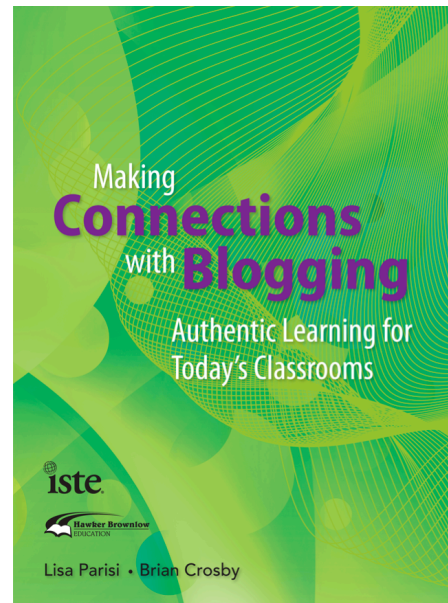


# Making Connections Through Blogging: Authentic Learning for Today's Classrooms

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## Summary:

Some students find writing to be a chore. Others write to get an assignment done but don't put in any extra effort. There's nothing like blogging to change those attitudes! Bring blogging into your classroom with *Making Connections With Blogging: Authentic Learning for Today's Classrooms*, and watch your students develop their writing, reading comprehension, critical thinking, digital citizenship and communication skills.

*Making Connections With Blogging* will show you how you can use blogging with any student as a part of any curriculum – not as an add-on, but as an integrated part of your lessons. Learn step by step how to blog, get ideas for your curriculum area, and understand how to manage blogging in the classroom. Get your students blogging, and change how learning happens.

*Making Connections With Blogging* features an introduction and overview to student blogging, from choosing platforms to managing the classroom; help with blogging throughout the curriculum, including ideas for English, maths, science, health, music, and more; chapters on standards, assessment, and safety and etiquette help you effectively integrate blogging into your classroom.

## Supporting Resources:

- *Making the Most of Moodle* (VIS1340)
- *What Every Teacher Should Know About Media and Technology* (CO3492)
- *Blogs, Wikis, Podcasts and Other Powerful Web Tools for The Classroom, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition* (CO5999)

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