



## Rigor in Your Classroom: A Toolkit for Teachers (Hardback)

By Barbara R. Blackburn

Taylor Francis Ltd, United Kingdom, 2014. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 280 x 216 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Teachers are required to increase the rigor for students, but how? This book by bestselling author and rigor expert Barbara Blackburn has the answer! It is a treasure chest of more than 200 practical and highly-effective tools that can be used across grade levels and subject areas to increase student rigor, leading your students to higher engagement and deeper learning. Topics covered include: \* Asking higher-level questions \* Scaffolding to help all students achieve success \* Differentiating instruction and using modifications \* Fostering independence through gradual release of responsibility \* Increasing text difficulty and teaching close reading \* Setting high expectations \* Changing students views of success \* Encouraging effort and goal-setting \* Creating an environment that is conducive to learning \* Using effective grading policies and assessment tools \* Working with parents, colleagues, and administrators \* And much, much more! Rigor in Your Classroom will be your go-to resource throughout the school year, as you continually return to it to try new tools with your students. Bonus: The tools are accompanied by graphic organizers, charts, templates, and reproducibles for easy...



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