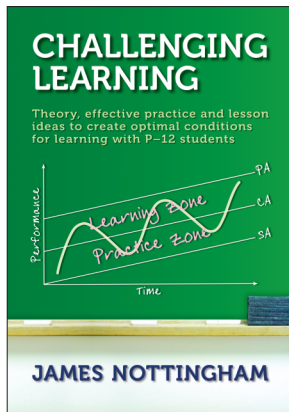


Challenging Learning

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Summary:

Challenging Learning provides practical suggestions to make teachers' work with students more effective and enjoyable. In this valuable book, Nottingham explores five essential aspects of an education that leads to self-reliance: feedback, application, challenge, thinking and self-esteem.

These FACTS form the framework for the Learning Challenge model, which is based on extensive research indicating that students succeed in school and in life when they are treated as intelligent and are used to being challenged as learners. The model is underpinned by the Philosophy for Children (P4C) approach, in which students learn to think for themselves through philosophical dialogue with others.

Nottingham illustrates his work with rich examples of classroom interactions, and provides useful lesson ideas to implement the Learning Challenge model in the classroom.

Supporting Resources:

- Poster: Challenging Learning Set of 12 (HB8912)
- Classroom Instruction that Works: Research-Based Strategies for Increasing Student Achievement (101010)
- Habits of Mind Across the Curriculum: Practical and Creative Strategies for Teachers (108014)
- Learning and Leading with Habits of Mind: 16 Essential Characteristics for Success (108008)



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