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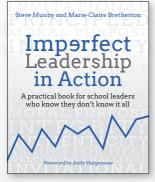
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Steve Munby has spent his whole career in education, first as a teacher and then as an adviser and inspector before moving into leadership. He is now a self-employed consultant and speaker on leadership and on system reform.



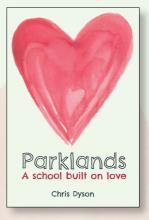
Marie-Claire Bretherton trained as a teacher before becoming a head teacher in Lincolnshire, where she led three very different schools to securing improved outcomes for pupils. She is now Director of School Improvement for Anthem Schools Trust in England, as well as the Education Director for KYRA.



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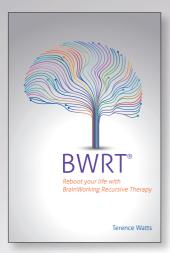
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Chris Dyson was brought up in a single-parent household and received free school clothes and free school meals himself as a child, which has meant that the connection between his early life and that of Parklands' pupils is rooted in common experience. Chris believes that education is the key to making the future brighter, and he is fuelled by a desire to provide his pupils with the best education and opportunities possible.



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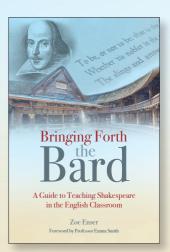
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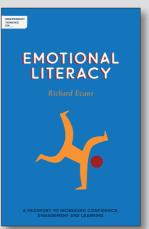
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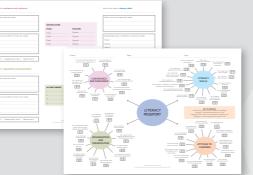
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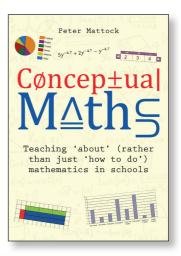
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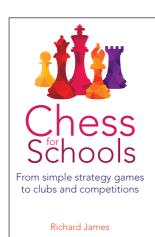
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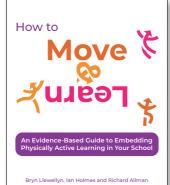
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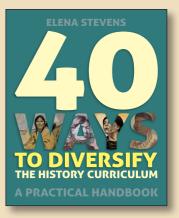
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Colin Diamond, CBE has worked in education leadership roles for over 40 years, including two director of education posts, and as a senior civil servant in Whitehall. Colin took up post as Professor of Educational Leadership at the University of Birmingham in 2018 and is passionate about inclusion and social justice, always mindful of his childhood in Liverpool. He also plays in bands and supports Liverpool FC.





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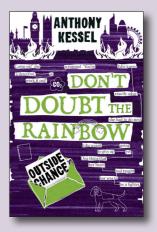
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Professor Anthony Kessel is a public health physician, academic and author who works at NHS England HQ as Clinical Director (National Clinical Policy). Anthony is an international authority on public health and a Trustee Director of BookTrust, and also advises other charities on global health and mental health. Anthony has trained as an executive coach and writes a personal column – 'Global Health Experience' (https://medium. com/@AKessel) – exploring his leadership work through a lens of psychological well-being.

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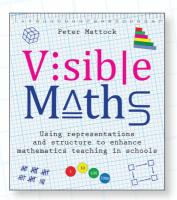
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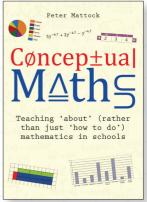
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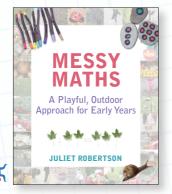


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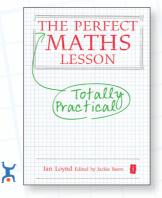
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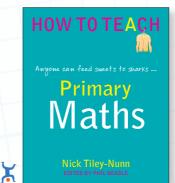
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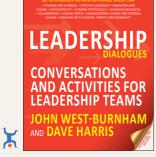
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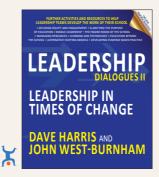


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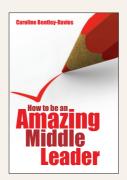
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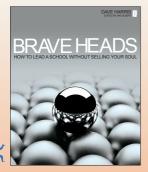
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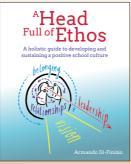


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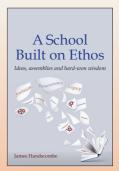


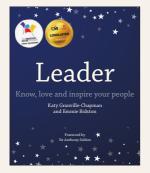
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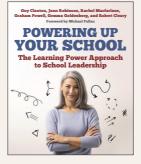
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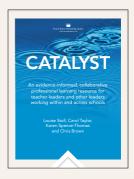
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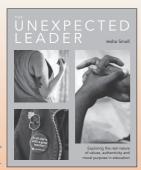
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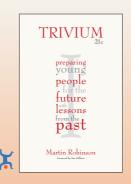
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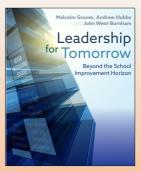




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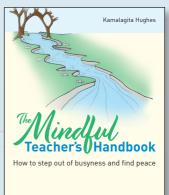
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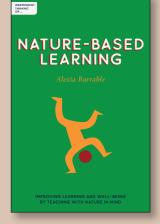
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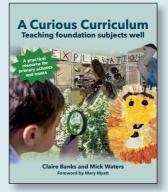
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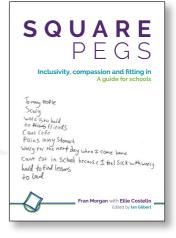


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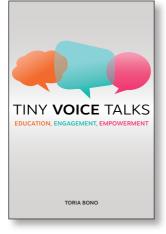
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