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About the Bibliography

Scope and Sources

This bibliography provides a comprehensive guide to resource material, research findings, and developments related to Public Libraries and Mexican Americans. This is a Selected Topics Bibliography which is issued to cover a particular subject; it is not to be confused with the bibliographies issued annually covering the six scope areas of ERIC/CRESS. The bibliography is drawn from issues of Resources in Education and Current Index to Journals in Education.

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RIE abstracts contain subject, author, and institution indexes,

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New Mexico State University
Box 3AP
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88003

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- AN = Accession number - identification number sequentially assigned to documents and/or journal articles as they are processed
CHAN = Clearinghouse Accession Number
TI = Title
AU = Authors
OS = Organizational Source
SO = Source (as from a journal)
PD = Publication Date
NO = Number of Pages and Notes
IS = Issue of RIE or CIJE in which citation appears
PR = EDRS Price
AV = Alternate Availability
SPO = Sponsoring Agency
CG = NIE or USOE Contract/grant number under which research was done
BN = Bureau Number (report number given by originator)
DT = Document Type
IT = Index Terms - descriptors which characterize content
ST = Supplementary Terms - identifiers not found in Thesaurus of ERIC Descriptors
AB = Abstract
() = Abstractor's initials always placed at end of abstract

SAMPLE ABSTRACT

- AN - ED066173
CHAN - L1003805
TI - A SYSTEMS ANALYSIS OF SOUTHWESTERN SPANISH SPEAKING USERS AND NONUSERS OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES DEVELOPING CRITERIA TO DESIGN AN OPTIMAL MODEL CONCEPT. FINAL REPORT.
OS - NATIONAL EDUCATION RESOURCES INST., INC., WASHINGTON, D.C.
PD - 30 JUN 72
NO - 463P.;(113 REFERENCES)
IS - RIE72DEC
PR - EDRS PRICE MF-\$0.65 HC-\$16.45
SPO - BUREAU OF LIBRARIES AND EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY (DHEW/OE). WASHINGTON, D.C.
CG - OEG-0-70-1933
IT - EVALUATION; *INFORMATION SERVICES; *LIBRARY SERVICES
IT - MEXICAN AMERICANS; *PUBLIC LIBRARIES; *SPANISH SPEAKING;
IT - SURVEYS; *USE STUDIES
AB - THIS PROJECT WAS CONCEIVED TO SCIENTIFICALLY FACTOR THE ELEMENTS OF IMPORTANCE AND THEN TO FORMULATE LIBRARY SYSTEMS CONCEPTS THAT WOULD HAVE SHORT AND LONG RANGE MEANING TO THE MEXICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY.

AN - ED125671
 CHAN- IRO03787
 TI - NARRATIVE REPORT OF THE EL CENTRO DE LA CAUSA LIBRARY PROJECT,
 1973-1975.
 OS - CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY. ILL.
 PD - 22 NOV 75
 NO - 31P.
 IS - RIE76NOV
 PR - EDRS PRICE MF-\$0.83 HC-\$2.06 PLUS POSTAGE.
 SPO - BUREAU OF LIBRARIES AND LEARNING RESOURCES (DHEW/OE), WASHINGTON,
 D.C.
 CG - OEG-0-73-0843
 DT - K
 IT - BRANCH LIBRARIES; *COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS; COOPERATIVE PROGRAMS
 IT - EVALUATION; INFORMATION NEEDS; INTERINSTITUTIONAL COOPERATION
 IT - LIBRARY PROGRAMS; *LIBRARY SERVICES; OUTREACH PROGRAMS
 IT - *PUBLIC LIBRARIES; *SPANISH SPEAKING
 ST - *CHICAGO
 AB - EL CENTRO DE LA CAUSA AND THE CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY COOPERATED
 IN A PROGRAM TO SERVE CHICAGO'S SPANISH SPEAKING POPULATION. THE
 PROJECT ASSESSED NEEDS AND DESIGNED PROGRAMS TO MEET THOSE NEEDS
 BY ESTABLISHING A LIBRARY IN EL CENTRO'S COMMUNITY CENTER AND
 SOME OUTREACH PROGRAMS. AN ACTIVE ACQUISITIONS PROGRAM FOR
 SPANISH LANGUAGE MATERIALS WAS DEVELOPED. IN THE SECOND YEAR THE
 TWO ORGANIZATIONS EXPANDED THEIR ACTIVITIES TO INCLUDE AN
 EDUCATION COMPONENT, A RESEARCH COMPONENT, SERVICES TO SENIORS
 AND TO OTHER COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS, AND PUBLICATION OF A
 BILINGUAL NEWS BULLETIN AND CALENDAR. AS A RESULT OF A PROJECT
 EVALUATION, RECOMMENDATIONS WERE MADE TO ESTABLISH MORE LIBRARIES
 IN PUBLIC MEETING PLACES, TO DEVELOP NEW SERVICES FOR SPECIAL
 POPULATIONS, AND TO REORGANIZE LIBRARY SERVICES TO SERVE THE
 PUBLIC MORE FULLY. (LS)

