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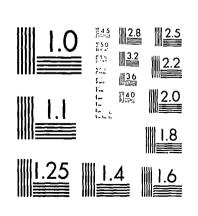








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#### ABSTRACT

Individually Guided Education (IGE) is an elementary school program that replaces the self-contained classroom with an instructional unit composed of a unit leader, three to five teachers, paraprofessionals and clerical aides, and 100 to 150 children. Its program includes innovations such as nongraded instruction, team teaching, continuous progress, peer-group instruction, and differentiated staffing. IGE has seven major components: 1) an organization for instruction, a related administrative organization at the building level and another arrangement at the central office level; 2) a model of instructional programing for the individual student; 3) a model for developing measurement tools and evaluation procedures; 4) curriculum materials; 5) a program of home-school communications; 6) good communication among parts of the school system, and 7) continuing research and development. The first two of these are explained in this booklet, which also recounts experiences of schools which have adopted the program. A list of such schools is included. (JK)

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# Individually Guided Education and the Multiunit School

#### **OVERVIEW**

A new form of elementary school organization——Individually Guided Education (IGE)——has been revolutionizing U.S. classrooms at an ever increasing rate.

Perhaps revolutionizing isn't the best word to use in describing IGE or the multiunit school, as it is also known because of its organizational arrangement. A more descriptive word would be evolutionary because IGE has been evolving from underlying concepts that have been known to educators for a decade or more. IGE designers say they are deliberately attempting to retain the best practices of the past decades and to substitute new ones where they are needed. To this end, the Wisconsin Research and Development Center for Cognitive Learning, in cooperation with several educational institutions, developed new organizational arrangements to replace age-graded, self-contained classrooms. They called the new arrangement the multiunit school.

The Wisconsin center and /I/D/E/A/ (the Institute for Development of Educational Activities, a division of the Kettering Foundation) combined their ideas in 1969 to encourage IGE's growth. Both /I/D/E/A/ and the Wisconsin center see their task as no small one, but one that can be solved. "Millions of children are depending on us...each with different needs...each with different learning styles...each waiting to be educated," /I/D/E/A/ said in its booklet, Individually Guided Education. "...There is a way...to manage our available educational resources to approach each child individually and still provide an education for all—a way to teach children one at a time, together. That way is Individually Guided Education, a system for developing learning programs to meet individual needs," /I/D/E/A/ said.

The multiunit school can be traced back to 1964-65 when Project MODELS

(Maximizing Opportunities for Development and Experimentation in Learning in the Schools) began at the Wisconsin center under the direction of Herbert J. Klausmeier, professor of educational psychology at the U. of Wisconsin. He was joined by representatives of 13 Wisconsin school systems and the Wisconsin Dept. of Public Instruction. Their aim was to initiate "a new type of organization...in the school building to deal with some of the mutual concerns of the center, the school systems and the

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State Dept. of Public Instruction regarding the development of exemplary instructional systems and sophisticated experimentation."

Roles and functions of unit staff were defined during the next few months. As a result of this project, the Wisconsin center and three school districts cooperatively started in 1966 the first 13 nongraded instructional and research units as replacements for age-graded classes in schools at Madison, Janesville and Racine, Wis.

In 1966-67, the number of functioning instructional and research units increased to 19, and by the next school term seven elementary schools in the same school districts were completely organized into multiunit schools for the first time. The emerging system became known as Individually Guided Education.

A significant forward thrust in implementation occurred when the Wisconsin State Dept. of Public Instruction selected the multiunit school for statewide demonstration and installation during the 1968-69 school year. In cooperation with the Wisconsin center and four teacher-education institutions, the state education department started eight "lighthouse" or demonstration schools in seven school districts, bringing the number of totally organized multiunit schools in Wisconsin to 15. State Supt. William C. Kahl, in citing the state education department's reason for selecting the multiunit school for implementation, said it showed:

"the greatest promise as a facilitative environment for improving learning opportunities at the elementary school level... Within the unit structure provided, both the instructional and learning components support effective use of time, talent and effort. Roles are differentiated and opportunities are provided for planning, sharing and evaluation. Provision is inherent in the design to encourage cooperative effort in teacher education and research activities at the local education level."

In the 1969-70 school year 50 multiunit schools operated in 23 Wisconsin districts. Another leap forward in implementation and refinement occurred in 1969, when the Wisconsin center and /I/D/E/A/ entered into an agreement whereby /I/D/E/A/ used center-developed printed materials and videotapes to prepare their first generation multimedia inservice materials. Insights from /I/D/E/A/'s Study of Educational Change, which began in the spring of 1966, were also incorporated into the materials.

In 1970-71, /I/D/E/A/-developed materials were used to implement multi-unit schools for the first time--primarily in Colorado, South Carolina and Wisconsin. By the 1970-71 school year, 164 IGE or multiunit schools were operating in eight states; of these, 99 were in Wisconsin. The New Jersey State Dept. of Education was so impressed with the results of its IGE program in 25 multiunit schools for the 1971-72 school year that it authorized grants and assistance to 40 more schools for the 1972-73 school year.

The most recent implementation thrust came when the U.S. Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) selected the multiunit school for nationwide installation in the 1971-72 school year. HEW funded the Wisconsin center's effort to carry out IGE implementation in more than 250 new schools in 13



states. Other new multiunit schools started by /I/D/E/A/ brought the total number of IGE schools to well above 500 in 18 states in 1971-72. And, according to the Wisconsin center and /I/D/E/A/, dramatic growth can be expected in the future. Approximately 350 new schools are working with the Wisconsin center in the 1972-73 school year, as well as 200 with /I/D/E/A/. Thus, some schools are working only with /I/D/E/A/, others only with the Wisconsin center, and some with both /I/D/E/A/ and the center.

#### **IGE: A Total System of Elementary Education**

What makes IGE so popular? Why are so many new multiunit schools starting? Two reasons stand out. First, IGE is a comprehensive design—a total system of elementary education—that provides a realistic alternative to the age—graded, self—contained classroom and the traditional form of organization that makes children adapt to the system instead of adapting the system to meet the needs of each individual child.

Part of IGE's comprehensive design is its focus on attaining clearly stated objectives through individualized instruction: not individualized instruction when it is viewed merely as students learning through direct interaction with instructional materials and little or no assistance from teachers, but individualized instruction in which self-instructional materials and procedures are taken as just one element of each student's instructional program.

The dominant thrust in attempting to improve American education over the past several years has been individualized instruction. Every teacher recognizes that a class of 25 children, though all of about the same age, can differ dramatically in their abilities, their interest in one subject rather than another, and their preferences for one form of instruction over others.

Most teachers have always recognized that every child is an individual. But, even with this recognition, students, by and large, have been forced to fit into an existing system without regard for their individual differences. IGE tries to solve this problem by encouraging instructional programs for each individual student so that his objectives may be attained. This calls for:

- Planning instructional programs which allow each student to progress at his own rate.
- Providing instructional materials (textbooks, audiovisual materials, demonstrations) which can accommodate individual learning styles.
- Organizing modes of instruction—large-group instruction, small-group instruction, independent study, one-to-one instruction—to suit each child's best learning style.
- Matching teachers and students so that each student has the help of the teacher who best suits him for each specific learning task.

Too often, in cases where instruction is supposedly individualized, it is fragmented. In such cases, individualized instruction is not truly individualized. In the March-April 1972 issue of <u>Florida Schools</u>, Blanche



McMullen, an elementary education consultant in the Florida State Dept. of Education, addressed herself to this problem.

"A program is either individualized or it is not," she wrote. "There is no such thing as being partly human, or human in mathematics, or human for one year of your life. Neither can any instructional program for individuals be partly individualized. An individualized program is also ungraded," she continued. "How can it be otherwise if it is individualized? An individualized program is diagnostic. On what other basis should a teacher prescribe? A humanistic program is individualized. How else is one more human?

"To use any one of these terms to define a program when all the others are not included also seems educationally irresponsible, adds to the confusion and contributes to the disillusionment of teachers," Mrs. McMullen said.

She cited some instances of what she referred to as "fragmented" individualized programs:

- "Teachers 'hung up' on writing packages (prescriptions) for children, but no time to talk to a child.
- "Teachers who use the same sequence of prescriptions for children. (They use them at different times for different children.)
- "Teachers who never write prescriptions, but whose children are much involved in 'different activities.'
- "Children who frequently have to spend an entire day in isolation in order to 'get through' their individualized prescriptions.
- "Children whose only alternative to isolation is large-group instruction.
- "Schools which have individualized or ungraded fourth-grade reading...."

At no time does Mrs. McMullen single out any particular program of individualized instruction to either praise or attack it. Her primary concern is to make any such program truly individualized. She also recognizes that certain objectives can be attained only through interactions among students and between a teacher and students. IGE has the same aim. And IGE, fully implemented in a school, is designed to eliminate the fragmented individualization programs that currently exist in many schools, its developers say.

