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while language has been the chief factor cited as causing Chicano youth to score below the majority population on mental and educational measurement scales, other explanatory factors identified by researchers over the years include socio-economic status, residential area (urban/rural), ethnicity and culture. Citations for 253 studies, books, journal articles, curriculum materials, doctoral dissertations, masters theses and bibliographies, dating from 1923 to 1979, represent an effort to identify available literature pertaining to the achievement and performance of Chicano students. Entries are arranged alphabetically by author, with a separate section for the 32 bibliographies. A brief annotation is included for most entries, along with appropriate bibliographic information, i.e., title, publisher, place and date of publication, volume number and pagination. (NEC)

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This bibliography lists studies, books, curriculum materials, doctoral dissertations, master's theses, and bibliographies on research topics related to educational achievement among Chicano students.

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#### INTRODUCTION

The educational status of Chicano scholastics has been the focus of journal and magazine articles, master theses, doctoral dissertations, and book length articles throughout the decades in this century. Almost invariably, Chicano youth end up scoring below the majority population on mental measurement scales or show up underachieving in educational measurement scales. The factor mentioned as being the chief determinant in this differential pattern is language. However, the increasing awareness by educational researches of the multi-faceted character of the educational underachievement phenomenon among Chicano children has added other explanatory factors: socio-economic status (SES), residential area (urban/rural), ethnicity and culture have been added to the list. The relative contribution of each of these variables to educational achievement among Chicano students awaits determination.

The references cited in these pages represent a beginning step of an effort to summarize available data pertaining to the achievement and performance of Chicano students over the years. The entries include journal and magazine articles, master theses, doctoral dissertations, bibliographies, educational materials, and books. There are two sections in the bibliography; each section is alphabetized. This bibliography does not pretend to be exhaustive and the omission of the many other books, articles, essays, and bibliographies is not intentional.

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The purpose of the short annotations is to give a general idea of what the materials are about. It is hoped that the references listed will help educators, investigators, and students in researching the many issues involved in the educational achievement of Chicanos.

- Articles, Books, Doctoral Dissertations, Masters Theses; and Other Materials,
  - Abrahams, Roger D. and Troike, Rudolph C. (Eds.). Language and Cultural Diversity In American Education. Prentice-Hall, Inc. Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey, 1972.

The article in this book, "The invisible Minority," pp. 55-66, focuses on strategies for engineering changes in schooling for Chicanos. It is based on a report of the NEA-Tucson Survey on the Teaching of Spanish to the Spanish Speaking.

- Altus, William D. Racial and Bilingual Group Differences In Predictability and In Mean Aptitude Test Scores In An Army. Special Training Center. <u>Psychological Bulletin</u>, May 1945, 42, 310-320.
- Altus, William D. The American Mexican: The Survival of A Culture.

  Journal of Social Psychology, May 1949, 211-220.
- Alvarado, Patricio R. and Montalvo, Luis. Mi Primer Libre de Maquinas Simples: Trabajo y Fuerza. Escuela Intermedia Grados 7, 8, y 9. October 1971, 18 pages. ED059638.

This volume defines force and work by suggesting experiments and posing questions concerning drawings in the book which illustrate scientific principles.

Alvarado, Patricio R. and Montalvo, Luis. Mi Tercer Libro de Maquinas Simples: La Rueda y La Polea. Escuela Intermedia Grados 7, 8, y 9. October 1971, 25 pages. ED059637.

This volume explains principles governing wheels and pulleys by suggesting experiments and posing questions concerning drawings in the book which illustrate the scientific principles. Friction is also explained in this volume.

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Alvarado, Patricio R. and Montalvo, Luis. Mi Cuarto Libro de Maquinas Simples: Otras Modificaciones de la Rueda. Escuela Intermedia Grados 7, 8, y 9. October 1971, 22 pages. ED059639.

This volume explains further refinements of the wheel which is introduced in volume three. The fourth volume explains principles behind gears and the relationship between velocity and force.

Drawings illustrate the scientific principles.

Alvarado, Patricio R. and Montalvo, Luis. Mi Segundo Libro de Maquinas Simples: Las Palancas. Escuela Intermedia Grados 7, 8, y 9. October 1971, 25 pages. ED059640.

This book explains the workings of three types of levers and resistance. Drawings illustrate the scientific principles.

Alvarado, Patricio R. and Montalvo, Luís. Mi Quinto Libro de Maquinas Simples: El Plano Inclinado. Escuela Intermedia Grados 7, 8, y 9. October 1971, 19 pages. ED059647.

This volume explains the principles and some of the uses of inclined planes, as they appear in simple machines, by suggesting experiments and posing questions concerning drawings in the book which illustrate the scientific principles.

Anderson, J. G. Patterns of Achievement Among Mexican-American Students. Interim Report, Mathematics Education Program, Southwest Educational Development Laboratory, Research Center, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico. October 1969 (a).

The California Test of Mental Maturity, California Achievement Test, Contemporary Mathematics Test, and Parental Inventory were administered to Chicano students from grades 1, 3, 6, 7, 9-12 in three distinct ecological areas in South El Paso, Texas. Area differences in favor of increasing acculturation were significant at first grade and remained relatively constant across grades.

Anderson, J. G. Factors Affecting Achievement Among Mexican-Americans in A Metropolitan Context. Final Report, Mathematics Education Program, Southwest Educational Development Laboratory, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico. December 1969 (b).

The effects of social composition of students, teachers' instructional approach, and teacher characteristics on school achievement were investigated for 3,204 predominantly Chicano students from three distinct ecological areas in South El Paso, Texas. Students from higher SES performed better on arithmetic achievement tests. Teachers' background, experience, and educational approach affected student performance.

Anderson, J. G. and Evans, F. Achievement and the Achievement Syndrome Among Mexican-American Youth. In Paul Kutsche's Measuring Socio-Cultural Change, Colorado Associated University Press, 1969.

Investigated the role of ethnicity, Anglo/Chicano, and language, monolingual English/bilingual Spanish-English on English and mathematics grades, language skills and mathematics skills, and non-language intelligence scores on a stratified random sample of 163 families in Las Cruces, New Mexico. One finding was that the socialization and cognitive development of Chicano students may lag behind that of Anglo students.

Anderson, J. G. and Johnson, W. Sociocultural Determinates of Achievement Among Mexican-American Students. Monograph from National Conference on Educational Opportunities for Mexican-Americans, April 1968.

The relationship of ethnic background, SES, and characteristics of the student and his family on student's grades in mathematics and English the previous semester was investigated. English grades were significantly better for non-Mexican -Americans and for fourth generation Mexican-Americans in comparison with first through third generation Mexican-Americans. No significant differences were found in mathematics grades.

Anonymous. Investigations of Mental Retardation, Pseudo-Mental Retardation in Relation to Bilingual and Sub-Cultural Factors.

Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, 1960.

Arias, Maria Beatriz. A Bicultural Approach to the Issue of Self-Concept Assessment. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, Stanford University, 1976. DAI: 'November 1976, Vol. 36, No. 5, pp. 2699-700-A.

The study investigated the acculturation process as related to "biculturalism" and assessed the self-concept of Mexican-American and Anglo children. Results on self-concept indicated that children with different cultural identification scored differently on the subtests. And results on cultural identification indicated that children of two ethnic groups have varying degrees of cultural identification.

Atkinson, Rosa M. The Educational Retardation of the Spanish-Speaking Child and Recommendations for Remediation. Master's Thesis, University of Texas, 1953.