AN - ED124158
 CHAN- IRO03548
 TI - LIBRARY SERVICE TO THE SPANISH-SPEAKING IN THE PUBLIC LIBRARIES
 OF THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA.
 AU - PAUL, HERBERT JEFFERY
 OS - SAN JOSE STATE UNIV., CALIF. DEPT. OF LIBRARIANSHIP.
 PD - FEB 76
 NO - 80P.; MASTER'S RESEARCH PAPER, SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY
 IS - RIE76OCT
 PR - EDRS PRICE MF-\$0.83 HC-\$4.67 PLUS POSTAGE.
 DT - B
 IT - COMMUNITY CHARACTERISTICS; LIBRARY COLLECTIONS; *LIBRARY SERVICES
 IT - *LIBRARY SURVEYS; MASTERS THESES; *PUBLIC LIBRARIES
 IT - *SPANISH SPEAKING
 ST - *CALIFORNIA (SAN FRANCISCO)
 AB - A SURVEY OF 18 SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA LIBRARIES ACTIVELY SERVING
 THE SPANISH SPEAKING COMMUNITY WAS UNDERTAKEN TO DETERMINE THE
 STATE OF LIBRARY SERVICE TO THIS POPULATION. INVESTIGATION SHOWED
 INCREASES SINCE 1967 IN THE NUMBER OF LIBRARIES PROVIDING SERVICE

TO THE SPANISH SPEAKING. IN THE SIZE OF SPANISH LANGUAGE COLLECTIONS. AND IN THE NUMBER OF LIBRARIES CONDUCTING SURVEYS OF THEIR COMMUNITIES. TABULAR SUMMARIES OF SURVEY RESULTS PROVIDE INFORMATION CONCERNING COLLECTIONS, SERVICES, STAFFS, AND POPULATIONS. APPENDIXES INCLUDE LISTINGS OF LIBRARIES IN THE SURVEY AND OF RESOURCE LIBRARIES AND RESOURCE PERSONS IN THE BAY AREA. A SUMMARY OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS. THE SURVEY QUESTIONNAIRE, AND A 60-ITEM BIBLIOGRAPHY. (EMH)