The second reason that IGE is growing in popularity, according to proponents, is that it encourages the adaptation of some of the most talked about innovations of the past two decades—team teaching, differentiated staffing, inquiry—directed learning, multi—age grouping, peer instruction, open class—rooms, continuous progress learning, programmed instruction, computer—assisted instruction and others. Few have ever been adopted by school systems on a large—scale basis. Changes in education, by and large, have been isolated, piecemeal, small in scope and, often, temporary, IGE developers say. Promising ideas tested and proved in one classroom or in one school system have been slow in affecting classroom practices and procedures elsewhere. Why this lack of impact? There are several reasons. Some innovations, despite all



the praise, haven't proved to be practicable or workable except in very specific situations and for certain teachers. Some innovations require large outlays for new equipment or specialized training and have proved to be too expensive for many districts. Some innovations, after being tried by outstanding teachers, fall by the wayside because less outstanding teachers lack the interest to try them. And, perhaps the most compelling reason for the reduced effectiveness of some innovations is that many teachers simply don't know how to incorporate them into the class or feel that if adopted, they would somehow violate teacher control in the self-contained classroom.

The IGE system particularly attacks this last problem. First, the self-contained classroom is eliminated in the IGE system. It is replaced with an instructional unit composed of a unit leader, three to five teachers, additional supportive staff (paraprofessionals, clerical aides, etc.) and 100 to 150 children. With this type of arrangement, a number of the innovations of recent vintage must come into play as part of the total instructional program. The following are some of the innovations that are a basic part of IGE:

- Nongraded instruction, in which every student either works independently or is grouped and regrouped with others according to his progress toward or interest in attaining his instructional objectives regardless of age or years in school.
- Team teaching, in which groups of teachers assess pupil progress, devise instructional strategies to solve individual problems, divide teaching assignments according to specific abilities and interests of each individual member of the team, and help one another grow professionally.
- Continuous progress, in which every student advances as quickly as he can or as slowly as he must depending only on his individual ability
- Peer-group instruction, in which students of different ages work together in either small groups or in pairs to solve common problems.
- Differentiated staffing, in which outstanding teachers serve as unit leaders of a team in order to direct the education of children and to provide leadership and assistance to other teachers.

In summary, IGE supporters claim it is a total system of elementary education—one concerned first with changing the organization for instruction and the related staffing pattern so that instructional improvements can more readily occur. It takes a broad view of education and instruction in which true individualization to attain all of the school's educational objectives is achieved by varying certain elements—student instructional programs, instructional materials, modes of instruction and teachers. It encourages the adaptation and implementation of those innovations that are consistent with the total IGE system. IGE supporters also claim it is the first realistic alternative in this century to the age-graded, self-contained classroom—the traditional form of elementary school organization.

In this special report, we will take a look at the inner workings of the IGE system, its adoption in schools across the country, reactions to IGE by several different publics, and how it is working in practice.

#### **HOW IGE WORKS**

IGE is a comprehensive form of education and instruction designed to produce higher levels of educational achievement by providing for differences among students in rates of learning, learning styles and other characteristics. IGE supporters claim it is more comprehensive than other individualization programs that provide for little or no contact with teachers and that give little or no attention to attaining important educational objectives through small group activities.

Further, some teacher instruction of groups rather than only of individuals is essential so that IGE costs do not markedly exceed those of the traditional system. Therefore, in IGE, individual instruction is just one of several modes of learning situations.

But IGE is really more than just an instructional program. The thing that must always be kept in mind is that IGE has many related parts that must function smoothly in the same school building. In fact, there are seven major components of IGE:

- An organization for instruction, a related administrative organization at the building level and another arrangement at the central office level. This new type of organization, called the multiunit organization, is designed to provide for educational and instructional decision making at several different levels; to open communication among students, teachers and principals; to institute accountability by educational personnel at various levels. (See figures 1 and 2 for a comparison in organizational arrangements of an IGE multiunit school and a traditional elementary school.)
- A model of instructional programming for the individual student. This is designed to aid teachers in planning and carrying out an instructional program for each student that takes into account his objectives, rate of learning, level of motivation, etc. It also provides the structure for developers to prepare curriculum materials for IGE schools. (See figures 3 and 4.)
- A model for developing measurement tools and evaluation procedures. The model includes preassessment of children's readiness; assessment of progress, and of final achievement with criterion-referenced tests; feedback to the teacher and the child; and evaluation of the IGE design and its components. This model is used by teachers, mainly in selecting and using assessment tools and by curriculum developers in preparing instructional packages.



Figure 1: Organization of Multiunit School with 600 Pupils

Central Office Staff

State Department of Education Consultants

## Principal

Unit A	Unit B	Unit C	Unit D
1 Unit Leader	1 Unit Leader	1 Unit Leader	1 Unit Leader
4 Teachers	4 Teachers	4 Teachers	4 Teachers
1 Instructional Aide	1 Instructional Aide	1 Instructional Aide	1 Instructional Aide
1 Clerical Aide	1 Clerical Aide	1 Clerical Aide	1 Clerical Aide
150 Pupils, Age 5, 6, 7	150 Pupils, Age 7, 8, 9	150 Pupils, Age 8, 9, 10	150 Pupils Age 9, 10, 11

Figure 2: Organization of Traditional Elementary School with 600 Pupils

Central Office

## Principal

Kindergarten	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth
1 Teacher	1 Teacher					
30 Pupils Age 5	30 Pupils Age 6	30 Pupils Age 7	30 Pupils Age 8	30 Pupils Age 9	30 Pupils Age 10	30 Pupils Age 11
1 Teacher	1 Teacher					
30 Pupils Age 5	30 Pupils Age 6	30 Pupils Age 7	30 Pupils Age 8	30 Pupils Age 9	30 Pupils Age 10	30 Pupils Age 11
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Figure 3: Instructional Programming Model in IGE

State the educational objectives to be attained by the student population of the building after a year and longer time periods in terms of levels of achievement and other performance related to each curriculum area and in terms of other values and action patterns. Estimate the range of objectives that may be obtainable for subgroups of the student population. Assess the level of achievement, learning style and motivation level of each student by use of criterion-referenced tests, observation schedules and work samples with appropriate-sized subgroups. Set specific instructional objectives for each child to attain over a short period of time. Plan and implement an instructional program suitable for each student by varying (a) the amount of attention and guidance by the teacher, (b) the amount of time spent in interaction among students, (c) the use of printed materials, audiovisual materials and direct experiencing of phenomena, (d) the use of space and equipment (media), and (e) the amount of time spent by each student in one-to-one interactions with the teacher or media, independent study, adult- or student-led small group activities and adult-led large group activities. Assess students for attainment of initial objectives and for setting the next set of instructional objectives. Objectives not attained Objectives attained Reassess the student's Implement next sequence characteristics in program Feedback Loop

From Individually Guided Education and the Multiunit Elementary School, Wisconsin Research and Development Center for Cognitive Learning



Figure 4: The IGE Cycle

#### Assessment

What has Johnny learned?

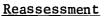
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2/3 + 1/3 = 3/3

1/8 + 3/8 = 4/8

1/4 + 1/2 = 2/6

1/3 + 5/6 = 6/6



Has Johnny achieved his objectives?

2/8 + 2/4 = 3/4

2/3 + 4/6 = 8/6

3/8 + 1/4 = 5/8

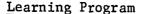
<u>Objectives</u>

What does Johnny need to learn?

"To demonstrate his ability to add unlike fractions."







How can we select and manage the following elements to help Johnny meet his learning objective:

Johnny works well with small groups, he likes to manipulate things, and he responds well to Mr. Smith.

Teacher/Learner Activities

Materials and Media Time, Space, Equipment Personnel Grouping

Thus, Johnny might be grouped with five other children who need to learn how to add unlike fractions, and Mr. Smith will use cuisenaire rods to help them learn.

