



Product Overview: ERIC and ERIC PlusText

ERIC and **ERIC PlusText** are sources of information for both professional educators and students who need to keep up with the latest teaching concepts, methodologies, and findings.

ERIC and ERIC PlusText

ERIC (Educational Resources Information Center) is the world's most widely used index to educational-related literature. Established in 1966, ERIC is supported by the US Department of Education's Office of Educational Research and Improvement and is administered by the US National Library of Education (NLE). ERIC is the largest education database in the world-containing over one million records of journal articles, research reports, curriculum and teaching guides, conference papers, and books.

ERIC PlusText combines the US National Library of Education's ERIC database with full text from **ProQuest Education Journals**. ERIC is the largest education database in the world-containing over one million records of journal articles, research reports, curriculum and teaching guides, conference papers, and books. ERIC PlusText incorporates the thesaurus of ERIC Descriptors, providing more than 10,000 main heads and cross-references for consistent classification, with topic trees for focusing searches effectively. Researchers can use ERIC PlusText to find detailed information on adult education, disabilities, and gifted education, educational management, reading and communication, home schooling, and hundreds of other related topics.

ProQuest Education Journals is a definitive resource for those who need access to top educational publications. The database includes over 700 titles, with more than 575 available in full-text. ProQuest Education Journals covers not only the literature on primary, secondary, and higher education, but also special education, home schooling, adult education, and hundreds of related topics. Image articles include all the charts, tables, diagrams, and other graphical elements often used to enhance the editorial value of articles that focus on education topics. With thousands of articles available online, ProQuest Education Journals includes some of the most popular information resources for users in academic and public research environments. ProQuest Education Journals can be combined with the ERIC database to create ERIC PlusText, or subscribed to as separate stand-alone database.

- **ERIC** from 1966 forward for citations, 1993-2004 for full text of non-journal documents. ERIC is currently revamping their collection policy and indexing scheme. They have not updated the database since the end of 2003. They expect to begin adding new content in 2005.
- **ERIC PlusText** from 1966 forward for citations, 1987 forward for full text of journal articles.
- **ProQuest Education Journals** from 1986 for citations, 1987 forward for full text of journal articles.
- **ERIC** and **ERIC PlusText** use the ProQuest Professional search interface.
- **ProQuest Education Journals** uses the ProQuest Standard search interface.

Administration / Setup

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