing a blueprint for developing project-based units from start to finish: units that move children through a logical progression of phases: Project Launch, Reading and Research, Writing and Research, Revision and Editing, and Presentation and Celebration. Packed with clear, precise connections to Common Core State Standards, classroom-tested teaching ideas, and the work of practicing teachers and their students, this book will become an essential resource for years to come. For use with Grades K-5.



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