From An Overview of Individually Guided Education, c1971, /I/D/E/A/



- Curriculum materials, related statements of instructional objectives, and criterion-referenced tests and observation schedules. The Wisconsin center is developing materials for reading, prereading, mathematics, environmental education and motivation in line with the models of instructional programming and assessment mentioned. Some of these will be available commercially, starting in 1973-74. However, there is presently a shortage of materials suitable for IGE practices, and most schools adopt and adapt materials that suit the characteristics of their students.
- A program of home-school communications that reinforces the school's efforts by generating the interest and encouragement of parents and other adults whose attitudes influence pupil motivation and learning. Both the Wisconsin center and /I/D/E/A/ stress that the initial impetus for adoption of IGE should come from a school system's teaching staff. And both organizations insist that schools and school districts involve parents in discussing, initiating and implementing IGE.
- Facilitative environments in school buildings, school system central offices, state education agencies and teacher education institutions. The Wisconsin center believes that the key to successful implementation of IGE is close cooperation among the IGE schools of the district, the school district central office and the state education agency. The center has organized such cooperative arrangements in 14 states and continues to coordinate this effort. Both /I/D/E/A/ and the Wisconsin center feel that information-sharing networks among IGE schools are important. (see p.37-40 for the names of /I/D/E/A/ facilitators and of state coordinators and contact persons for the Wisconsin center.) Institutions participating in the /I/D/E/A/ Change Program have developed Leagues of Cooperating Schools. Each League is composed of up to 15 schools and is headed by a facilitator. The facilitator is a full-time person from the state education agency, local university or school district who has agreed to work with the IGE schools. One of the facilitator's goals is to set up a league newsletter that keeps members informed about IGE.
- Continuing research and development to generate knowledge and to produce tested materials and procedures. A major feature of the IGE system is that it is not rigid. Instead, it is designed to be continuously changing and improving. It is still being refined based on the experiences of the people involved. In addition, each multiunit school has to try new things, evaluate them and engage in practical research to design, implement and evaluate instructional programs for individual students.

The first two components mentioned above, the school organization and the instructional program, are, of course, the primary parts of IGE. A more detailed description of each follows.

#### The Organizational Setup

There are three distinct levels of operation within the organizational structure of IGE: the I & R unit (instructional and research unit); the IIC (instructional and improvement committee); and the SPC (systemwide policy committee).

The I & R unit is the nongraded organization for instruction that replaces the age-graded, self-contained classroom. Each unit (see figure 1, p.7) consists of a unit leader, three to five teachers, an instructional aide, a clerical aide and up to 150 children. The number of staff members in a unit can vary. In some cases, there will be no aides. In other cases the aides will be paid paraprofessionals or volunteers. The number of supportive assistants in any given unit will depend in large part on how much the school district is able to pay and its policy regarding the employment of noncertified teachers.

The primary function of the I & R unit is planning and carrying out the instructional program for each child in the unit. This team assesses each child's level of achievement, learning style and motivation level by using various kinds of tests, by observing each student and by examining work samples from each student. The team then works out specific instructional objectives for each child to complete over a short period of time. After working out an instructional program for each child, the team reassesses each student's progress and achievement to determine if the initial objectives were attained. It then decides on the next set of instructional objectives. (See figure 4, p.9.)

The I & R unit is also responsible for researching new ways to teach children and to assess children's learning levels. Through experimentation and observation, unit teachers develop new ways of teaching. These new teaching techniques are then passed on to other teachers in other units by the principal and the unit leaders.

The IIC is composed of the building principal and all of the unit leaders in the building. (See figure 1, p.7.) The IIC has four main functions:

- To formulate the educational objectives and outline the educational program for the entire school building.
- To interpret and implement the systemwide and statewide policies that affect the educational program of the building.
- To coordinate the activities of each of the I & R units in the building for the necessary continuity in all curriculum areas.
- To arrange for the use of facilities, time, materials and other items that the individual units do not manage independently.

Starting an IIC involves a change in the role of the school principal. In the multiunit school the principal assumes greater and more direct administrative responsibility for developing the educational program, managing the preservice and inservice training activities and administering research and development activities.

The SPC is the systemwide policy committee. It includes the school superintendent or his designee, various consultants and other central office staff, the principals of multiunit schools, the unit leaders and multiunit school teachers. The primary purpose of the SPC is to make the transition from the self-contained classroom to the multiunit organization.



#### The Staff

What are the roles and responsibilities and objectives of the principal, unit leader and teachers in IGE?

IGE specialists say a training program is necessary before a school implements IGE. Both the Wisconsin center and /I/D/E/A/ suggest that any teacher who does not agree with the concept should be permitted to transfer to another school in the district. (As an added note of information, IGE authorities assert that the system cannot be imposed on a school or its staff from above. The teaching staff must agree that this is the kind of system it wishes to put into the school.)

The major part of the inservice training for IGE teachers focuses on getting teachers to think as members of a team, working together to provide an individualized instructional program for each child. The IGE training program is also designed to help staff members in an IGE school recognize their changing attitudes and through simulations to provide them with experience in an individualized learning program.

Both the Wisconsin center and /I/D/E/A/ offer detailed teacher inservice programs and multimedia materials which vary somewhat in strategy and emphasis but little in purpose. In its <a href="Implementation Guide">Implementation Guide</a>, the center outlines the objectives to be attained by a multiunit school. These are organized under four headings: instructional programming, organizational operations, staff development and home-school-community relations. In its <a href="Implementation Guide">Implementation Guide</a>, /I/D/E/A/ lists 35 outcomes to be achieved by various members of the IGE school personnel. The outcomes are also divided into two basic categories--"Instructional Process of IGE" and "Self-Improvement Process of IGE." Together, the outcomes listed in the <a href="Implementation Guide">Implementation Guide</a> clearly establish the direction for a school implementing IGE. And, as attitudes and responses to outcome questionnaires change, it is easy to determine the degree of implementation of IGE and the areas of concern. The list of outcomes follows:

#### **IGE Outcomes for the Instructional Process**

#### Responsibility of the Principal

- The entire school is organized into units with each unit composed of a unit leader, teachers, auxiliary personnel and students.
- Each unit is comprised of approximately equal numbers of two or more student age groups.
- Unit teachers have sufficient time in which to conduct unit meetings (a minimum of three hours per week).

#### Responsibility of the Unit Leader

- Each unit makes the decisions regarding time, space, materials, staff and students assigned to that unit.
- Unit teachers practice role specialization and a division of labor when planning for the students' learning programs.
- Unit teachers decide on broad goals to be emphasized, based upon a discussion of previous accomplishments of the unit members.



- Unit teachers develop a collection of student learning objectives consistent with the broad goals of the learning program.
- Unit teachers develop plans for diversified activities in which students may pursue each of the desired learning objectives.
- The unit selects and/or develops curricular materials which include the following components: assessment methods, specific learning objectives, a variety of learning activities using different media, student performance records.
- Large groups, small groups, paired situations and independent study are provided as optional learning modes.
- The collective teaching strengths of unit teachers are used as a result of unit planning when constructing teaching-learning environments.
- Options exist for providing a greater range of teaching-learning environments.
- Parents reinforce implementation of the instructional process of IGE by giving vocal support to the program.
- Parents are involved in the instructional process of IGE.

### Responsibility of the Teacher

- Individual teacher's decisions are consistent with the unit's operations.
- The following are considered when students are matched to learning activities: peer relationships, achievement, learning styles, interest in subject areas, self-concept.
- Unit teachers insure that each student has personal rapport established with at least one teacher.
- Adequate opportunity is provided (through discussion and written communication) to insure that each teacher is fully aware of perceptions and suggestions of other unit members relating to the students with whom each has developed special rapport.
- Each student is involved in self-assessment procedures and analyses of the assessments.
- Each student accepts increasing responsibility for selection of his learning objectives.
- Each student participates in the selection of learning activities to pursue learning objectives.
- Each student can state learning objectives for the learning activities in which he is engaged.

## **IGE Outcomes of the Self-Improvement Process**

#### Responsibility of the League Facilitator

- The league coordinates an interchange of personnel to identify and alleviate problems within the league schools.
- The league stimulates an interchange of solutions to existing problems and is a source of ideas for new development.
- The league devotes time to analyzing and improving league operations.

#### Responsibility of the Principal

Assignments of staff members to units are made with regard to complementary strengths and professional compatibility of the teachers.



- The IIC resolves problems involving two or more units.
- The IIC coordinates curricular development to insure continuity of educational goals and learning objectives throughout the school.
- The IIC coordinates schoolwide inservice educational programs.
- The IIC provides channels of two-way communication throughout the school.
- The IIC devotes time to analyzing and improving committee operations.

## Responsibility of the Unit Leader

- The unit's plans submitted by the resource teachers are constructively criticized by unit members.
- Teacher performances in the learning environment are constructively criticized by unit members using both planned and informal observations.
- The unit devotes time to analyzing and improving unit operations.

## Responsibility of the Teacher

• Staff members of an IGE school have a personalized program enabling each to learn and to implement IGE.

#### The Role of the Unit Leader

IGE encourages differentiated staffing, but not to the degree that is expressed in other plans which call for a huge proliferation of new roles and titles for personnel. The multiunit school calls for just one new role—that of unit leader. And, unlike many differentiated staffing plans which call for the master teacher to be primarily a teacher—trainer, that role is only one of several functions of a unit leader. The unit leader, in addition to being a member of the IIC and leader of the I & R unit, is also a teaching member of the unit.

