



Instructional Leadership

Defined: Leadership responsibilities for planning, implementing and evaluating programs in schools and other agencies.

Locating Books for Instructional Leadership:

The University Libraries Catalog (<http://library.ua.edu>) provides call number and location of books in McLure Education Library, as well the Gorgas Main Library and the Business, Science and Health Libraries. Here are a few Library of Congress (LC) Subject Headings and Call Numbers to get your search started:

Subject Heading	Call Numbers	Subject Heading	Call Numbers
Educational Accountability	LB 2806.22	Education-Curricula	LB 1523
Student Affairs Services-General	LB 2342.9	Educational Leadership	LB 2341, LB 2805-LB 2806
Educational Program Evaluation	LB 2822.75	Mentoring for Teachers	LB 1731.4
Supervision and Administration-General	LB 2341		

Teaching and curriculum resources (textbooks, curriculum guides, ideas guides, etc) can also be found by browsing the catalog for items with **CURR.MAT.** call number designations. These materials are located on the basement level of McLure Library.

School Library Collection

McLure Library also maintains the *School Library Collection*, containing fiction and non-fiction materials for children. Materials in this collection can be found by browsing the catalog for items with **SCH.LIB.** call number designation. These materials are located on the basement level of McLure Library.

Locating Instructional Leadership Journals:

The University Libraries Catalog (<http://library.ua.edu>) provides call number and location information on journals held by University Libraries. It also provides a link to extensive databases holdings. The following databases are most appropriate for those seeking Instructional Leadership information:

Expanded Academic ASAP	Academic Search Premier
ERIC	Professional Development Collection
Education Full Text	PSYCInfo

Locating Instructional Leadership Journals (cont.):

Instructional Leadership Journals held By McLure Education Library

Journal	Call Number	Journal	Call Number
Clearing House	L 11.C53/ ONLINE	NASSP Bulletin	L 13.N27/ ONLINE
Contemporary Education	ONLINE-check catalog for details	Phi Delta Kappan	LJ 121.P4/ ONLINE
Education	L11.E2 ONLINE	School Administrator	LB 2805.S412/ ONLINE
Educational Administration Quarterly	ONLINE-check catalog for details	Theory Into Practice	ONLINE-check catalog for details
Delta Kappa Gamma Bulletin	LJ 145 .D5 A3		

NOTE: McLure Library holds current issues in the Reading Room. Bound Volumes are shelved on the 2nd Floor, directly behind the Reference Area.

Reference Works by Subject/Title/Call Number:

Instructional Leadership Reference:

Encyclopedia of Education, 2d Ed	REF LB 15.E47 2003
Encyclopedia of Educational Research	REF LB 15.E48 1992
Handbook of Research on Curriculum	REF LB 1570.H264 1996
Handbook of Research on Teaching	REF LB 1028.H315 1986
International Encyclopedia of Education	REF LB 15.I569 1994
International Encyclopedia of Curriculum	REF LB 1570.I5676 1991

Supplementary Curriculum Materials:

Beyond materials listed in the Library Catalog, McLure Library also carries the *Kraus Instructional Leadership Library*. This collection is available on microfiche and is located next to the ERIC microfiche on the basement level of McLure Library. The curriculum guides in this collection were selected at Annual meetings of the Association for Supervision and Instructional Leadership (www.ascd.org).

Internet Resources:

Association for Supervision and Instructional Leadership

www.ascd.org

The Association for Supervision and Instructional Leadership (ASCD) is an international, non-profit, non-partisan organization that represents 160,000 educators from more than 135 countries and 66 affiliates. The ASCD provides professional development resources in curriculum and supervision.

Center for the Study of Teaching and Policy

<http://depts.washington.edu/ctpmail/>

The Center for the Study of Teaching and Policy, a consortium of several major universities, focuses on the system-wide improvement of learning and teaching and the development of a highly capable, committed teaching force.

National Association of Secondary School Principals

www.nassp.org

Nation's largest school leadership organization, representing middle level and high school principals and assistant principals.

National Association of Elementary School Principals

www.naesp.org/

The mission of the National Association of Elementary School Principals is to lead in the advocacy and support for elementary and middle level principals and other education leaders in their commitment to all children.

National Staff Development Council

www.nsd.org/

The National Staff Development Council (NSDC) is the largest non-profit professional association committed to ensuring success for all students through staff development and school improvement.