AN - ED107291
 CHAN- IRO0203B
 TI - AN EVALUATION OF THE EL CENTRO DE LA CAUSA LIBRARY AND INFORMATION CENTER: AUGUST 1973 THROUGH JULY 1974. FINAL REPORT.
 AU - MICHAEL, MARY ELLEN; ENCARNACION, LETICIA
 OS - ILLINOIS UNIV., URBANA. LIBRARY RESEARCH CENTER.
 PD - SEP 74
 NO - 89P.
 IS - R1E75OCT
 PR - EDRS PRICE MF-\$0.76 HC-\$4.43 PLUS POSTAGE
 SPO - CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY, ILL.
 DT - R
 IT - COMMUNITY ATTITUDES; COMMUNITY SURVEYS; EVALUATION
 IT - EVALUATION METHODS; INFORMATION CENTERS; INFORMATION SEEKING
 IT - LIBRARIES; LIBRARY SERVICES; LIBRARY SURVEYS; MEXICAN AMERICANS
 IT - OUTREACH PROGRAMS; PUBLIC LIBRARIES; SPANISH SPEAKING
 IT - USE STUDIES
 ST - CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY; EL CENTRO DE LA CAUSA; TELEPHONE SURVEYS
 AB - AN EVALUATION OF CHICAGO'S EL CENTRO DE LA CAUSA LIBRARY AND INFORMATION CENTER WAS UNDERTAKEN BY THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS LIBRARY RESEARCH CENTER IN 1974. EVALUATION METHODS INCLUDED: (1) A SURVEY OF USER AND NONUSER CHARACTERISTICS AND ATTITUDES CONCERNING LIBRARY SERVICES; (2) A SURVEY OF THE NEEDS AND INFORMATION-SEEKING BEHAVIOR OF PEOPLE WHO VISITED THE LIBRARY; AND (3) AN ANALYSIS OF THE RESOURCES OF THE LIBRARY, SERVICES OFFERED BY LIBRARY PERSONNEL, AND IN-HOUSE USER OF MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT, AND FACILITIES BY CHILDREN AND ADULTS. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT OF SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY ARE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT TOGETHER WITH SAMPLE QUESTIONNAIRES AND DATA COLLECTION FORMS. (DCC)

AN - ED066173
 CHAN- L100380E
 TI - A SYSTEMS ANALYSIS OF SOUTHWESTERN SPANISH SPEAKING USERS AND NONUSERS OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES DEVELOPING CRITERIA TO DESIGN AN OPTIMAL MODEL CONCEPT. FINAL REPORT.
 OS - NATIONAL EDUCATION RESOURCES INST., INC., WASHINGTON, D.C.
 PD - 30 JUN 72
 NO - 463P.:(113 REFERENCES)
 IS - R1E72DEC
 PR - EDRS PRICE MF-\$0.65 HC-\$16.45
 SPO - BUREAU OF LIBRARIES AND EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY (DHEW/OE).

WASHINGTON, D. C.

- CG - OEG-0-70-1933
 IT - EVALUATION; *INFORMATION SERVICES; *LIBRARY SERVICES
 IT - MEXICAN AMERICANS; *PUBLIC LIBRARIES; *SPANISH SPEAKING; SURVEYS
 IT - *USE STUDIES
 AB - THIS PROJECT WAS CONCEIVED TO SCIENTIFICALLY FACTOR THE ELEMENTS OF IMPORTANCE AND THEN TO FORMULATE LIBRARY SYSTEMS CONCEPTS THAT WOULD HAVE SHORT AND LONG RANGE MEANING TO THE MEXICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY. A THREE PHASE PROGRAM WAS INITIATED TO ACHIEVE THESE OBJECTIVES. THE FIRST PHASE WAS A SEVEN GROUP SURVEY TO DETERMINE (1) HOW MANY MEXICAN AMERICANS USE LIBRARY FACILITIES, (2) WHAT ELEMENT OF THE POPULATION THEY REPRESENT, (3) WHAT BENEFITS THEY DERIVE FROM THE SYSTEM AND (4) WHAT SOCIO-ECONOMIC FACTORS AFFECT LIBRARY USAGE IN THE MEXICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY. THE SEVEN SURVEYS INCLUDED: (1) USERS OF LIBRARIES, (2) NON-USERS OF LIBRARIES, (3) TOP LEVEL ADMINISTRATORS OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES, (4) WORKING LIBRARIANS OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES, (5) TOP LEVEL ADMINISTRATORS OF PUBLIC AND PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS, (6) WORKING LIBRARIANS OF PUBLIC AND PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS AND (7) ADMINISTRATORS OF COMMUNITY/JUNIOR COLLEGES. THE SECOND PHASE CONSISTED OF ANALYZING THE DATA OF THE SURVEYS TO DETERMINE THE CITY DEMOGRAPHIC DIFFERENCES OR THE PERSONAL MEXICAN AMERICAN ATTRIBUTES THAT WERE CAUSAL EFFECTS IN LIBRARY USAGE AND NON-USAGE. THE THIRD PHASE EXTENDED THE KNOWLEDGE DERIVED FROM THE SURVEYS TO ANTICIPATE NEAR TERM AND LONG TERM COMMUNITY REQUIREMENTS AND THE LIBRARIES' POSSIBLE RESPONSE AND PARTICIPATION IN THESE NEEDS. (AUTHOR/NH)