The following are the unit leader's responsibilities:

#### Instruction

- Assume leadership in developing, carrying out and evaluating IGE in the unit--including objectives, materials, equipment and activities.
- Work closely with the unit staff, building principal, subject matter specialists and other consultants.
- Coordinate assessment of children's characteristics and progress in the unit and the placement of children in appropriate activities.
- Assume leadership in establishing good home-school relations.
- Teach about 50% to 80% of the time or be directly involved with the children in other ways.
- Utilize some of the remaining time to act as liaison between the principal and unit staff (and students); meet with staff members to plan instruction and to enhance the understanding of IGE, and meet with the IIC.
- Keep abreast of advances in subject knowledge, instructional materials and other components of a system of individually guided education.

#### Staff Development

• Develop, cooperatively with the IIC, the building principal and relevant



central staff, a building program of on-the-job education for certified personnel of the unit, including teacher interns.

- Develop and carry out a similar program for nonteaching aides.
- Coordinate the inservice training activities of both teaching and nonteaching staff whereby the capabilities of nonteaching aides are identified and improved and teachers learn to work effectively with aides.
- Develop, with the IIC, the building principal, relevant central staff and representatives of teacher-education institutions, a training program for teacher interns.

#### Research

- Plan research activities of the unit with appropriate personnel.
- Coordinate research activities with the I & R unit.
- Guide the administration of experimental treatments--instructional methods, materials, media--by sub-experimenters (teachers or others) to insure continuous adherence to the specified experimental design and to a schedule for collecting information.
- Guide the collection and, as time permits, the analysis of information collected.
- Keep abreast of relevant research results and methods.

#### Development

- Plan the development activities of the unit with the appropriate personnel of the unit, building, central office and other agencies.
- Coordinate the development of a system of individually guided education within the unit, including a statement of objectives, the assessment of the capabilities of students, the instructional program and evaluation procedures.
- Participate directly in preparing instructional materials, diagnostic procedures, measurement instruments, etc.

#### Innovation

- Coordinate the introduction of novel instructional materials, measurement and evaluation tools and procedures, instructional methods, etc.
- Stimulate the invention of new instructional methods within the unit.
- Keep abreast of innovations throughout the school system, state and nation through visits, conferences and reading.

#### Diffusion

- Provide for the proper briefing of observers of the I & R unit.
- Participate in the planning and actual diffusion of promising practices within the school building and system.

A great deal of staff interaction among staff members and with the students is considered essential by IGE authorities. In addition, the IGE model requires a great deal of time for assessing each child's abilities and learning styles and for planning the instructional program for each child. Representatives of both the Wisconsin center and I/D/E/A/ stress that in terms of time and effort, the IGE system requires more time for assessment and planning than



the traditional self-contained classroom. The IGE system also requires considerably more decision making by small groups of teachers rather than by individual teachers. No teacher or principal in the ideal IGE operation works independently of everyone else.

#### **Curriculum Materials**

One of the hazards with any new kind of system or program is the selection and adaptation of materials. The Wisconsin center is developing materials in several areas that will be commercially available to traditionally organized as well as multiunit schools, starting in 1973-74. However, the use of these materials is not required. In fact, both the center and /I/D/E/A/ suggest that each multiunit school should examine the materials available and select those that suit the needs of its students.

The center, in addition, recommends that all materials be as consistent as possible with the center's model of instructional programming. This enables teachers to do more teaching and to spend less time in developing materials and tests. Therefore, IGE practitioners must keep in mind that the objectives of IGE and the nature of the instructional programming sequence require high quality, tested materials to achieve specified objectives.

Multiunit schools are notified as soon as newly developed curriculum materials are available for large-scale field testing and are encouraged to participate. Each school is invited to send representatives to an inservice workshop to learn how to properly implement the particular curriculum component.

The Wisconsin center specialists recommend the following procedures for identifying and using instructional materials:

- Educational objectives for the school district are stated.
- A systemwide committee identifies possible printed materials (textbooks, supplementary texts, programmed materials, library books) and audiovisual materials (motion pictures, sound tapes, filmstrips, slides, recordings, etc.) as well as self-contained multimedia packages.
- The building staff reviews the systemwide list and selects those materials that are most appropriate to attain specific instructional objectives. (All materials are keyed to these objectives and special material related to each curriculum area is available.)
- Material is selected and organized so that the same concepts may be introduced to a large group by means of a film, for example, and to a smaller group by means of slides or in another manner that is equally easy to handle. And, the same concepts should also be available in a form that is easily used by a student independently, to accommodate his individual learning style and rate of learning.

Although many existing materials can be adapted for the multiunit school, IGE specialists say it is probably easier and less time-consuming to select new materials with many of the educational objectives built in.



#### Who Trains the Trainers?

/I/D/E/A/ provides for the training of staff members of IGE schools through a process of teaching/learning clinical workshops. In the first step of the process, /I/D/E/A/ trains facilitators from intermediate agencies. (See p.37.)

Facilitators learn about IGE processes and about techniques to use in teaching staff members of IGE schools. /I/D/E/A/ cites several advantages to its clinical workshop approach:

- Facilitators are exposed to cognitive knowledge of the IGE process.
- Facilitators receive an opportunity to interact with other trainees. This interaction includes the give-and-take of constructive criticism by fellow learners.
- Facilitators learn how they can use the same clinical techniques when they move to the next step in the process--teaching staff members of IGE schools how to operate in IGE classes.

John Bahner, /I/D/E/A/'s director of innovative programs, says the institute carefully tailors and conducts the workshops so that facilitators can make maximum use of the training they receive. "We want [IGE facilitators] to be able to operate in their new role--IGE school personnel--in ways which are patterned identically to the way we operate with them," Bahner says. A description of a workshop follows:

During the 10-day clinic, facilitators become an actual teaching team in a school not yet using IGE processes. Team members must provide learning environments for students who attend for half of each day, as well as observe and analyze other facilitators as they work with students. During the second half of the day, facilitators conduct "critiquing sessions" (providing analysis and criticism of the morning's activities) with their colleagues. They learn more about IGE processes primarily by using IGE materials and through discussion groups with staff consultants. They also must plan for the next day's activities.

In addition to learning the role of IGE teachers and principals they learn their new role as an IGE facilitator in a separate three-day session. Thus, through movies, filmstrips, tapes and simulations, they learn how to answer questions on IGE from professionals and interested citizenry; they talk about ways of recruiting schools into League of Cooperating Schools which will implement IGE; they prepare plans for reactions by workshop consultants which they will use to recruit schools, hold the first league meeting and train principals and unit leaders.

Facilitators must have achieved all the outcomes designated for them prior to leaving the clinic, so in some cases this may be more or less than three days. "We anticipate a few facilitators may be around as long as five days curing this period and other facilitators will need additional help in a school situation before they are deemed to have satisfactorily achieved all the outcomes," Bahner says.



#### **Costs and Facilities**

In any new program, the questions of how much it will cost and what kind of building arrangement will be needed always arise. And IGE is no different. The first staff cost that must be considered is the possibility of a higher rate of pay for unit leaders. The Wisconsin center recommends that unit leaders receive salaries 20% above those of staff teachers. In reality, unit leaders are receiving from 4% to 10% more than staff teachers. While the amount a district is prepared to spend is entirely up to the local district, the establishment of the new career position, that of the unit leader, calls for higher pay for the additional work and responsibility.

Another cost is for noncertified teaching aides. Some districts have used volunteer aides. Others use paid aides. By and large, most districts find that paid aides are more dependable, appear on a more regular basis and offer less confusion to the unit. One problem with volunteer aides is that they may only work one or two days a week.

The Wisconsin center suggests that a district planning to implement IGE should allocate at least \$10 per pupil during the first two years for any combination of one instructional aide per 150 children, additional instructional materials and higher pay for the unit leader. Some districts report that this figure is too low, depending on the cost of aides, the kinds of materials the district is buying and other items. The \$10 per-pupil cost per 150 students is generally low if an instructional aide is included. If a paid aide is added, the cost will generally double. Many districts have tried using parents on a volunteer basis but, in most cases, this has not worked out. It has saved some money, but many programs have suffered because parents generally are not able to serve on a regular basis. Other costs for staff development will include pay for teachers attending workshops, travel expenses to and from workshops, and so on. These staff development activities may be an addition to what the district had before starting multiunit schools.

An area of savings to school districts is reported by Norman Graper, principal of Wilson Elementary School in Janesville, Wis., one of the first multiunit schools in the nation. Graper says that hiring more aides and buying additional materials increased the school's operating costs, but that the increase was offset by savings gained by reducing the number of substitutes. When one member of a team was absent, other members of the team could fill in without any great loss of efficiency.

The cost of remodeling a school to provide the ideal space for IGE could be prohibitive. Therefore, the Wisconsin center recommends that as a minimum, walls of older buildings should be removed so that two well supplied instructional resource centers can be arranged, one to accommodate at least 90 intermediate-age children and another for at least 60 primary-age children. This creates most of the area needed for some large- and small-group instruction, one-to-one student-teacher instruction and independent study.

The Wisconsin center says that although there may be additional costs for a salary increase for the lead teacher, inservice training above current levels, facilities that may be outmoded, and aides not presently employed, it is extremely difficult to project exact increases for any given district.



