

## The Education Trust

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**Mission:** The Education Trust works for the high academic achievement of all students at all levels, pre-kindergarten through college, and forever closing the achievement gaps that separate low-income students and students of color from other youth. The Trust’s basic tenet is that all children will learn at high levels when they are taught to high levels.

**History & General Information:** The Education Trust was created in 1990 as a special project of the American Association for Higher Education. It is now an independent nonprofit organization involved in policy research and professional development for educators. The Trust is located in Washington, D.C. and has a West Coast presence in Oakland, California with the Education Trust-West.

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### BASIC FACTS

**Audience** Educators, parents, policymakers, web users

**Publisher/Sponsor** The Education Trust, a nonprofit organization dedicated to closing the achievement gap

**President/Director** Kati Haycock

### CIRCULATION

The Education Trust provides research, data, and testimony on policies to improve education.

It makes its publications, presentations, and data tools available through its website at [www.edtrust.org](http://www.edtrust.org).

## Programs and Publications

The Education Trust produces a variety of publications and information resources. Its data tools include: College Results Online, Education Watch Online, and Dispelling the Myth Online. The Education Trust also publishes such resources as Making Data Work: A Parent and Community Guide

Recent reports from the Education Trust include:

- *Teaching Inequality: How Poor and Minority Students Are Shortchanged on Teacher Quality* (2006)
- *Gaining Traction, Gaining Ground: How Some High Schools Accelerate Learning for Struggling Students* (2005)
- *Good Teaching Matters: How Well-Qualified Teachers Can Close the Gap* (1998)

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