Investigates the historical background of the non-acculturation of the Spanish-speaking people. Discovers the causes of retardation through literature analysis and draws recommendations through a specific study of the children in Williamson County, Texas...

Baird, Cynthia. La Raza In Films: A List of Films and Filmstrips, 1972, 77 pages. ED065245.

Over 200 films are listed on a wide variety of topics: educational, historical, bilingual education, etc.

Ballesteros, Octavio (Ed.). Preparing Teachers for Bilingual
Education: Basic Readings. Washington DC: University Press
of America, 1978.

Baty, Roger M. Reeducating Teachers for Cultural Awareness:
Preparation for Education of Mexican-American Children In
Northern California. Praeger Publishers, 111 Fourth Avenue,
New York, New York 10003, 1972, 147 pages. ED066545.

Baty, Roger M. The Effect of Cross-Cultural Inservice Training on Selected Attitudes of Elementary School Teacher Volunteers: A Field Experiment. 1970, 127 pages. ED046902.

This research study was designed to determine the effect of exposure to cultural-social-economic diversity on selected attitudes of elementary school teachers. Results indicated that teachers with more than one year experience with disadvantaged children were more optimistic in their approach and that the training program made participants more liberal in their outlook.

Beard, E. Alice. A Study of Mexican Pupils in Fremont Jr. High School, Pomona, California, 1940-41. Unpublished Master's Thesis, Claremont College, 1941.

Begle, E. G. et al. An Exploratory Analysis of Math Content Structure as it Relates to Cognitive Structure for Chicano Students. SMESG Working Paper No. 11, April, 1975. Unpublished.

This paper discusses a study with Chicano students comparing content structure and cognitive structure in their learning of probability. It was concluded that further study is needed before conclusive statements can be made concerning the effectiveness of the Word Association technique in identifying the cognitive structure of Chicano students.

Begle, E. G. Learning Correlates for Mexican-American Students. Unpublished SMSG Working Paper No. 12, Stanford University, November, 1972.

The relationship of four pre-tests, Five Dots; Necessary Arithmetic Operations, Division, and Factors and Primes with a Factors and Primes post-test was investigated with two predominantly seventh grade classes in San Jose, California. The pre-tests did not correlate with the post-test for Chicano students.

Begle, E. G. Some Lessons Learned by SMSG. The Mathematics Teacher, NCTM (March 1973), pp. 207-214.

This article summarizes the findings of the large scale surveys and investigations undertaken by SMSG. On page 212 mention is made of cultural differences in mathematics-education based on findings of a small study involving Chicano and non-Chicano students.

Begle, E. G. et al. Test Factors, Instructional Programs, and Socio-Cultural-Economic Factors Related to Mathematics Achievement of Chicano Students: A Review of the Literature. SMESG Working Paper No. 10, March 1975. Unpublished.

This is a short review of studies discussed by the Stanford Mathematics Education Study Group (SMESG) over a period of about one year. About 40 studies dealing with various aspects of Chicanos' academic achievement are cited.

Begle, E. G. et al. The Effect of Review of Prerequisite Skills and Concepts on Learning a Topic in Mathematics for Chicano Students. SMESG Working Paper No. 9, February 1975. Unpublished.

The title of this article describes the question investigated with Chicano fifth and sixth grade students in San Jose, California. Results indicated that students learned the prerequisite skills from both versions of the programmed text as measured by the Comprehension Pre-test and Post-test.

Bernal, E. M. Jr. Concept Learning Among Anglo, Black, and Mexican-American Children Using Facilitation Strategies and Bilingual Techniques. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Texas, Austin. Ann Arbor Michigan: University Microfilms, 1971. No. 72-15707.

The effects of pre-training on parallel test items among Blacks, Anglos, and Chicanos at the eighth grade in San Antonio, Texas were investigated. Chicanos and Blacks benefited significantly from the pre-training.

Bradford, H. F. The Mexican Child . . . In Our American Schools.

Arizona Teacher, March 1939, 27, 255-271.

Buckner, H. A. 'A Study of Pupil Elimination and Failure Among Mexicans. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1935.

Cabrera, Ysidro A. A Study of American and Mexican-American Culture Values and Their Significance in Education. Unpublished Ed.D. Dissertation, University of Colorado, 1963.

Cain, M. A. A Study of Relationships Between Selected Factors and the School Achievement of Mexican-American Migrant Children.
Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, Michigan State University. Ann Arbor Michigan: University Microfilms, 1970. No. 71-2043.

The role of age, sex, family relations factors, and "mode of response" to test on Wide-Range Achievement Test, Arithmetic and Reading scores among 58 migrant Chicano children in Michigan was investigated. Arithmetic scores were higher than reading scores for all ages investigated. Casual family relations resulted on lower reading and arithmetic scores.

Caldwell, Floyd F. Teachers' Grades as Criteria of Achievement of
Bilingual Children, Journal of Applied Psychology, April, 1934;
18, 288-292

A study of teachers tendencies to grade Spanish-speaking pupil's above or below hative English speaking children in California.

Caldwell, Floyd F., and Mowry, Mary Davis. Sex Differences in School Achievement Among Spanish-American and Anglo-American Children.

Journal of Educational Sociology, May, 1935, 8, 168-173.

A careful Study on Academic achievement conducted in Southwestern New Mexico.

Caldwell, Floyd F., and Mowry, Mary Davis. The Essay Versus the Objective Examination as Measures of Achievement of Bilingual Children. Journal Of Educational Psychology, December, 1933, 24, 696-702

A study to determine whether the use of new type tests increases or decreases the language pandicaps of Spanish-speaking children.

California Assessment Program. Student Achievement in California Schools: 1977-78 Annual Report. California State Department of Education, 1978.

This report discusses the achievement levels of public school students in California. During the 1977-78 school year all second grade and third grade publis were tested in reading achievement. All publis in grade six and twelve were tested in the basic skills of reading, written expression, spelling, and mathematics. Mathematics achievement scores of "fluent English and another language" and "limited English and another language" and but not at grade twelve.

Cantwell, George C. Differential Prediction of College Grades for Spanish American and Anglo-American Students. Master's Thesis, University of New Mexico, 1946.

Caplan, S. W., and Ruble, R. A. A Study of Culturally Imposed Factors on School Achievement in a Metropolitan Area. Journal of Educational Research, September, 1964, 58, 16-21.

Carlson, Hilding B., and Henderson, Norman. The Intelligence of American Children of Mexican Parentage. Journal of Abnormal and Social Psychology, 1950, 45, 544-551.

This study compares the apparent intelligence of Spanish-speaking children with other foreign origin children in Los Angeles. The bibliography at the end of the article provides additional references related to this topic. For a critique of this article see Pasamanick, Benjamin below.

Carter, Hugh, and Doster, Bernice. Immigration and Naturalization Service Monthly Review, 1951, 8, 88-94.

Carter, Thomas P. Memican-Americans in School: A History of Educational Neglect, College Entrance Examination Board, New York, 1970.

The author discusses the school achievement of Chicanos in the Southwest by the use of data up to 1960. A discussion of the different factors identified is given through the different chapters. Factors such as home environment, culture, language, historico-social, etc. are covered.

Casavantes, Edward Jr. Variables Which Tend to Affect (Impede or Retard) Learning of the Mexican-American Student is American Education. A position paper. Southwestern Cooperative .Educational Laboratory, Albuquerque, New Mexico. August, 1970. ED060990.