- AN - ED060897
 CHAN- L1003565
 TI - WELCOME FIRST--BOOKS LATER; THE SERVICE CENTER BRANCH, RICHMOND PUBLIC LIBRARY, DECEMBER 1967 - JUNE 1971.
 AU - EMMONS, KAREN
 PD - 71
 NO - 286P.:(3.B76 REFERENCES)
 IS - R1E72JUL
 PR - EDRS PRICE MF-\$0.65 HC-\$9.87
 IT - BIBLIOGRAPHIES; *BRANCH LIBRARIES; *DISADVANTAGED ENVIRONMENT
 IT - *DISADVANTAGED YOUTH; LIBRARY, CIRCULATION; LIBRARY MATERIALS
 IT - LIBRARY MATERIAL SELECTION; *LIBRARY SERVICES; *PUBLIC LIBRARIES
 IT - SPANISH AMERICANS; USE STUDIES
 ST - *RICHMOND
 AB - THE EXPERIMENTAL BRANCH LIBRARY DESCRIBED IN THIS REPORT WAS LOCATED IN THE MULTICULTURAL, ECONOMICALLY DEPRESSED DOWNTOWN AREA OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA. THE LIBRARY'S THREE AND A HALF YEARS OF OPERATION ARE DESCRIBED INCLUDING: (1) THE CRITERIA FOR THE SELECTION OF MATERIAL. (2) PROGRAMS AIMED AT ATTRACTING TEEN-AGERS AND YOUNGER CHILDREN TO THE LIBRARY. (3) SPECIAL SERVICES TO BLACK PEOPLE AND THE SPANISH SPEAKING AND (4) UNORTHODOX METHODS OF PROVIDING SERVICES GEARED TOWARD THEIR SPECIAL CLIENTELE. FOLLOWING THE REPORT IS A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF THE SERVICE CENTER BRANCH COLLECTION. (NH)

AN - EJO16299
CHAN- LI500622
TI - OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA: LA BIBLIOTECA LATINO AMERICANA. LIBRARIES
AND THE SPANISH-SPEAKING
AU - WYNN, BARBARA L.
SO - WILSON LIBR BULL; 44; 7; 751-756
PD - 70 MAR
IS - CIJE70
IT - FOREIGN LANGUAGE BOOKS; *LIBRARY PROGRAMS; LIBRARY SERVICES
IT - *MEXICAN AMERICANS; *PUBLIC LIBRARIES; *SPANISH SPEAKING
ST - *OAKLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY
AB - A NEW LIBRARY, SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED FOR THE SPANISH-SPEAKING
COMMUNITY, WAS CREATED FOR OAKLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY'S LATIN
AMERICAN PROJECT. (JB)

AN - EJO16293
CHAN- LI500569
TI - TIME OF THE GRINGO
AU - SHELDON, BROOKE E.
SO - AMER LIBR; 1; 2; 123-127
PD - 70 FEB
IS - CIJE70
IT - BIBLIOGRAPHIES; BILINGUALISM; CULTURALLY DISADVANTAGED
IT - LIBRARIANS; *LIBRARY SERVICES; *MINORITY GROUP CHILDREN
IT - *PUBLIC LIBRARIES; *SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY; *SPANISH AMERICANS
AB - DESCRIBES EFFORTS TO PROVIDE LIBRARY SERVICE TO SPANISH-AMERICANS
IN THE SOUTHWEST. THROUGH BILINGUAL STAFFING, HELPING CHILDREN TO
FEEL PRIDE IN THEIR HERITAGE, AND PROVIDING SERVICE TO THE SOCIAL
AGENCIES. INCLUDES BIBLIOGRAPHY. (JS)

