

Project Work References

Websites

[The Educators Institute at Duke School](#) features sample preschool-middle school projects and links to upcoming institutes and tours.

[The Project Approach](#) website, originally created by Sylvia Chard is now hosted by Duke School. It features articles, sample projects, and more.

[Edutopia](#), created by the George Lucas Educational Foundation, features inquiry-based work for K-12 students. Most of the projects outlined are for middle and high schools; however, there are some elementary projects.

[PBL Works](#) offers a different approach to project work and has many print and internet resources.

For teachers of young children

[The University of Illinois Early Learning Center](#) is a wonderful resource for preschool and kindergarten teachers.

[Facebook Group: Illinois Projects in Practice](#) is a Facebook Group with lots of projects examples and resources for teachers using the Project Approach.

Project Approach Books

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Books About Student Inquiry

Daniels, H. (2017) *The Curious Classroom: 10 Structures for Teaching with Student-Directed Inquiry*. Heinemann.

Daniels, H. & Ahmed, S. (2015). *Upstanders: How to Engage Middle School Hearts and Minds with Inquiry*. Heinemann.

Harvey, S. & Daniels, H. (2015) *Comprehension and Collaboration: Inquiry Circles for Curiosity, Engagement, and Understanding*. Heinemann.

Wagner, T. & Dintersmith, T. (2015) *Most Likely to Succeed: Preparing Our Kids for the Innovation Era*. NY: Scribner.