An interdisciplinary research study is suggested following a review of the more significant studies that have been attempted to explain the degree of educational retardation of the Mexican-American as related to such factors as life stresses and learning styles.

Castañeda, A. M. The Differential Effectiveness of Two First Grade Mathematics Programs for Disadvantaged Mexican-American Children. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Texas, Austin., Ann Arbor, Michigan: University Microfilms, 1967. No. 68-4264.

The effects of a special teacher and a special math program on arithmetic achievement gains among first grade students from Spanish-speaking homes were investigated. The gains of the experimental group were significantly higher than those of the control group.

Chandler, John T., and Plakos, John. An Investigation of Spanish Speaking Pupils placed in Classes for the Mentally Retarded.

Journal of Mexican-American Studies, 1, (1), 58-63; Fall, 1970. (EJ042507).

Results indicate that many Mexican-American pupils may have been placed in classes for the mentally retarded solely on the basis of performance on an 1.0, test which was invalid for Spanish-speakers. A lengthier version of this article can be found under ED050845 bearing the title "Spanish-Speaking Pupils Classified as Educable Mentally Retarded."

Christiansen, Ted, and Livermore, Gary. A Comparison of Anglo-American and Spanish-American Children on the WISC. Journal of Social Psychology, June, 1970, 81, (1), 9-14 (EJ022271).

The performance of Anglo and Spanish-American children on the WISC; stratified by ethnicity and social class was investigated. One of the findings was that ethnic origin and social class affects the performance on general intelligence and verbal abilities scores.

- Clark, Daniel Hendricks, A Comparison of the Factors Related to Success in Problem Solving in Mathematics for Latin American and Anglo American Students in the Junior High School. Master's Thesis, University of Texas, Austin, 1938.
- Cobb, Wilbur K. Retardation in Elementary Schools of Children of Migratory Laborers in Ventura County, California. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1932.
- Coers, Walter C. Comparative hievement of White and Mexican Jr. High School Pupils. Peabody Journal of Education, 1935, 12, 157-162.
- Coleman, James S. et al. Equality of Educational Opportunity. U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. U.S. Government Printing Office: Washington, DC, 1966.

Questionnaires, surveys, and tests were administered to students, teachers, principals, and district superintendents in public educational institutions at all levels in the U.S. during September and October, 1965. A total of 4,000 public schools and 645,000 pupils participated. Tables concerning school achievement, teachers characteristics, school personnel, students attitudes, aspirations, habits, and home language of Mexican-American, Puerto Rican, Indian American, Oriental-American, Negro, and White are shown.

- Cook, J. M., and Artur G. Intelligence Rating of 97 Mexican Children in St. Paul, Minnesota. <u>Journal of Exceptional Children</u>, 1951, 18, 14-15.
- Coon, Mary W. The Language Difficulty in Measuring the Intelligence of Spanish-American Students. Unpublished Master's Thesis, University of New Mexico, 1927.
- Covey, D. D. An Analytical Study of Secondary Freshman Bilingual Education and its Effects on Academic Achievement and Attitudes of Mexican-American Students. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, Arizona State University, 1973. DAI: March, 1973, Vol. 33, No. 9, Page 4789-A.

The differences on mathematics, English, reading, and attitudes of a bilingual program and a regular school program for ninth grade Chicano students in Phoenix, Arizona were investigated. Significant differences were found in reading, English, and attitudes but not in mathematics. Results favored students in the bilingual program.

- Cox, L. M. Analysis of the Intelligence of Sub-Normal Negro, Mexican, and White Children. Unpublished Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1938.
- Darcy, N. T. Bilingualism and the Measurement of Intelligence:
  Review of a Decade of Research. Journal of Genetic Psychology,
  103, 1963, pages 259-282.

The author concluded that bilingualism is not uniform as to kind and that its influence on individuals of different races and in different environments cannot be predicted without a great deal of additional research.

- Davenport, Everard L. A Comparative Study of Mexican and Non-Mexican Siblings. Master's Thesis, University of Texas, Austin, 1931.
- Davenport, Everard Lee. The Intelligence Quotients of Mexican and Non-Mexican Siblings. School and Society. September, 1932, 36, 304-306.

Prognosis based upon the Goodenough I.Q. at school entrance is likely to underestimate the future abilities of Spanish-speaking children.

Davis, O. L. Jr. and Personke, C. R. Jr. Effects of Administering the Metropolitan Readiness Test in English and Span4sh to Spanish-Speaking School Entrants. <u>Journal of Educational Measurement</u>, Fall, 1968.

Spanish-speaking children in their first school year from two elementary schools in South Texas were administered the Metropolitan Readiness Test, Form A in English and Spanish. Children performed better on Word Meaning when the test was administered in Spanish but performed better on the alphabet and number subtests when the test was administered in English.

Davis, O. L. Jr. and Personke, C. R. Jr. Predictive Validity of English and Spanish Versions of a Readiness Test. The Elementary School Journal, November, 1969.

The predictive validity of the Metropolitan Readiness Tests when administered in English and Spanish to Spanish-speaking first, grade children was investigated. The subtests of Word Meaning and Listening were not highly related to reading success. Three differences favoring the English administration and three differences favoring the Spanish administration were found.

Delmet, Don T. A Study of the Mental and Scholastic Abilities of Mexican Children in the Elementary Schools. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1928.

An article by the same author and based on this thesis can be found in <u>Journal of Juvenile Research</u>, October, 1930, 14, 267-269.

de Weffer, R. del C. E. Effects of First Language Instruction in Academic and Psychological Development of Bilingual Children. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, Illinois Institute of Technology, 1972.

The Test of Basic Experience was administered in English and Spanish to first grade students of Spanish-speaking background in eleven Illinois city school districts which had bilingual programs. Also, an empathy scale and classroom behavior of teachers and aides in bilingual programs were recorded. Mathematics and language achievement showed significant gains when measured in Spanish for students in the bilingual programs. Teachers had greater empathy than aides and Anglo teachers showed greater empathy than Latin teachers.

Dickson, J. M. T. A Comparison of Mathematical Achievement of Selected Objectives by Ethnically Unequal Students of a Low SES Background. Unpublished Master's Thesis, University of Texas, Austin, 1972.

The mathematics achievement of Fourth grade Chicano, Black, and Anglo pupils was investigated. The data analysis was erroneous, and the result was not conclusive.

- Drake, Rollen H. A Comparative Study of the Mentality and Achievement of Mexican and White Children. Master's Thesis, University of & Southern California, 1927.
- East, Mary Elizabeth. A Comparison of the Reading Achievement of Mexican and American Children on the Gates Silent Reading Test. University of Southern California, 1942.
- Ellis, Christine E. The Relation of Socio-Economic Status to the Intelligence and School Success of Mexican Children. Master's Thesis, University of Texas, Austin, 1932.

The thesis discusses the cause-effect relationship between heredity and environment as reflected in scholastic achievement of the Latin-American student.

- Faunce, R. W. Teacher Attitudes Toward Culturally Disadvantaged
  Children. Minneapolis Public Schools, Minnesota, June, 1968,
  9 pages. ED039288.
- In March, 1965, 777 Minneapolis elementary school teachers completed a questionnaire expressing agreement or disagreement with statements about disadvantaged students. Some family and professional background did not show to be related to attitudes toward the disadvantaged. However, ethnicity and SES level did show to be related to attitudes.
- Festerson, John C. A Study of the Bilingual Student at Roseville Union High School. Unpublished Master's Thesis, Sacramento State College, 1961.