#### **HOW EFFECTIVE IS IGE?**

Visits to IGE schools show there is no single set of IGE practices in operation. Even with the multiunit organization itself there are a number of variations in structure, policies and practices. A small percentage of the schools in their second year are not completely organized into units and continue partly in units and partly in age-graded classrooms. Also in some schools completely organized into units, the degree of implementation of the instructional programming model is diverse. Thus, some schools are effectively programming for the individual student in only one subject area, even after several years as IGE schools.

The degree of effectiveness seems to depend largely on the extent to which the various IGE components are implemented. The schools completely organized into units and also employing the instructional programming model in two or more curriculum areas are best able to understand the strengths and weaknesses of each child and can better use the skills and abilities of the unit staff to work in the various curriculum areas.

The importance of well functioning units and of strong principal leader-ship of the IIC is documented in a study of multiunit schools undertaken during the second semester of the 1967-68 school year. At that time the first multiunit schools were in their first year of operation and no instructional materials designed specifically for IGE were available from the Wisconsin center. Roland L. Pellegrin of the Center for the Advanced Study of Educational Administration (CASEA) at the U. of Oregon carried out the study.

Six schools were included in this study—both a multiunit school and a control school in three different communities. Two reports resulted from the studies, one dealing with decision making and professional satisfaction and the other with organizational characteristics of the multiunit school.

## **Decision Making and Job Satisfaction**

Overall, the study showed more participation by unit leaders and teachers in cooperative decision making about instruction and related matters in the three multiunit schools. In the control schools, decision making affecting classroom instruction was generally the prerogative of individual teachers, who were the primary decision makers, and the principal, who provided advice to individual teachers or set the limits within which individual teachers could make the decisions. In the multiunit schools, decisions were typically made by the unit staff in cooperation with the principal. Thus, whereas each teacher in the conventionally organized schools had more decision—making power



when it came to his own classroom, the multiunit teachers had greater responsibility for making policy decisions involving all the children of the respective units and also of the entire school building.

Job satisfaction and teacher morale were much higher in multiunit schools, the CASEA study found. Teachers were administered a 10-item job satisfaction scale. On three items, responses were similar for the two sets of schools. But there were significant differences on the other seven items, all in favor of the multiunit schools. These items and the percentages of teachers expressing high satisfaction follow:

	Multiunit Schools	Control Schools
Satisfaction with progress towards one's personal goals in present position.	29%	16%
Satisfaction with personal relationships with administrators and supervisors.	56%	44%
Opportunity to accept responsibility for one's own work or the work of others.	58%	47%
Seeing positive results from one's efforts.	39%	15%
Personal relationships with fellow teachers.	72%	57%
Satisfaction with present job in light of one's career expectations.	54%	42%
The availability of per- tinent instructional aids and materials.	58%	32%

The CASEA team identified the following seven conditions which had a bearing on the high rate of satisfaction among multiunit teachers:

- The teacher is part of a group endeavor, rather than working in relative isolation. There are opportunities for close ties of cooperation among unit members.
- To a greater degree than in the control schools, teachers in the multiunit schools are able to concentrate on teaching, planning and preparing for instruction. Two reasons were given credit for this: (a) instructional and clerical aides, where they exist, relieve the teacher from routine work; and (b) nonteaching tasks performed by teachers in



traditional schools can be carried out by one person in a unit in the multiunit school.

- Teachers in multiunit schools see their environment as being freer, less rigid and more open to experimentation.
- Various forms of specialization are emerging in multiumit schools which make it possible for teachers to select duties according to their interests and talents and at the same time feel that they are heightening the effectiveness of the unit.
- An immediate resource person, the unit leader, is readily available to provide assistance, advice and consultation.
- The work environment of the multiunit school is new and may, for the short run, provide a positive influence on job satisfaction.
- Changes in the patterns of authority and decision making contribute to job satisfaction.

# **Organizational Characteristics**

Pellegrin's study dealt both with interaction patterns in multiunit and control schools and also with the division of labor (specialization in the unit and the role of the unit leader). Following are highlights:

<u>Interaction patterns</u>. Consistently, these early multiunit schools were successful in encouraging cooperative activities. Within an I & R unit, there were close relationships involving joint decision making between teachers (other than unit leaders) and the principal. In the control schools, the individual teachers were more dependent on the principal, and there was considerably less interaction among the teachers. This varied somewhat, particularly when teachers at one grade level coordinated their activities.

<u>Division of labor</u>. By and large, when specialization is discussed on an elementary school level, it is usually thought of as either subject-matter specialization or departmentalization and is usually considered in a negative light. This is generally true of both teachers and principals. In the multi-unit school, however, there is a certain degree of specialization.

CASEA found three conventional forms of specialization as well as some less conventional forms in the three schools studied. Conventional forms are:

- Specialization by subject-matter. That is, one teacher in the unit may be more skilled at teaching science while another may be more skilled in other subject areas.
- Specialization by grade level. This is particularly true in larger units, despite the abolition of grades.
- Specialization by ability groupings. Often, because of particular skills or teaching techniques, some teachers work with various children who



are grouped by ability. Grouping by intellectual ability is not recommended by either the Wisconsin center or I/D/E/A.

Of the unconventional forms of specialization, the study team found three main types:

- Some teachers devote most of their time to working with individual students, while others work mainly with small groups or class-sized units. In two of the schools studied, individualization and small-group instruction were heavily emphasized. In those schools, some teachers reported spending up to 75% of their time working with individual students. Other teachers reported spending up to the same amount of time with small groups. In summing up on this point, the study team reported: "In the light of the emphasis given to individual and small-group instruction in the multiunit system, the development of such specializations are to be anticipated. There are, however, disparities in the amount of such instruction from one unit to another within a school. One of the schools had retained class-sized groups almost exclusively. Individualized instruction in this school consisted almost entirely of routine drill by instructional aides."
- The second type of specialization emerging in the multiunit school was that of teachers serving as expert advisors to the other teachers in their unit. In the obvious case, the teacher serving as the expert had some special training in that area. At other times, the teacher who served as the expert may have been asked to take responsibility for learning about developments in a particular area and then keeping the other members of the unit informed. This kind of specialization was found to be "a highly promising development by the CASEA study team. It permits a type of accumulation and pooling of knowledge not possible under different circumstances."
- The third type of specialization found relates to special assignments. In several units studied by the CASEA team, teachers were given special responsibilities for planning units of instruction. In one unit, the teachers planned different phases of the instructional units and each took responsibility for one or more phases of the total process. Such assignments were often temporary. This type of division, the report said, "offers opportunities to get jobs done that could hardly be obtained in a more permanent and fixed division of labor."

## **Questions on Organization and Personnel**

While the report itself stated that "it seems safe to say that the multiunit school holds high promise of ameliorating some of the endemic problems encoutered in elementary schools," a number of questions were raised about the organizational structure and roles of personnel:

1. What is the relationship between unit size and unit effectiveness? The CASEA study found that in smaller units, the degree of interdependence between teachers and between teachers and the unit leader was greater than in the larger unit. In larger units (for example, in one



with a unit leader and eight teachers), there was a tendency to become segmented into subgroups based largely on the initial grade level of the children before organizing into units.

- 2. What are the functions of the IIC? Two of the three multiunit schools studied by CASEA in the spring of 1968 had an IIC. (All three had IICs in 1970-71 and thereafter.) In one of these two schools, the IIC functioned primarily as a vehicle for channeling news to teachers. In the other schools with an IIC more time was spent in discussing questions relating to instruction, but even so there were misunderstandings concerning the exact functions of the committee. Further, there was a problem of conflicting authority between the IIC and the individual units. The question of which decisions were to be the exclusive domain of the unit members and which were to be made for the entire school by the IIC was never clearly stated, according to the study report.
- 3. What is the role of the unit leader and what is the role of the principal? The CASEA study devoted considerable attention to the relationships of the unit leader and principal and the divisions of labor between them. Among the three multiunit schools, there was no general agreement concerning the roles which should be emphasized in these positions. Particularly variable were the instructional-leadership tasks handled by the unit leader. In many cases, unit leaders had assumed tasks which should have been handled by the principal, according to the Wisconsin center model. In addition, it was clear that the principal's instructional leadership role should be different in a multiunit school—he will carry out his leadership more with the unit leaders, less with individual staff teachers. Yet, what his role should be, particularly when a unit experienced difficulty, was hard to determine.

In fact, the role of the principal is so hard to determine that even the principals themselves have a hard time defining it. Many principals have found that their main duty becomes one of passing information to and from unit leaders and teachers and the central office.

Some principals, who were reluctant to give their names, say they have merely become high-priced errand boys and would like to return to a traditional school where they play more of a supervisory role. On the other hand, many principals report they have adjusted easily to working in the IGE system and enjoy the stimulation of using the new methods and systems to help children learn.

