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Resource roundup: Summer reads from around the RELs

Add these new resources from each of the 10 Regional Educational Laboratories (RELs) to your summer reading and watch list.

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Cultivating and celebrating Black students' strengths: "Bringing the gifts that my ancestors gave"

A recent Black History Education conference in Wisconsin drew from REL Midwest research on promising practices for cultivating and celebrating the strengths of Black students.

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The power of centering equity in social and emotional learning

Did you miss our webinar on practices to promote the connections between equity and social and emotional learning? Read the recap and view the webinar recording and resources.

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Ask A REL

Browse the responses to some recent questions submitted to our Ask A REL reference desk—then [submit a question](#) of your own!

- What does the research say about [departmentalization in early elementary grades](#), specifically the effects on student academic achievement or social and emotional outcomes?
- What does the research say about [states' responses to teacher strikes](#) and strike threats?
- What does the research say about [statewide teacher salary schedules](#)?
- What research is available on [how states fund teacher salaries](#)?
- What research is available on [cost savings related to teacher benefits](#)?

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