Fisher, M. D., Blackwell, L. R., Garcia, A. G., and Greene, J. C.
Student Control and Choice: Their Effects on Student Engagement /
in a CAI Arithmetic Task in a Low-Income School. Stanford Center
for Research and Development in Teaching, Technical Report No. 41,
August, 1974.

The effect of two treatment groups, choice and control, were compared on the bases of daily scores on the Call Drill and Practice program and engagement levels recorded every 10 seconds. Two groups of 19 subjects selected from fourth and fifth grades and divided by ethnicity, age, sex, and initial math achievement participated in the study. One finding was a significant difference for percent of correct responses and the number of problems worked.

Flaugher, Ronal R. and Rock, Donald A. Patterns of Ability Factors
Among Four Ethnic Groups. Project Access Research Report No. 5,
ETS, Princeton, NJ, June, 1972, 13 pages. ED068526.

The differing patterns of abilities among high school males of four ethnic groups, Blacks, Chicanos, Whites, and Oriental, were investigated during the 1969-70 school year in Los Angeles, Memphis, and Washington, DC. Similarity of factor loading patterns indicated that essentially the same patterns of abilities are demonstrated regardless of other ethnic identity of the examinee.

Forbes, Jack D. Mexican-Americans: A Handbook for Educators.

Berkeley, California: Far West Laboratory for Educational
Research and Development, 1967, 41 pages. ED0\3164.

Sixteen suggestions are presented to teachers and administrators that would help provide transfer of training for all students into a mixed Anglo-Mexican culture. The publication concludes with a listing of supplementary audiovisual aids and instructional materials which are available for classroom use at both the elementary and secondary school level.

Garcia, Angela R., and Zimmerman, Barry J. The Effects of the Examiner Ethnicity and Language on the Performance of Bilingual Mexican-American First Graders. <u>Journal of Social Psychology</u>, June, 1972, 87, (1), 3-11.

The effects of the ethnicity of the praiser and the language, Spanish-English, were investigated among first grade bilingual Mexican-American students in Tucson, Arizona on a bar pressing task. A significant main effect for ethnicity of praiser and interaction of language order and praise language were found at the .01 level. No other interactions attained significance.

Gargiulo, R. A Field Study to Effect Changes in Academic Achievement Levels of Under Achieving Seventh Grade Students. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of New Mexico. Ann Arbor, Michigan: University Microfilms, 1970. No. 71-12777.

The effects of normal classroom procedure, and open classroom procedure in language arts classes upon the scores on achievement tests in reading, social studies, arithmetic reasoning, and arithmetic concepts were investigated among 235 seventh grade students in Albuquerque, New Mexico, 54% were Mexican-American. No significant differences in arithmetic were found but the open class room set-up resulted in higher reading achievement scores.

Garner, M. V. A Study of the Educational Backgrounds and Attitudes of Teachers Toward Algebra as Related to the Attitudes and Achievement of Their Anglo-American and Latin-American Pupils in First Year Algebra Classes of Texas. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, North Texas State University, 1963.

The relationships of teachers' professional background, mathematical background, attitude toward algebra, feelings about algebra's practical value and pupils' ethnic background to pupils' attitude toward algebra, feelings about algebra's practical value and achievement was investigated. Anglo-American and Latin-American ninth grade students and teachers participated in the study in a West Texas school district.

- Garretson, O. K. A Study of Causes of Retardation Among Mexican Children in a Small Public School System in Arizona. <u>Journal of Educational Psychology</u>, January, 1923, 19, (8), 31-40.
- Garth, Thomas R. A Comparison of the Intelligence of Mexicans and Full-Blood Indian Children. Psychological Review. September, 1923, 30, 388-401.

A comparison of the apparent intelligence differences among Spanish-speaking persons and several Indian tribal groups of the Southwest.

Garth, Thomas R. et al. Mental Fatigue of Mexican School Children.

The Journal of Applied Psychology, December, 1932, 16, 675-680.

Study based on number addition performed by Spanish-speaking children in San Antonio, Texas. Bibliography provides comparison with other culture groups.

- Garth, T. R., Elson, T. H., and Morton, M. M. The Administration of Non-Language intelligence Tests to Mexicans. <u>Journal of Abnormal Psychology</u>, 1936, 31, 53-58.
- Garth, T. R. and Johnson, H. P. The Intelligence and Achievement of Mexican Children in the United States. Journal of Abnormal Psychology, July, 1934, 29, 222-229.
- Gibson, Mary Ellen. Some Important Problems in Teaching Spanish Culture Children. Master's Thesis, Texas College of Arts and Industry. August, 1940.

The purpose of the study was to describe conditions, rather than recommend solutions, prevalent in the Texas schools attended by Chicanos. School facilities such as teachers, buildings, and equipment are discussed as well as school enrollment, attendance, socio-economic status of Chicanos, language factors, and the unsuitability of intelligence tests as applied to Chicanos are also discussed.

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- Gillette, George Curtiss. A Diagnostic Study of the Factors Affecting the Low Scores of Spanish-Speaking Children on Standarized Tests. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1941.
- Ginther, Joan R. and Begle, E. G. The Effect of Pre-training Chicano, Students on Parallel Test Items Before Administration of a Mathematics Predictor Test. SMESG Working Paper No. 1,4, August, 1975. Unpublished.

The pre-training on parallel items before administration of a mathematics predictor test to Chicano students was investigated. A lengthier discussion of this study can be found in the Ph.D. Dissertation by the leading author of this working paper.\* DAI: Vol. 37, No. 2, page 851-A. A briefer version of the Ph.D. Dissertation can be found in Journal for Research in Mathematics Education, Vol. 9, No. 2, March, 1978, pages 118-125, authored by Ginther Joan R.

Gitlitz, Alfred H. and Kaufman, Nadeen L. Influence of Race, Sex, and City on Inductive Reasoning Items. Project Access Research Report No. 4, ETS, Princeton, NJ, June, 1972, 24 pages. ED068470.

The influence of race, sex, and city on inductive reasoning among Black, Chicano, and White high school juniors from Los Angeles, Memphis, and Washington, DC was studied. A general finding was that Whites fared better than Blacks or Chicanos. Other specific findings are discussed.

Goldman, R. D. and Richards, R. The SAT Prediction of Grades for Mexican-American Versus Anglo-American Students, at the University of California at Riverside. ERIC, ED088904.

The verbal and math SAT scores of Chicano and Anglo freshmen were used as predictors of grade point average for the second quarter freshman year. The hypothesis that the two groups had the same regression plane was rejected. Math scores on the SAT had no correlation with GPA.

- Gonzalez, Aurora M. A Study of the Intelligence of Mexican Children in Relation to Their Socio-Economic Status. Master's Thesis, University of Texas, Austin, 1932.
- Goulard, Lowell Jack. A Study of the Intelligence of Eleven and Twelve Year Old Mexicans by Means of the Leiter International Performance Scale. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1949.
- Guynn, K. P. Effects of Ethnicity and Socio-Economic Status on Learning Achievement of Ninth and Eleventh Grade Students. April, 1974, ERIC. ED088655.

The performance of Mexican-Americans and Anglo ninth and eleventh grade students on the lowa Test of Educational Development was studied. Subjects were divided into high and low SES. The only significant factor was ethnicity of the eleventh graders.

- Hanson, Edith Josephine. A Study of Intelligence Test Results for Mexican Children Based on English and Test Forms. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1931.
- Henderson, Norman B. A Study of Intelligence of Children of Mexican and Non-Mexican Parentage. Master's Thesis, Occidental College, Los Angeles, California, 1948.