The Wisconsin center has since addressed a substantial research and development effort to solve these problems. Center recommendations concerning unit size are mentioned earlier in the discussion of "the organizational set-up"--that is, a unit leader, three to five teachers, an instructional aide, a clerical aide and up to 150 children.

The center's recommendations have come about through five years of working with multiunit schools. Visits to IGE schools and both earlier and later written reports, such as that by CASEA, have shown a variety in the organizational-administrative patterns. Some schools move quickly to several desired conditions—the whole school organized into smoothly functioning I & R units,



regularly scheduled and productive IIC meetings, instruction in two or more curriculum areas carried out according to the model of instructional programming for the individual student, and desirable home-school-community relations. Slowness in moving toward the model is related to conditions within school districts and school buildings and also to the availability of inservice staff development programs, of high quality curriculum material suited to IGE and of other desired working conditions. Both the Wisconsin center and IDEA report on these conditions through their annual evaluation efforts and have long-term commitments to come up with better solutions through continuing efforts with the schools.

# **Making Use of Recommendations**

The Wisconsin center claims its most effective response to the schools' problems in implementing the new organizational-administrative arrangements has been to sharpen its inservice program, including the development of printed materials, slide films and IIC simulations. Also the center has established an implementation team of experienced multiunit building principals and unit leaders to conduct the initial inservice effort.

The center is currently engaged in nationwide implementation which was funded in March 1971 by a special grant from the U.S. Office of Education. The nationwide activities are carried out in a four-phase sequence:

Awareness

Maintenance

Installation

• Refinement

In this effort the center implementation team works with implementation coordinators from various state education agencies and from central offices of large school districts. These coordinators in turn work with the staffs of local schools. Members of the implementation team also work with some of the staff of the local schools.

"Awareness" included information-giving conferences held throughout the country in 1971. The primary target group was building principals.

# "First-year installation" includes four steps:

- 1. A one-day workshop for administrators and central office personnel is conducted the first time in a state or region by the Wisconsin center's staff and later by a state or local coordinator. The objective of the one-day workshop is to develop among state department and central office personnel an awareness of IGE. Chances for success at the building level are greater when a commitment has been made at the school district level. A second objective is to discuss and clarify the written agreement describing responsibilities and working arrangements between the center and implementation agencies as well as the written agreement describing responsibilities and working arrangements between the state implementation agency and the individual schools.
- 2. A three-day workshop for principals and prospective unit leaders is also initially conducted by the Wisconsin center staff. By the end of this workshop participants should be able to:



- Describe the organizational structure of the multiunit school.
- Identify the roles of the various personnel in the multiunit school.
- Explain the elements and processes of the instructional programming model.
- Outline the installation of the multiunit organization and IGE in their building.
- Describe the Wisconsin Design for Reading Skill Development—its elements and their functions.
- Conduct inservice programs for their entire building staff.
- 3. A three- to five-day workshop for the entire staff of each building is conducted prior to the opening of school by school personnel from the two workshops described above. Assistance from the center to only a few districts is possible since these workshops come mostly in August.
- 4. Four half-day inservice sessions for the entire building staff are conducted by implementation agency personnel with assistance as possible during the first year by the center's implementation team.

"Maintenance" includes one-week institutes on college campuses for experienced multiunit personnel. The Wisconsin State Dept. of Public Instruction has demonstrated that multiunit schools can begin operating and survive reasonably well for a year or two with the amount of assistance described earlier. However, field testing by the Wisconsin center staff in 1970-71 showed that many multiunit personnel had not fully acquired mastery of the concepts and were deficient in key skills. To remedy this situation, the Wisconsin center and cooperating teacher education institutions outlined one-week institutes for experienced multiunit principals, unit leaders and staff reading teachers. The one-week institutes for staff teachers of math, science and other curriculum areas will be added as the center develops programs in these areas. The focus of these institutes is to meet the immediate needs of the practicing staff members of multiunit schools.

"Refinement-Institutionalization" includes academic year programs with a practicum for multiunit school personnel--particularly the building principals and unit leader--a master's degree and a post-master's specialist certificate. This program was funded by USOE for only one year but three institutions will probably continue the programs without further USOE support.

Through the preceding implementation strategy, multiunit personnel are being more adequately prepared for their new roles than they were when the CASEA study was conducted in 1968. The Wisconsin center says many of the questions raised by the report concerning organization and roles of personnel have been dealt with in this four-phase installation sequence. It assures initial inservice training for local school staffs as well as continuing assistance from the state education agency and teacher education institutions. Further, the lead teacher role is beginning to be a career position that attracts key instructional personnel who assume much responsibility for planning educational experiences for children and on-the-job education for the unit staff. The building principal's role is also enhanced—he assumes greater initiative for instructional improvement and for better communication with personnel. The environment produced by these personnel in the multiunit setting should encourage self-renewal of the staff and related continuously changing and improved education for children.



#### WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

The growth of IGE schools across the country testifies to the acceptance of the concept by teachers, school administrators, parents and children. In the 1972-73 school year it is estimated that there will be more than 350 new schools working with the Wisconsin center and approximately 200 working with /I/D/E/A/. This will bring the total number of multiunit schools to well above 1,000. Many more schools have expressed an interest in IGE, say proponents, but they do not have the resources required to offer support services to an IGE network. "We can't add days to the calendar and we can't make up the money to hire new staff we'd need to expand the network," says Elaine McGregor, coordinator of statewide networks at the Wisconsin center.

Why the growing interest? School administrators give varying answers based on their own observations; the Wisconsin center cites data from formal studies which supports these practitioners' statements.

# **IGE Expansion**

Take for example the case of Des Moines, Iowa. Through the 1971-72 school year, Des Moines had five elementary schools that had converted to the multiunit model. Eight additional schools converted to the IGE system in the fall of 1972. Why? An answer is offered by James E. Bowman, director of elementary education in Des Moines: "The feedback we have received from teachers, parents and students in the five schools currently using the IGE program has indicated exceptional acceptance of the program and significant academic achievement. We feel confident that this program will be well received by the new schools and we look for excellent academic achievement in those schools in this program."

These comments can be repeated for school systems across the country that have switched to the IGE system. In Xenia, Ohio, William M. Hill, assistant superintendent of schools, says the attitudes of teachers have changed enormously. "We've got better teaching than we ever had before," Hill said. Lawrence D. Morgan of the Oregon City, Ohio, school district, cites team planning that has made the concept truly workable. "It's amazing the creativity that develops. It forces research. Our discipline has improved, and we have found that home-community liaisons have improved."

In Janesville, Wis., community response to the multiunit school has been extremely positive. Wilson Elementary School was one of the first multiunit schools started by the Wisconsin center. Since 1969, ten other Janesville schools have adopted this approach, and parents are demanding more. At a



school board meeting, one parent whose children were not in multiunit schools was quoted as saying, "I'm afraid we are the have nots and we'd rather be the haves." Another parent said he was "completely sold" on the multiunit concept. "It's great. I've seen such a change in my children. I hope all the schools can be this way. My neighbors are sold, too." Norman Graper, principal of the Wilson School, sums up the reasons for increased interest this way: "I think that primarily the children have a better self-image and understanding of what the school is trying to do for them. I think if the child feels good about himself and is learning, that's what sells the program."

### **Data from Current Studies**

Recent data support the contention that a child's self-concept as a learner is better in a multiunit than in a traditionally organized school. The study, "An Analysis of the Relationships of the Multiunit School Organizational Structure and Individually Guided Education to the Learning Climate of Pupils," was conducted in 1971-72 by Richard G. Nelson, a 1972 doctoral candidate at the U. of Wisconsin. (It is being published by the Wisconsin center as Technical Report No. 213.)

Nelson investigated the relationship of the multiunit organization to the learning climate of students. Learning climate was defined as "a combination of the behavioral and attitudinal variables in a pupil's immediate school setting which may affect learning." The variables included factors related to school morale and the student's self-concept as a learner.

The sample used in the study included 25 schools—13 multiunit and 12 control schools. The multiunit schools were selected based on the following criteria: the school must be fully organized in the multiunit pattern, must be in at least its second year of operation and must include students in the 9-12 age range (upper unit). The self-contained control schools were matched on the criteria of geographic location, size and socioeconomic background.

The instruments chosen for gathering data on learning climate included the school morale scale and the "semantic differential of self-concept as a learner." These instruments were combined and modified for use in the study as indicated by a pilot test conducted in one multiunit school and one control school, exclusive of the study's sample. Attendance and tardiness data were also collected using the total enrollment of each school in the sample.

Based on the findings of the study, the following conclusions were drawn with respect to multiunit schools:

- 1. Pupils in multiunit schools exhibited more positive learning attitudes than did pupils in traditionally organized schools.
- 2. Pupils in multiunit schools generally appeared to have a more positive self-concept as learners than did pupils in traditionally organized schools.
- 3. Pupils in multiunit schools displayed a more positive attitude toward their fellow pupils than did pupils in traditionally organized schools.