AN - EJO16226
CHAN- LI500626
TI - DENVER, COLORADO: EL NUMERO CINCO
AU - BUCY, FRANCES A.
SO - WILSON LIBR BULL; 44; 7; 765-766
PD - 70 MAR
IS - CIJE70
IT - BILINGUALISM; *BOOKMOBILES; LIBRARY PROGRAMS; *LIBRARY SERVICES
IT - *MEXICAN AMERICANS; *PUBLIC LIBRARIES; SPANISH SPEAKING
ST - *DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY
AB - EL NUMERO CINCO, THE FIFTH IN THE DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY'S
BOOKMOBILE FLEET, WAS DESIGNED TO GO DIRECTLY TO THE HISPANOS AS
A MOBILE EXAMPLE OF ALL LIBRARY SERVICES. (JB)

AN - EJO16225
CHAN- LI500625
TI - CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS. LIBRARIES AND THE SPANISH-SPEAKING
AU - MURPHEY, JOHN A., JR.
SO - WILSON LIBR BULL; 44: 7: 763-765
PO - 70 MAR
IS - CIJE70
IT - CULTURALLY DISADVANTAGED: *DISADVANTAGEO GROUPS
IT - *LIBRARY PROGRAMS: LIBRARY SERVICES; *MEXICAN AMERICANS
IT - *PUBLIC LIBRARIES
ST - *CORPUS CHRISTI PUBLIC LIBRARY
AB - DESCRIBES PARTICIPATION BY THE CORPUS CHRISTI PUBLIC LIBRARY IN
THE POVERTY WAR. (JB)

AN - EJO16224
CHAN- LI500624
TI - MIAMI, FLORIDA. LIBRARIES AND THE SPANISH-SPEAKING
AU - EASON, HELGA H.
SO - WILSON LIBR BULL; 44: 7: 760-763
PD - 70 MAR
IS - CIJE70
IT - BILINGUALISM: LIBRARIANS: *LIBRARY PROGRAMS: *PUBLIC LIBRARIES.
IT - *SPANISH AMERICANS: *SPANISH SPEAKING
ST - CUBANS: *MIAMI PUBLIC LIBRARY
AB - A DESCRIPTION OF MIAMI PUBLIC LIBRARY'S WORK WITH CUBAN REFUGEES.
(JB)

AN - EJO16223
CHAN- LI500623
TI - NEW YORK: THE SOUTH BRONX PROJECT, LIBRARIES AND THE
SPANISH-SPEAKING
AU - LOPEZ, LILLIAN
SO - WILSON LIBR BULL; 44: 7: 757-760
PD - 70 MAR
IS - CIJE70
IT - BILINGUALISM; COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS; FOREIGN LANGUAGE BOOKS
IT - *LIBRARY PROGRAMS; LIBRARY SERVICES; *PUBLIC LIBRARIES
IT - *PUERTO RICANS; *SPANISH SPEAKING
ST - *NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY
AB - THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY'S SOUTH BRONX PROJECT, A FEDERALLY
SUPPORTED DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM, IS DESIGNED TO REACH OUT INTO
THIS URBAN POVERTY AREA OF SPANISH-SPEAKING PEOPLE AND BREAK
THROUGH LOCAL BARRIERS. (AUTHOR/JB)

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The exact number of Clearinghouses has fluctuated over time in response to the shifting needs of the educational community. There are currently 16 Clearinghouses. These are listed below, together with full addresses, telephone numbers, and brief scope notes describing the areas they cover.

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Career Education*

Ohio State University
Center for Vocational Education
1960 Kenny Road
Columbus, Ohio 43210
Telephone: (614) 486-3655

Career education, formal and informal at all levels, encompassing attitudes, self-knowledge, decision-making skills, general and occupational knowledge, and specific vocational and occupational skills, adult and continuing education, formal and informal, relating to occupational, family, leisure, citizen, organizational, and retirement roles, vocational and technical education, including new sub-professional fields, industrial arts, and vocational rehabilitation for the handicapped.