Henderson, R. W. Environmental Stimulation and Intellectual
Development of Mexican-American Children: An Exploratory Study.
Unplublished Ph.D. Dissertation, The University of Arizona,
Tucson, 1966.

Hernandez, Norma Eugenia Gonzalez. An Observation System to Analyze Cognitive Content of Teacher Discourse in a Mathematics. Lesson. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Texas, Austin, 1970. DAI: October, 1970, Vol. 31, No. 4, page 1664-A.

Methods and techniques in interaction analysis were extrapolated and modified to develop a new theoretical basis for an observation system to analyze the cognitive aspects of teacher discourse. The predominant cognitive process inferred from the discourse was memory. Each of the four teachers who participated had very little discourse judged as convergent and almost none as divergent production.

Hernandez, Norma G. Mathematics for the Bicultural Student. Paper presented at the Mathematics Colloquium, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico on April 5, 1972. ED060987.

General reference to field-independence-dependence in relation to Chicanos is made but no specific recommendations for improving instruction of mathematics for Chicano children are made.

Hernandez-Chavez, Eduardo, Cohen, Andrew D. and Beltramo, Anthony F. (Eds.). El Lenguage de los Chicanos: Regional and Social Characteristics of Language Used by Mexican-Americans. Center for Applied Linguistics, 1975:

The essays in this volume survey the characteristics of the language used by Chicanos in the Southwest. Local and regional variations are discussed as well as code switching and cognitive aspects of bilingual communication.

Herriman, G. W. An Investigation Concerning the Effects of Language Handicap on Mental Development and Educational Progress. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1932.

Hickey, Tom. Bilingualism and the Measurement of Intelfigence and Verbal Learning Ability. Exceptional Children, September, 1972, 39, (1), 24-29.

The Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test (PPVT) was administered to 320 headstart Chicano students in Los Angeles along with the Goodenough-Draw-A-Man-Test. The major result of this study demonstrated that perhaps.

in the case of the Mexican-American child one of the specific ways in which the two languages interfere with each other has its base in certain structural differences between the two languages.

Hillerby, R. W. Teaching First Grade Math to Spanish Speaking Students. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of California, Los Angeles. Ann Arbor, Michigan: University Microfilms, 1970, No. 71-636. DAI: Vol. 31, No. 7, page 3167-A.

The effects of ten programmed units taught first in Spanish and then in English, or taught both times in English to first grade Chicano students in Los Angeles on a diagnostic test were studied. The group with instruction in both Spanish and English scored better on the aural portion of the post-test.

Hoepfner, Ralph, and Strickland, Guy P. <u>Investigating Test Bias</u>. University of California, Los Angeles, Center for the Study of Evaluation, February, 1972, 35 pages. ED066443.

This study investigated the question of test bias to develop an index of the appropriateness of a test to a particular socio-economic or racial-ethnic group. Whites, Chicanos, Blacks, and Orientals participated. A conclusion was that test bias cannot be conclusively demonstrated in a wholly satisfactory manner.

Hollen, T. T. Jr. Interaction of Individual Abilities with the Presence and Position of Adjunct Questions in Learning from Prose Materials. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Texas, Austin. Ann Arbor, Michigan: University Microfilms, 1970, No. 71-11554.

The relative position of adjunct questions on a passage and the effects on the performance of monolingual and bilingual college students on two types of questions: relevant or incidental was investigated. The treatments produced differences in the incidental scores for the monolinguals. The treatments produced differences for the bilinguals in the relevant question scores.

Hornby, Peter A. (Ed.). <u>Bilingualism</u>: Psychological, Social, and <u>Educational Implications</u>. New York: Academic Press, 1977.

This book is organized in four parts. Cognitive and affective studies in bilingual-bicultural education; programs in bilingual and bicultural education: An analysis of total and partial immersion programs; teacher directed issues: some practical suggestions from theoretical domains; and general topics and review of the literature.

Houts, Paul L. (Ed.). The Myth of Measurability. Hart Publishing Company, Inc., New York: 1977.

A compilation of essays on the different issues involved in 1.Q. tests. One article addresses culture, cognition, and 1.Q. testing; another writes about the social implications of 1.Q. And another discusses the politics of 1.Q. The diversity of topics make this book interesting reading.

- Hughes, L. S. A Comparative Study of the Intelligence of Mexican Children and Non-Mexican Children. Master's Thesis, University of Texas, Austin, 1928.
- Jarvis, Gertrude O. A Study of the Relation of Achievement in Spanish to Achievement in English. Master's Thesis, University of Texas, Austin, 1953.
- Jensen, A. R. Learning Abilities in Mexican-American and Anglo-American Children. <u>California Journal of Educational Research</u>, September, 1961.

The learning scores of fourth graders on the Familiar and Abstract tasks for Recall and Serial Learning, and the learning scores of sixth graders on the Familiar Tasks for Recall, Serial Learning, and Paired Associates tests were investigated among low SES Anglo monolinguals and Chicano bilinguals. The I.Q. range was from 60 to above 120. A significant nationality by I.Q. interaction was found at both grade levels. Low I.Q. Chicanos performed a lot better than low I.Q. Anglos. One conclusion was that I.Q. is a valid index of the learning ability of Anglo children but not for Chicanos.

John, Vera P. and Berney, Toni D. Analysis of Story Retelling as a Measure of the Effects of Ethnic Content in Stories. Final Report. New York: Ferkauf Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Yeshiva University, 1967, 90 pages. ED014326.

The purpose of the study was to examine the psychological impact of stories and story books on preschool children: Blacks, Puerto Ricans, Chicanos, Sioux, and Navajo. Results indicated that the inclusion of ethnic books is useful in a program aimed at non-white children.

Johnson; B. E. Ability, Achievement, and Bilingualism: A Comparative Study Involving Spanish-Speaking and English-Speaking Children at the 6th Grade Level. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Maryland, 1962.



Johnson, Charles F., Jr. Ethnic Origin and Educational Attainment:

November, 1969. Population Characteristics, Current Population Reports, 10 pages. ED051931.

This is a study, based on census figures, of educational attainment of adults in the United States and shows a wide range among the ethnic groups. The main national lineages included are: German, English, Irish, Italian, Polish, Mexican, and Russian.

Johnson, Henry Sioux. Ethnic Group Differences in Certain Personal, Intellectual, Achievement and Motivational Characteristics. Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Southern California, 1964.

Johnson, Henry Sioux and Hernandez-M, William J. Educating the Mexican-American, Judson Press, Valley Forge, PA 19481, 1970.

This collection of readings includes essays on historical and cultural perspectives of the Chicano. Educational issues such as testing, teacher training, achievement, guidance and curriculum, bilingual education, and role of educational institutions with respect to Chicanos are also discussed.

Johnson, Kenneth R. <u>Teaching the Culturally Disadvantaged: A</u>
Rational Approach. Science Research Associates, Inc., Palo
Alto, California, 1970.

This book discusses some of the difficulties faced by "culturally disadvantaged" children when they enter school and confront a middle class environment which is totally different from their previous experience. The author also makes the observation of the relativity of the term "culturally disadvantaged."

Johnson, L. H. Elementary School Geometry: A Study of Achievement on Selected Objectives of Geometry of Mexican-American and Anglo-American Second Grade Children. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Northern Colorado. Ann Arbor, Michigan: University Microfilms, 1971. No. 72-3273.