- 4. There was no difference between multiunit pupils and pupils in traditionally organized schools with respect to their attitude toward teachers.
- 5. Pupils in multiunit schools generally appeared to have a more positive attitude toward instruction than did pupils in traditionally organized schools.
- 6. Pupils in multiunit schools revealed a more positive attitude toward school in general (school morale) than did pupils in traditionally organized schools.
- 7. Pupils in multiunit schools had a more positive attitude toward their school plant than did pupils in traditionally organized schools.
- 8. There was no difference between multiunit pupils and pupils in traditionally organized schools with respect to their attitude toward administration and staff.
- 9. Pupils in multiunit schools exhibited a more positive attitude toward their community than did pupils in traditionally organized schools.
- 10. There was no difference between multiunit school pupils and pupils in traditionally organized schools with respect to their records of attendance and tardiness.

The study cites the following implications of its findings: "Those educators, whether they be school board members, administrators or classroom teachers who include in their list of educational objectives a concern with the attitudes of their pupils should welcome evidence that the school environment can make a difference in these areas." It does caution, however, that adoption of the IGE system "does not, in itself, guarantee an improved learning climate." Analysis of individual school pairs did show that in two districts, pupils in control schools scored higher on several items than did pupils in multiunit schools. The study points out that there are other factors which affect the learning climate (such as teacher personality or the student's home situation).

#### What Makes IGE Work?

The implementation staff from the Wisconsin center believes that in order for the multiunit organization to show positive results it is not only necessary to be fully organized into units, including a functioning IIC, but it is also essential to be employing the instructional programming model (figure 3, p.8) in at least one curriculum area during the first year and in two or more areas thereafter. After all, the multiunit structure is only one component (that is, the organizational-administrative component) of IGE.

Curriculum materials, related statements of instructional objectives and criterion-referenced tests which can be adopted or adapted by schools are needed. The Wisconsin center is developing materials and instructional procedures in reading, prereading, motivation and mathematics. Parts of two of these programs--reading and motivation--are widely available in precommercial



versions for the 1972-73 school year. Field test results on both programs are encouraging.

# **Wisconsin's Reading Program**

The "Wisconsin Design for Reading Skill Development" links essential reading skills with related behavioral objectives and provides machine-scorable, criterion-referenced tests for assessing children's mastery of these skills from kindergarten to sixth grade. Resource materials and management procedures for teachers help them organize programs for individual children. The reading design program is organized into four areas: word attack; study skills; comprehension; and self-directed reading, interpretive reading and creative reading skills.

In the 1970-71 school year, the center began a two-year evaluation of the word attack element of the "Design." Data gathered in 23 schools chosen for intensive study provide an interesting commentary on the effectiveness of the reading program and on practices related to its implementation. The study was designed to represent a variety of community settings, reading achievement levels and school structures.

Pupil performance was evaluated with respect to the 45 word attack objectives. Specifically, performance of children who had experienced the word attack program for six months was compared to performance of non-participating pupils of the same age/grade characteristics in the same school one year earlier. In addition, standardized measures of performance on skills similar to those specified in the word attack element were applied and comparisons made between results for children who had participated in the program and those who had not.

Not surprisingly, the strongest effect of the program was revealed in the tests associated with the 45 word attack objectives. On more than 90% of the objectives, achievement of children with six months of word attack instruction was higher than that of children who had not participated in the program. This finding pertained to all subcategories of schools, including inner city and multiunit schools, as well as to the total number of schools.

Confirmation of improvement in the general area of word attack skills was provided by administering appropriate subtests of the Cooperative Primary and Stanford Achievement Test Batteries. In all instances, children who had participated in the word attack program scored as well as or better than children who had not had the design on measures of word analysis. In some of the inner city schools, dramatic gains were observed in the Cooperative Primary Phonics Analysis Test.

Since 11 of the field test schools were organized in conventional agegraded, self-contained classrooms, it was possible to look at the effect of introducing an IGE-oriented instructional program on a non-IGE organization.

The most encouraging result was that all schools reported cooperative planning and exchanging of pupils among teachers working at the same grade levels. Principals interviewed were enthusiastic about increased staff inter-



action, improved communication within the school, and better utilization of reading specialists which the design encouraged. Two of the self-contained schools elected to go multiunit at the end of the first field test year, and four other principals reported they were considering changing over in two years.

# **Wisconsin's Motivation Program**

The other instructional program developed by the Wisconsin center is Individually Guided Motivation (IGM)—a system of school motivation with a related inservice program for teachers. It calls for a cooperative effort in identifying general motivational objectives for all children in the school and then planning and carrying out motivational—instructional procedures based on each child's present level of motivation, achievement and self-direction. This program is being widely distributed by the Wisconsin center on a precommercial basis in 1972—73 and will be commercially available beginning in 1973. It was developed according to the center's model of instructional programming for the individual student (see figure 3, p.8) and has undergone extensive field testing.

Four motivational-instructional procedures provide the main means for aiding children who are low in motivation, achievement or self-direction:

- Teacher-child goal-setting conferences related to subject matter learning.
- Adult-child conferences to promote independent reading.
- Small-group conferences to encourage self-directed prosocial behaviors.
- Guiding older students as tutors of younger students.

Evaluations of the first three procedures and related inservice programs and materials in a number of Wisconsin schools indicate significant increases in student motivation and achievement accrue from using IGM procedures.

Three groups of students--totaling about 50 children--in three different Wisconsin schools made positive and at times dramatic gains in achievement while participating in the goal-setting conferences. Each group was made up of students whose rate of progress was very slow in a given skill area--math, word attack skills and sight vocabulary. Following a two-month period of individual goal-setting conferences, definite improvement was recorded for all three groups compared to a base period prior to the test. In all three, students' rate of progress after conferences ended remained high compared to the period before testing began.

In a field test of individual conferences to promote independent reading in 1970-71, the 65 adults who had conferences with 360 children reported large increases in the number of books the children read independently. In addition, grade equivalent gains on standardized tests of one year or more were observed for comprehension in grade 4 and reading speed in grade 6.

A small-scale evaluation of the small-group conferences to encourage self-directed prosocial behaviors was carried out during the 1971-72 school year. Early results are that children modified their behaviors to meet the goals which they set for themselves with teacher guidance. An important side effect of the conferences was increased communication and interaction



between students and teachers. A number of schools using the program found out more about their students' attitudes and other individual characteristics.

Officials of the Wisconsin center say the results obtained through use of the reading and motivation programs indicate the desirable effects of a concerted attack on curriculum improvement as proposed by a model of instructional programming for the individual student. They say that: the multiunit organization brings increased professional satisfaction among staff members and provides the flexibility necessary for scheduling instruction for the individual student; instructional materials and procedures designed specifically for individualizing instruction provide the means whereby a child can actually work at his own rate, in his own style, according to his own needs.

## What's IGE's Future?

What's ahead for tomorrow and the near future? There are already a few middle schools listed among IGE schools. And IGE specialists predict that in the next two to three years, IGE is going to expand into the secondary domain and that the number of middle schools, junior high schools and senior high schools will add appreciably to the list of operating multiunit schools. The Wisconsin center has developed an IGE model for secondary schools that will undergo pilot testing in a few schools during 1972-73. Administrators at the center say it takes at least three years from the formulation of a model through testing it in a variety of settings, and developing and testing a related inservice program. Until the inservice program is available and the costs for the new practices are competitive with existing practices, the center does not attempt to implement on a wide scale.

/I/D/E/A/ is also moving toward an IGE high school model. Its staff members foresee interdisciplinary learning units consisting of from six to nine teachers at the high school level and 10 to 12 teachers at the middle or junior high school level. The model-sized unit for an elementary school by comparison, is from three to five teachers. The basic elements of the secondary model would be the same as those in the elementary model, and /I/D/E/A/ set December 1972 as the target date for completion of its inservice program and materials for the middle and junior high models and December 1973 for completion of the high school model.

Under the /I/D/E/A/ setup, elementary school IGE would cover children aged 5 to 12; middle and junior high school IGE would serve students aged 10 to 15; and high school IGE would serve students 14 to 19. The /I/D/E/A/ concept of leagues to provide inter-unit linkages would be continued with separate leagues for elementary schools; separate leagues for middle, junior high and senior high schools; and combined leagues of elementary and middle schools.

/I/D/E/A/ and the Wisconsin center predict that their continued refinement and expansion of IGE will establish the IGE system as an accepted practice in America's schools for quite some time ahead. They say all education indicators point to continuing and growing interest in providing individualization of instruction for children. They see IGE as an opportunity for teachers to provide this individualized service within a structure which gives them freedom to try different approaches while at the same time provid-



ing them with assistance and consultation and the support of other teachers who are also working with IGE.

