

# Start Here to Research Education in General

Please keep in mind:

- This list is not complete, but provides many good places to start research
- All items on this list are appropriate for academic research, subject to your instructor's standards
- Items on this list may not stay current, because websites disappear, books go out of print, and journals cease publishing
- Use Cambridge College Online Library (CCOL) to search and find full-text articles from these journals and other resources. For instructions, go to <http://www.cambridgecollege.edu/library/research.cfm>

**Be sure to use eglobalSearch for a quick one-stop search of our major education databases and our Electronic Books collection!**

## **General journals in education available in full-text or citation in our CCOL:**

Not all journals are available online in CCOL, and some journals do not release their most recent issues online so that they can keep their print subscribers. For instructions to find the print version of the journal in a local library, see the handout "Find Full-text Online or in Local Library" in the Cambridge College Online Library Use section of

<http://www.cambridgecollege.edu/library/research.cfm>

All of these journals were recommended by the reference book:

O'Brien, N.P. (2000). *Education: A guide to reference and information sources, edition*. Englewood, CO: Libraries Unlimited, Inc.

*American Journal of Education*  
*American School and University*  
*British Journal of Educational Studies*  
*Childhood Education*  
*Clearing House*  
*Contemporary Education*  
*Education*  
*Education Digest*  
*Education Week*  
*Educational Horizons*  
*Educational Leadership*

*Educational Policy*  
*Educational Studies*  
*Elementary School Journal*  
*Gender and Education*  
*Harvard Educational Review*  
*High School Journal*  
*Independent School*  
*Initiatives*  
*Instructor*  
*International Review of Education*  
*Issues in Education*  
*Journal of Education*  
*Journal of Education for Teaching*  
*Mailbox Teacher*  
*Peabody Journal of Education*  
*Phi Delta Kappan*  
*Research Papers in Education*  
*Sociology of Education*  
*Teacher Educator*  
*Teachers College Record*  
*Teaching Education*  
*Teaching Pre K-8*  
*Theory Into Practice*  
*Urban Education*

**Research in Education journals:**

*American Educational Research Journal*  
*Applied Measurement in Education*  
*Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis*  
*Educational Research*  
*Educational Research Quarterly*  
*Educational Researcher*  
*Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics*  
*Journal of Educational Measurement*  
*Journal of Educational Research*  
*Measurement and Evaluation in Counseling and Development*

**Books:** In the Cambridge College Online Library, use eglobalSearch or click Electronic Books from the main menu on the left. Follow the instructions and be sure to download the Ebrary software if it is not in the computer you are using. The Electronic Books collection includes hundreds of recent, scholarly full-text books in education.

**Recommended Books (not necessarily in the Electronic Books collection, but available at many traditional libraries:**

Title of Book	Author
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1. The Art of War	Sun Tzu
2. The Fifth Discipline	Peter Senge
3. Schools That Learn	Peter Senge
4 Learning By Heart	Roland S. Barth
5.Reframing Organizations	Lee G. Bolman & Terrence Deal
6. Shaping School Culture	Terrence Deal
7. The New Meaning of Educational Change	Michael G Fullan
8.Revisiting The Culture of The School and the Problem of Change	Seymour B Sarason
9. Fighting to Save Our Urban Schools .. and Winning (Lessons from Houston)	Donald R. McAdams
10.Crossing Over to Canaan	Gloria Ladson-Billings
11.The Dreamkeepers (Successful Teachers of African-American Children	Gloria Ladson Billings
12.Who Moved My Cheese and the workbook	SpencerJohnson
13. Fish	Stephen C. Lundin
14. Redesigning Education	Kenneth G. Wilson
Additional readings	Sarah Hale Lightfoot, Bell Hooks, James Comer, Thomas Sergiovanni, Carl Glickman, Lawrence Lezotte

**Websites with free full-text in education.** Be sure to evaluate the academic credibility of all information from these sites. Instructions for doing so can be found in the “Checklist for an Informational Webpage” in the Using the Internet section of <http://www.cambridgecollege.edu/library/research.cfm>

A list of links to free full-text referred education journals on net.  
<http://www.lib.berkeley.edu/EDP/journ.html>

Free full-text articles and books  
<http://www.academicinfo.net/edlibraryj.html>

Links to full-text free education journals  
[http://www.findarticles.com/cf\\_0/Pl/subject.jhtml?topic=ref](http://www.findarticles.com/cf_0/Pl/subject.jhtml?topic=ref)

Free articles in reference and education  
<http://www.academicinfo.net/edlibrary.html>

News, research, and inspiring stories from the frontlines of K-12 education  
<http://www.glef.org/edutopia.html>

**Statistical information:**

Worldwide Resources for statistics

<http://www.library.arizona.edu/library/guides/statistics/stats-global.html>

UNICEF statistical data

<http://www.unicef.org/statis/>

Teacher's Reference Desk

<http://teachersplanet.com/refdesk.shtml>

Busy Teacher's Website: Teacher's Reference Section

<http://www.ceismc.gatech.edu/busyt/refs.html>

US education statistics

<http://nces.ed.gov/edstats/>

International statistics

<http://www.lib.berkeley.edu/EDP/statistics.html#foreignstats>

Social sciences information gateway

<http://www.sosiq.ac.uk/statistics/>

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