Spanish and non-Spanish surnamed second grade students were administered the MAT reading and math as pre-tests and a post-test written by the author covering the material taught. The MAT arithmetic score was an effective predictor of the post-test score for both populations.

Jorstad, Dorothy. Psycholinguistic Learning Abilities in 20 Mexican-American Students. <u>Journal of Learning Disabilities</u>, March, 1971, 4, (3), 143-149. EJ035003.



Jourdanf, John R. A Bilingual Math-Science Learning Center. September, 1970. ED0517

The purpose of this study was to determine if children who attended a bilingual math-solence center would increase their level of performance to a greater degree than their counterparts on a test of problem solving and scientific thinking. The author concludes that a math-science center should be a basic part of every bilingual school program.

Kaplan, Bert. Reflections of the Acculturative Process in the Roscharch Test. Journal of Projective Techniques, 1955, 19, 30-35.

Kee, Daniel M. Learning Characteristics in Four Ethnic Groups.

Integrated Education, November-December, 1972, 10, (6), 29-32.

The purpose of this study was to investigate the learning efficiency in children from four different ethnic groups: Black, White, Chinese-American, and Spanish-American. The author concludes that when children from different ethnic backgrouns are required to demonstrate ability for new learning, average performance between groups is indistinguishable.

Keston, M. J. and Jimenez, C. A Study of the Performance on English and Spanish Editions of the Stanford-Binet Intelligence Test by Spanish-American Childran. The Journal of Genetic Psychology, 1954, 85; 263-269.

The performance of 50 fourth grade Chicano children in Albuquerque, New Mexico on the Stanford-Bipet, Form M administered in English, and Form L administered in Spanisp was investigated. A t-test showed significantly better performance on the English version.

Killian, L. R. WISC, Illinai, Test of Psycholinguistic Abilities, and Bender Visual Motor Gestalt Test Performance of Spanish-American Kindergarten and First-Grade School Children. Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, August, 1971, 37, (1), 38-43. EJ043081.

The tests mentioned on the title were administered to 84 subjects selected on the basis of language ability and ethnicity, (Anglo monolinguals, Chicano bilinguals, Chicano monolinguals in English), sex, and grade level One finding revealed no differences on arithmetic which required a non-language symbolic system.

Kirk Jamue A. Ethnic Differences in Psycholinguistic Abilities.

This article summarizes the literature of several research studies on the psycholinguistic abilities as measured by the Illinois Test of Psycholinguistic Abilities (ITPA) of three ethnic groups: Blacks, Indians, and Mexican-Americans. The author hypothesizes that ethnic group differences may be accounted for by different child rearing practices among the ethnic groups.

Klingstedt, Joe Lars. Teachers of Middle School Mexican-American Children: Indicators of Effectiveness and Implication for Teacher Education, 47 pages. ED059828.

This essay is a summary of research and related literature on the problem of identifying indicators of teacher effectiveness. Many suggestions for preparing teachers to deal with Mexican-American students are aimed specifically for teachers at the sixth, seventh, and eighth grade levels.

Knight, M. W. A Comparative Study of the Performance of Feeble-Minded and Juvenile Delinquents on the Arthur Performance Scale and the Standord-Binet Test of Intelligence. <u>Journal of</u> <u>Juvenile Research</u>, 1934, 18, 5-12.

Knopf, Arthur Carlyle. Some Mexican Characteristics and Their Educational Significance. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1943.

Lance, Donald M. The Codes of the Spanish-English Bilingual. TESOL Quarterly, 4, (4), December, 1970, pages 343-51.

Reports on a research project carried out among three generations of Mexican-Americans in an East Texas community in order to determine their relative competence in English and Spanish. Educational implications of the findings are also discussed.

Lewis, H. P. and Lewis, E. R. Written Language Performance of Sixth Grade Children of Low SES From Bilingual and Monolingual Backgrounds. Journal of Experimental Education, 1969, 33, 237-242.

MacMillan, R. W. A Study of the Effects of SES Factors on the School Achievement of Spanish-Speaking School Beginners. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Texas, Austin, 1971. ERIC. ED049864

The relationship of parent's occupation, family size and organization, child's school attendance, preschool experience and I.Q. to school achievement was studied on 305 Mexican-American students. The combination of parent's occupation, family size and organization, preschool experience, sex, and school attendance was more significant than I.Q. as a predictor of school achievement.

Magee, Bettie, et al. A Description of Simulation Technique to Develop Teacher and Counselor Empathy with Spanish-Speaking Student. 1972, 4 pages. ED065254.

The purpose of the simulation technique described in this report is to develop teacher and counselor empathy with the Spanish-speaking student. Findings include the fact that many students are not aware of the problems faced by Spanish-speaking children, and that few students realize the number of Chicano students in Michigan.

Mahakian, Charles. Measuring Intelligence and Reading Capacity of Spanish-Speaking Children. The Elementary School Journal, June, 1939, 39, 760-768.

As means of solving some of the problems faced by the administrator and faculty of the Tompkins Schools a special testing program was developed, the purposes of which were: to determine the validity of intelligence tests administered in English to Spanish-speaking children and to find the grade in which English becomes the dominant language.

Manuel, Herschel T. A Comparison of Spanish-Speaking and English-Speaking Children in Reading and Arithmetic. Journal of Applied Psychology, April, 1935, 19, 189-202.

The new Stanford Reading and Arithmetic Tests were given to Spanish-speaking children and English-speaking children in a number of schools in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Manuel, Herschel T. Bilingualism: The Measurement of Ability in Two Languages. Texas Journal of Science, December 30, 1952, 4, (4), 490-493.

Narrative and analysis of the development and meaning of the cooperative Inter-American Tests, as parallel tests of achievement, in English and Spanish, in puerto Rico.

Manuel, Herschel T. Spanish and English Editions of the Stanford-Binet in Relation to the Abilities of Mexican Children. The University of Texas Bulletin, Vol. 3532, Austin: The University of Texas, August 22, 1935.

A detailed report of results of a study. The Spanish edition

Manuel, Herschel T. The Intelligence and Drawing Ability of Young Mexican Children. <u>Journal of Applied Psychology</u>, August, 1932, 16, 382-387.

The belief among many observers that Spanish-speaking children are gifted in drawing and handwork is not supported by a comparison of the scores at any age level.

Marcoux, Fred Wesley. Handicaps of Bilingual Mexican Children. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1961.

Massaroti, M. C. Effect of the Spanish Language as Auditory
Stimulation During Test Administration on the Measured Achievement of Fifth Grade Spanish-Surnamed Pupils. Unpublished Ph.D.
Dissertation, University of Denver. Ann Arbor, Michigan:
University Microfilms, 1971. No. 72-2134.

The Word Meaning and Arithmetic Reasoning subtests of the Short Test of Educational Ability, Level Three were administered in English, Spanish, and bilingually to 142 Fifth grade Spanish-surnamed students. No statistically significant differences on achievement were registered among treatment groups.

McNamara, Patrick H., Some Factors Associated With Differential Grade Performance of Mexican-American and Non-Mexican-American College Students. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southwest Social Science Association, Dallas, Texas, March, 1970, 16 pages. ERIC. ED042541.

The purpose of the study was to investigate what factors are associated with college GPA among Ghicano and non-Chicano college students. Students taking introductory Sociology in the spring of 1969 at UTEP were surveyed, 252 Chicanos and 452 Anglos, and were stratified by sex and GPA: below 2.0; between 2.0 and 2.9; and 3.0 and above. Family background factors affecting Chicano elementary and high school students seem to have little value in predicting success in college as measured by GPA.



