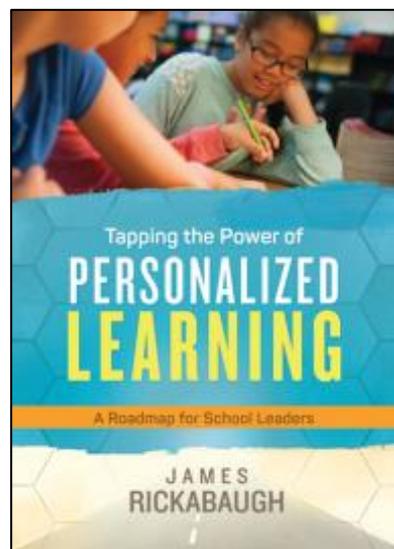


# Tapping the Power of Personalised Learning: A Roadmap for School Leaders

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## Summary

In this powerful new book, James Rickabaugh, former superintendent and current director of the Institute for Personalized Learning (IPL), presents the ground-breaking results of the Institute's half-decade of research, development and practice: a simple but powerful model for personalising students' learning experiences by building their levels of commitment, ownership and independence.

Tried and rigorously tested in urban, suburban and rural districts – and in different academic and economic backgrounds – the IPL model has been proven to enhance student engagement and achievement at all levels. Rickabaugh provides principals and other top-level leaders step-by-step guidance for implementing the model as well as

- a detailed overview of the research and work behind the model's development
- a complete introduction to the heart of the model – a comprehensive, multi-layered framework centred on the three core components of learner profiles, customised learning paths and proficiency-based progress
- tools and activities for assessing and adjusting the model to meet the specific needs of students and staff
- strategies for increasing and reinforcing enthusiasm for the change process among everyone involved, from the classroom to the greater community
- an abundance of real-life examples and reflections from students, teachers, principals and superintendents whose schools have flourished in record time and with minimal additional funding or resources.

*Tapping the Power of Personalized Learning* offers a blueprint that dramatically improves student outcomes and prepares today's learners to meet life's challenges successfully in university and beyond.

## Other Resources

- *Personalized Learning: A Guide for Engaging Students with Technology* (IST5442)
- *Five Levers to Improve Learning: How to Prioritize for Powerful Results in Your School* (114002)