Perhaps the success of the IGE system, its proponents say, is not that it is a highly organized program in the sense that it sets up all the steps for teachers and students, but that it is an umbrella structure that provides a format for trying all kinds of different teaching methods, techniques and strategies with one basic idea in mind—giving each child the opportunity to learn with materials that are most suited to him and in a situation that is most suitable to his style of learning.

IGE proponents also point out that the IGE system with its models for organization and instruction is far more appealing to many teachers than the seemingly free "open classroom" because it offers the same kind of freedom to teachers and children and allows them to work in the atmosphere that is most suitable for both.

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#### WORDS TO THE WISE

If there is any concrete advice that IGE participants feel should be offered to new school districts going into the IGE system, it is this: "Be sure that the people involved (that is, teachers, unit leaders and principals) know exactly what is entailed in the multiunit school program."

This advice was repeated by a number of school superintendents, principals, teachers and unit leaders. Roughly 90% of those interviewed stressed the importance of thorough teacher training and preparation. Some of the teachers interviewed made this additional comment: "If we aren't fully prepared and knowledgeable about what is involved in IGE, the program is going to flop. No matter how enthusiastic we are about the concept, putting it into operation requires complete understanding by all involved."

John Levigne, superintendent of schools in River Edge, N.J., added a few other comments: "Don't label the program. If you can upgrade logically and successfully, do it. Don't publicize it." When the plan was first broached at a public meeting in River Edge during the fall of 1971, Levigne added, a number of questions were raised that were difficult to answer to everyone's satisfaction.

"We have a K-6 school system, and our secondary school students go to a regional junior-senior high school district. One of the big concerns was, 'if you educate children under these new types of approaches, how will they fit into the junior high school setup?' Of course we explained that the junior high school staff was aware of what we were trying to do, and they knew they might have to make some adjustments for our children," Levigne explained.

"Then, of course, we got the standard question, 'We have a good school system, why change it?' How can you answer that question? We tried to tell people that no matter how good a school system is, if something worthwhile comes along, it is to the benefit of the students to try it. Who knows, it might make our good schools better."

In River Edge, IGE will be instituted in three schools. One school, with a K-4 enrollment, will be completely multiunit except for the kindergarten. The other two consist of grades 4-6 and in each school there will be an intermediate 4-5-6 unit. In New Jersey, the state education department selected 25 districts to participate in its program, which concentrated on training teachers and unit leaders to make them thoroughly familiar with the program.

Of 55 teachers and specialists in the River Edge system, 20 teachers wanted to take part in the multiunit plan. Of these, 12 classroom teachers



and two reading specialists were selected for the IGE system. For most of the teachers, the changes were drastic. "We were tired of going it alone," a number of them said. "We wanted a chance to work together professionally and really put into practice a lot of the ideas we had heard about." "This is really the emancipation of the classroom teacher," another teacher said. "No longer are we isolated within four walls and 25 children. Now we have a chance to really try teaching according to the way we learned."

Levigne and the staff feel strongly about IGE. "We want to promote the program. For the first time, we have an overall means to pull together the innovations of the past 20 years. And, despite what the critics say, the children will not be hurt. How can they be hurt when you offer them a variety of teaching situations and a variety of teachers. But the key to the whole program is enthusiastic teachers who are fully informed and feel capable of handling any situation."

In Livingston, N.J., Herbert Andlauer, the director of curriculum, also feels strongly about IGE and the multiunit school. "For the first time, we are putting into practice many of the concepts to which we have given lip service for many years. When you talk about individualized instruction, team teaching, individual assessments, you are talking about innovative ideas that have been around for a number of years. When you talk about the multiunit school, you talk about an umbrella program that permits the practical application of these and other innovations that have never really made it into the schools on a large scale."

Of Livingston's 3,875 students in grades K-6, about 520 in one of its schools were using the IGE system in math in the fall of 1972. "We felt that it would be easier and more proper to train our teachers to work more competently in one area at first. Later, of course, IGE will be expanded to include other subject areas."

The principal of Livingston's Callins School is deeply involved in the program. Of him, Andlauer said, "He was way ahead of it. Even before we ever heard of IGE or the multiunit school, he was trying to implement some of the elements that are part of IGE. As soon as there was a possibility of a state grant to work on IGE, he was all for it."

The principal, Leonard Bernstein, believes in IGE and the opportunities it offers to individualize instruction for each child. "Any one who says that you can teach the same thing to 25 youngsters and expect them to learn at the same rate and with the same degree of comprehension, doesn't know very much about children. IGE gives us the opportunity to devise individual teaching strategies for each youngster. For those who learn better in lecture type situations, there will be large-group instruction. For those who work better with one or two other children and a teacher, there is very small group instruction. We can provide different instructional settings, different kinds of materials and different teachers. You just can't do this in the traditional self-contained classroom," Bernstein said.

One problem the school district faced was the local education association. "The association was leery at first," Andlauer explained, "but the staff at Callins was totally enthusiastic. Their enthusiasm spread and now



we have another school that wants to get involved in IGE. Of our eight schools, some six have expressed varying degrees of interest.

"Two points of advice that I would offer school districts planning to start with IGE: work through your teachers. You cannot issue a proclamation or orders saying that a school will become an IGE school," Andlauer added. "The staff has to be the forcing agent. Make sure it's something the staff wants, only then can you commit the district. Second, make sure your teachers are thoroughly trained. No matter how enthusiastic the teachers are, they have to know what is expected of them. There is a lot of work involved on their part and if they aren't prepared for it, the whole thing will fall apart."

Livingston teachers are presently involved in weekly training sessions, and unit leaders are attending regional seminars, bringing back information and then passing it on to the staff. Twenty teachers are involved, and so far their enthusiasm has not diminished. "It's a lot of work," said one teacher. "There are so many things to keep in mind. And you really have to get to know the children. But it is satisfying to work with a group of teachers who are really professional. That, and the knowledge that you are going to make the education of each child individual and personally relevant, makes all the work worthwhile."

Another teacher agreed and then added: "You know, we talk about individualizing instruction for youngsters. I guess to some degree I did some individualizing within my own classroom. But to be able to offer each child different kinds of learning chances, with a teacher who might be more compatible, and with materials that might be closer to that child's mark, that's really individualizing. And that is great."

Cassadaga Valley Central School District in New York is somewhat different from the two New Jersey school districts. Cassadaga Valley has four IGE multiunit schools at the elementary level. Two of the schools have been multiunit schools since 1968, so the experience and advice from school officials, teachers and principals there perhaps carry more weight. Frederick Wilson, redesign coordinator for the school district, gives this advice: "Be sure that everyone--principals, unit leaders and teachers, especially the teachers--who are involved in the multiunit school knows exactly what the multiunit school operation entails. Unless the staff and everyone connected with any new system in the school knows the complete works, there will be problems. This is especially true for IGE because it really forces drastic changes in school organization and operation."

Successful implementation of IGE in Cassadaga is testified to by the two additional schools now in the program and the spread of the program to another school district in the same county in western New York. The four schools in Cassadaga serve about 800 students, almost the entire elementary school enrollment. When the multiunit school was initially organized, all subject areas were covered. "We felt that it was the best way to go. We just made sure that our teachers were well prepared for the setup."

Wilson cites two possible areas of concern in initiating the IGE system: teachers and parents. "We were extremely fortunate. The teachers in our



system were ready, willing and able to adapt to the IGE system. They were interested and involved in it right from the start. Without their initial interest in IGE and the multiunit school, we would never have gotten the program off the ground. Also, since we do have excellent school-community relations, there was no problem in getting parental acceptance of the program."

Wilson strongly recommended that principals be given a major role in setting up the program, training the teachers and developing the learning units.

Teachers in Cassadaga strongly recommend IGE. One teacher observed:
"There's no other way to go. In the self-contained classroom all I did was give lip service to the great ideals of individualized instruction and a lot of other ideas for improving education. It was just impossible to keep up with everything. Now, I not only have time to teach the way any involved teacher wants to, but I also have the time to see if I'm hitting the mark. With the constant evaluation of the children, I can tell almost immediately who needs help. And with the other teachers in the unit, we can work out the best learning program for each child. I'm learning all the time. From those teachers who have better techniques for reaching certain children, I'm learning how to do my job better. I feel that there's no better educational setup for both the children and the teachers."

Other teachers, too, expressed similar feelings. "It's amazing how good I feel when I see a youngster get the understanding of an idea or concept and to know that the school and the teachers are really working for the child. For too long, schools were school centered. New programs would come along and we'd grab them because there were federal or state moneys attached. This is something the local district is operating, and even more directly, it's really school organized, not district controlled. It's the best thing I've run across in my years of teaching."

Despite the limited sample, there's no doubt that once teachers, unit leaders and principals get into the IGE system, they really become enthusiastic about the possibilities it offers them and the children. However, as most of them say, if you're not prepared, you can't do the job right.



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