Mendenhall, W. C. A Comparative Study of Achievement and Ability of the Children in Two Segregated Mexican Schools. Master's Thesis, University of Southern Callefornia, 1937.

Mercer, Jane R. Current Retardation Procedures and the Psychological and Social Implications on the Mexican-American. A Position Paper, 40 pages. ED052848.

This position paper presents past and current research findings pertinent to the disproportionately large numbers of Mexican-American children in special education classes. It was determined that the pupil personnel department's clinical testing procedures rather than referral processes produced the ethnic misrepresentation in special classes.

Mercer, Jane R. Socio-cultural Factors in the Educational Evaluation of Black and Chicano Children. Paper presented at the Tenth Annual Conference on Civil Rights Educators and Students, NEA, Washing, DC, February 18-20, 1972. ED062462.

The paper reports the responses of mothers of children who were in classes for educable mentally retarded in two public school districts in Southern California. Stigmatization was a major concern of parents interviewed, and many parents were justified in seeing the program as a "sentence of death."

Mercer, Jane R., and Smith, Joyce M. Subtest Estimates of the WISC Full Scale I.Q.'s for Children. March, 1972, 55 pages. ED068494.

An intensive analysis of the relative value of using the Vocabulary and Block Design subtests of the WISC to predict Full Scale 1.Q. based on six verbal and five performance WISC subtests was performed. Black, Chicano, and White hildren participated in the study. The sum of the scaled scores was whe Vocabulary and Block Design subtests correlated .88 with Full cale 1.Q.

Merryweather, Rose. A Study of the Comparative Ability of the Mexican and American Children in the Upper Elementary Grades. Master's Dissertatic University of Southern California, 1937.

Michea, Claude Angus. The Intelligence of Nine and Ten Year Old Mexican Children as Measured by the Leiter Intelligence Performance Scale. Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1941.



Michel, Joseph. The Preparation of the Teacher for Bilingual Education.

Speech presented at Edinboro State College, Edinboro, Pennsylvania.

February 4, 1972, 21 pages. ED063830.

This document contains a proposed curriculum for a Bachelor of Science program in elementary education with an academic concentration in bilingual education for Spanish-English bilinguals. Suggestions for the teacher education curriculum are presented along with explanation.

Montez, Philip. Some Differences in Factors Related to Educational Achievement of Two Mexican-American Groups. Master's Dissertation, University of Southern California, 1960.

Montgomery, R. L. A. A Study of Relationships Between Group Test of Creativity (GTOC) Scores and Achievement Test Scores of Students With Spanish and non-Spanish Surnames. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Southern California, 1973.

Creativity measured by GTOC, 1.Q. measured by Lorge-Thorndike intelligence Test, and achievement measured by Comprehensive Test of Basic Skills was examined among sixth grade students in El Monte, California. Sex, surname, place of birth, and SES were the independent variables.

Moreno, Steve. Problems Related to Present Testing Instruments.

Voices: Readings from El Grito, 1967-1973, Octavio Romano-V.,
editor. A Quinto Sol Book, Berkeley, California, 1973.
pages 415-419.

The author discusses the different issues involved in the testing of Mexican-American children in the schools. The predictive validity of I.Q. and aptitude tests, as well as achievement tests is questioned. The author outlines seven areas of research on testing and Chicanos that ought to be further investigated.

Morrison, G. A. Jr. An Analysis of Academic Achievement Trends for Anglo-American, Mexican-American, and Negro-American Students in a Desegregated School Environment. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Houston, 1972.

The performance of elementary and junior high school students from three ethnic groups attending segregated, segregated/desegregated, and desegregated schools was analyzed. The lowa Test of Basic Skills was administered, and none of the results for Mexican-American students were statistically significant.

Munson, John. Intelligence Ratings for Ninety-Seven Mexican Children in St. Paul, Minnesota. Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Minnesota, 1950.

Najmi, Mohamed Abdul Khalique. Comparison of Greeley's Spanish-American and Anglo-White Elementary School Children's Response to Instruments Designed to Measure Self-Concepts and Some Related Variables. Unpublished Ed.D Dissertation, Colorado State College, Greeley, Colorado, 1962.

Nathan, Jerome M. The Relationship of English Language Deficiency to Intelligence Test Scores of Mentally-Retarded Mexican-American Children. Master's Thesis; UCLA, 1955.

National Center for Education Statistics. NAEP Newsletter. Vol. XII, No.1, February 1979.

This newsletter reports findings of NAEP's third science survey. It reports that students least likely to be part of the 21st century's scientific community are Blacks, Hispanos, females, and residents of disadvantaged-urban areas. Youths in these groups perform below national levels in science at all three age levels surveyed.

Norman, R. K., and Kleinfeld, G. J. Rosenwelg Picture-Frustration Study Results with Minority Group Juvenile Delinquents. Journal of Genetic Psychology; 1956, 82, 61-67.

Olesini, José. The Effects of Bilingual Instruction on the Achievement of Elementary Pupils. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, East Texas State University, May, 1971. DAI: Vol. 32, No. 9, page 4844-A.

The Otis Quick Scoring Mental Ability Test; Metropolitan Achievement Test, Battery A and its alternate form were administered to third grade Chicano pupils in San Antonio, Texas. No significant differences were observed in spelling and arithmetic computation. However, significant differences were found in vocabulary, reading, language, and arithmetic concepts.

Oliveira, A. L. A Comparison of the Verbal Teaching Behaviors of Junior High School Mexican-American and Anglo-American Teachers of Social Studies and Mathematics Classes of Predominantly Spanish-Speaking Children. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Texas, Austin, 1970.

The Observation Schedule and Record 5V was used to score classroom observations for 40 eighth grade Anglo-American and Mexican-American teachers of low SES Chicano students. Math and social studies classes participated in the study.

Ortega, Frank. Special Education Placement and Mexican-Americans.

Voices: Readings From El Grito, 1967-1973, Octavio Romano-V.,
editor. A Quinto Sof Book, Berkeley, California, 1973,
pages 408-414.

The author examines statewide data in California regarding student placement in EMR classes. The study found a clear lack of relationship between the Mexican-American composition of classes for the educable mentally retarded and regular education classes.

Ortiz-Franco, Luis. A Selected Study on Mathematical Word Problem-Solving Processes. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, Stanford University, August, 1977. DAI: March, 1978, Vol. 38, No. 9, page 5312-A.

This study investigated the trial-and-error process and cognitive factors of Chicano students in mathematical word problems. Tables of intercorrelations among math achievement, reading achievement, general reasoning, syllogistic reasoning, divergent thinking, and field dependence are featured.

Ott, Elizabeth H. <u>Basic Education for Spanish-Speaking Disadvantaged</u>
Pupils. Non-dated, 23 pages. ED020497.

A bilingual education program is described in which the subject materials are taught in both Spanish and English at separate periods during the day. A description of Horn's Language Research Project and the Ott Study followed by test data is also included.

Padilla, A. M. and Garza, Blas M. 1.Q. Tests: A Case of Cultura-Myopia. In The Myth of Measurability, edited by Paul L. Houts, Hart Publishing Company, Inc., New York: 1977, pages 124-136.

The authors argue in this essay that one should seriously question the cultural bag of assumptions and attitudes that underlie intelligence tests. They restrict themselves to the case of Chicano children. Many of their comments apply to other non-middle class children as well.

Padilla, A. M. and Ruiz, R. A. Latino Mental Health: A Review of Literature. U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC. 1973.