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Counseling and Personnel Services*

University of Michigan
School of Education Building, Room 2108
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109
Telephone: (313) 764-9492

Preparation, practice, and supervision of counselors at all educational levels and in all settings, theoretical development of counseling and guidance, use and results of personnel procedures such as testing, interviewing, disseminating, and analyzing such information, group work and case work, nature of pupil, student, and adult characteristics; personnel workers and their relation to career planning, family consultations, and student orientation activities

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Early Childhood Education*

University of Illinois
College of Education
805 W. Pennsylvania Avenue
Urbana, Illinois 61801
Telephone: (217) 333-1386

Prenatal factors, parental behavior, the physical, psychological, social, educational, and cultural development of children from birth through the primary grades, educational theory, research, and practice related to the development of young children

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Educational Management*

University of Oregon
Eugene, Oregon 97403
Telephone: (503)-686-5043

Leadership, management, and structure of public and private educational organizations; practice and theory of administration, preservice and inservice preparation of administrators, tasks, and processes of administration; methods and varieties of organization, organizational change, and social context of the organization.

Sites, buildings, and equipment for education, planning, financing, constructing, renovating, equipping, maintaining, operating, insuring, utilizing, and evaluating educational facilities

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Handicapped and Gifted Children*

Council for Exceptional Children
1920 Association Drive
Reston, Virginia 22091
Telephone: (703) 620-3660

Aurally handicapped, visually handicapped, mentally handicapped, physically handicapped, emotionally disturbed, speech handicapped, learning disabilities, and the gifted, behavioral, psychomotor, and communication disorders, administration of special education services, preparation and continuing education of professional and para-professional personnel, preschool learning and development of the exceptional, general studies on creativity.

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Higher Education*

George Washington University
One Dupont Circle, Suite 630
Washington, D. C. 20036
Telephone: (202) 296-2597

Various subjects relating to college and university students, college and university conditions and problems, college and university programs. Curricular and instructional problems and programs, faculty, institutional research, Federal programs, professional education (medical, law, etc.), graduate education, university extension programs, teaching-learning, planning, governance, finance, evaluation, interinstitutional arrangements, and management of higher educational institutions.

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Information Resources*

Syracuse University
School of Education
Area of Instructional Technology
Syracuse, New York 13210
Telephone: (315) 423-3640

Management, operation, and use of libraries, the technology to improve their operation and the education, training, and professional activities of librarians and information specialists, Educational techniques involved in microteaching, systems analysis, and programmed instruction employing audiovisual teaching aids and technology, such as television, radio, computers, and cable television, communication satellites, microforms, and public television.

ERIC Clearinghouse for *Junior Colleges*

University of California
Powell Library, Room 96
405 Hilgard Avenue
Los Angeles, California 90024
Telephone: (213) 825-3931

Development, administration, and evaluation of public and private community junior colleges Junior college students, staff, curricula, programs, libraries, and community services

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Languages and Linguistics*
Center for Applied Linguistics
1611 North Kent Street
Arlington, Virginia 22209
Telephone: (703) 528-4312

Languages and linguistics. Instructional methodology, psychology of language learning, cultural and intercultural content, application of linguistics, curricular problems and developments, teacher training and qualifications, language sciences, psycholinguistics, theoretical and applied linguistics, language pedagogy, bilingualism, and commonly taught languages including English for speakers of other languages.

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Reading and Communication Skills*
National Council of Teachers of English
1111 Kenyon Road
Urbana, Illinois 61801
Telephone: (217) 328-3870

Reading, English, and communication skills, preschool through college. Educational research and development in reading, writing, speaking, and listening. Identification, diagnosis, and remediation of reading problems. Speech communication—forensics, mass communication, interpersonal and small group; interaction, interpretation, rhetorical and communication theory; instruction development, speech sciences, and theater. Preparation of instructional staff and related personnel in these areas.

All aspects of reading behavior with emphasis on physiology, psychology, sociology, and teaching. Instructional materials, curricula, tests and measurement, preparation of reading teachers and specialists, and methodology at all levels. Role of libraries and other agencies in fostering and guiding reading. Diagnostic and remedial services in school and clinical settings.

ERIC Clearinghouse on *Rural Education and Small Schools*
New Mexico State University
Box 3AP
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88003
Telephone: (505) 646-2623

Education of Indian Americans, Mexican Americans, Spanish Americans, and migratory farm workers and their children, outdoor education; economic, cultural, social, or other factors related to educational programs in rural areas and small schools, disadvantaged of rural and small school populations.

ERIC Clearinghouse for *Science, Mathematics, and Environmental Education*
Ohio State University
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