Page, Dorothy: Performance of Spanish-American Children on Verbal and Non-Verbal Intelligence Tests. Master's Thesis, University of New Mexico, 1931.

Palmer, M., and Gaffney, P. Effects of Administration of the WISC in Spanish and English and Relationship of Social Class to Performance. Psychology in the Schools; 1972, 9, 61-64.

The WISC was administered in Spanish and English to fifth grade children in the Nogales Elementary School District. ANOVA revealed no significant differences between the English and Spanish testing procedures on any of the subject scaled scores.

Parot, Jean Jacques. Actualización Mátematica, AM-1. 1971, 40 pages. ED0649871

This document suggests elementary-level learning activities for helping the students develop thinking processes and power of generalization and abstraction through the observation of concrete objects. The document is not intended as a textbook but rather as a report to bring elementary school mathematics teachers up to date on current ideas.

Parot, Jean Jacques. Actualización Mátematica: AM-2. 1971, 61 pages.

This document presents a series of exercises designed to help elementary school children develop skills in mathematics and logic. By means of stories, games, questions, and illustrations, the first set of exercises presents the idea of number systems with bases other than 10. The concept of exponents is also explained.

Pa/rot, Jean Jacques. <u>Mátematica Actual: Libro del Profesor</u>. 1971, 62 pages. ED064986.

This document is a teacher's guide and suggests learning activities for kindergarten children to develop skills of basic reasoning and numerical calculations that the children will be using throughout life.

Parry, Louise E. A Comparison of the Abilities of Spanish-Speaking and English-Speaking Children in Tenth-Grade Algebra. Master's Thesis, University of Texas, Austin, 1932.

Five tests were administered to 36 Spanish-speaking and 41 English-speaking students of the ninth-grade in Brownsville High School during the 1929-30 season. The data were used to analyze and compare the abilities of Spanish- and English-speaking students and to draw conclusions and to make recommendations.

Pasamanick, Benjamin. The Intelligence of American Children of Mexican Parentage: A Discussion of Uncontrolled Variables. Journal of Abnormal and Social Psychology, October, 1951, 46, 598-602.

The author discusses the uncontrolled variables in the Carlson, et al. study above. The uncontrolled variables mentioned are: inadequate diet, education, and work status of parents, pre- and paranatal factors, difficulty in rapport, cultural set, motivation of children, and educational level of children.

Paschal, Franklin C. and Sullivan, Louis R. Racial Influences in the Mental and Physical Development of Mexican Children. <u>Comparative Psychology Monographs</u>, Vol. 3, 76 pages. Bibliography.

A study of children, age 9-12, in Tucson, Arizona. Shows correlation of economic status with physical and mental test scores.

Pattison, Sylvia and Fielder, W. R. Social Class and Number Concept Among Young Children. California Journal of Educational Research, Vol. 20, No. 2, March, 1969, Pages 75-84.

Three low SES and three middle class SES kindergarten classes in San Bernardino County, California participated in this study addressing the question: What are the differences, if any, in the development and acquisition of number concepts between children of middle SES and low SES levels? One finding was that SES appears to have significance in the acquisition of number concepts favoring middle SES. Another finding was that bilingual children require activities to enable them to understand the concepts without dependence on a demonstration by verbalization.

Peterson, Margaret W. Curricular Preferences of Elementary School Children. Master's Thesis, University of Texas, Austin, 1942.

This thesis discovers the curricular preferences of elementary school children of the Laredo Public Schools, and determines the reasons for their liking and disliking certain subjects.

Pintner, Rudolph. The Influence of Language Background on Intelligence Tests. Journal of Social Psychology, May, 1932, 3, 235-240.

Article dealing with the influence of language background on intelligence tests by a comparison of the scores on two tests made by children from English-speaking homes and from non-English-speaking homes.

Rankin, R. J. and Henderson, R. W. Standarized Tests and the Disadvantaged.
Research report from Arizona Center for Early Childhood Education,
to National Laboratory on Early Childhood Education, November,
1969. ERIC. ED034594.

This study investigated the reliability of the Wechsler Preschool, and Primary Scale of Intelligence among low SES Chicano children in Tucson, Arizona. Among other findings, the similarities and math subtests showed lower reliability for Chicano females.

Ramirez III, Manuel. The Relationship of Acculturation to Educational Achievement and Psychological Adjustment in Chicano Children and Adolescents: A Review of the Literature. Voices: Readings from El Grito, 1967-1973, Octavió Romano-V., editor. A Quinto Sol Book, Berkeley, California, 1973, pages 400-407.

This review discusses studies involving Chicanos in the areas of: acculturation and education, and acculturation and personality. The author identifies the need for more enlightened research relevant to acculturation of Chicanos.

Randals, Edwyna Henrietta. A Comparison of the Intelligence Test
Results of Mexican and Negro Children in Two Elementary Schools.
Master's Thesis, University of Southern California, 1929.

Rapier, Jacqueline L. Effects of Verbal Mediation Upon the Learning of Mexican-American Children. <u>California Journal of Educational Research</u>, Vol. XVIII, No. 1, January, 1967. Pages 40-48

This paper reports the findings of two experiments investigating the role of verbal mediation in the learning of Mexican-American children in the third grade. One conclusion was that Mexican-Americans can profit from the opportunity to use verbal mediators to facilitate further learning.

Rivera, Carmen Elena. Academic Achievement, Bicultural Attitudes and Self-Concepts of Pupils in Bilingual and Non-Bilingual Programs. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, Fordham University, 1973. DAI: Vol. 34, No. 5, Page 2238-A.

This study sought to ascertain and compare the academic achievement, the bicultural attitudes and self-concepts of third and fifth grade elementary Hispanic and non-Hispanic pupils in a bilingual school and two non-bilingual schools in New York City. One finding was that the time devoted to the study of a second language was not affecting the growth in mathematics skills and understanding of concepts of the non-Hispanic pupils in the experimental group.

Rivera, H. H. Ascertaining Language and Computational Curriculum Needs for Economically Disadvantaged Mexican-Americans. Unpublished Ph.D. Dissertation, Arizona State University. Ann Arbor, Michigan: University Microfilms, 1971, No. 71-29404. DAI: Vol. 32, No. 5, page 2516-A.

The primary and intermediate batteries of the Stanford Achievement Test were administered to second and fifth graders classified as "disadvantaged." The students were Mexican-American and other (Anglo, Indian, and Black). One finding was that the disadvantaged Mexican-American fifth graders were .68 academic years below the grade norm in total achievement.

- Roca, P. Problems of Adapting Intelligence Scales From One Culture to Another. <u>High School Journal</u>, 1955, <u>38</u>, 124-131.
- Russell, D. Problems of Mekican Children in the Southwest. <u>Journal of Educational Sociology</u>, December, 1943, <u>17</u>, 216-222.
- Sabatino, David A. et al. Perceptual, Language, and Academic Achievement of English, Spanish, and Navajo-Speaking Children Referred for Special Classes. <u>Journal of School Psychology</u>, March, 1972, 10, (1), 39-46.
- Salinas, Guadalupe. Mexican-Americans and the Desegregation of Schools in the Southwest. Houston Law Review, 1971, 8, 929. 41 pages. ED058983.

The author notes in this article that Mexican-American children have been neglected both educationally and legally. Cases of educational discrimination are discussed and included are references to 152 legal citations.

- Sánchez, George I. Bilingualism and Mental Measurement. <u>Journal of Applied Psychology</u>, December, 1934, 8, (6), 765-772.
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