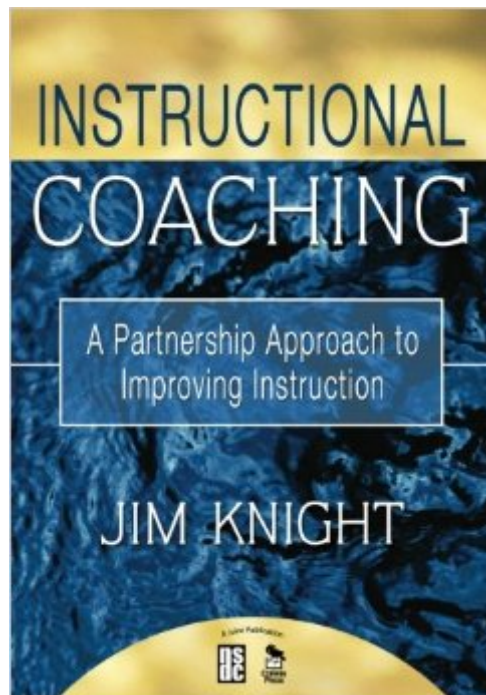


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# Instructional Coaching: A Partnership Approach To Improving Instruction



## Synopsis

An innovative professional development strategy that facilitates change, improves instruction, and transforms school culture! Instructional coaching is a research-based, job-embedded approach to instructional intervention that provides the assistance and encouragement necessary to implement school improvement programs. Experienced trainer and researcher Jim Knight describes the "nuts and bolts" of instructional coaching and explains the essential skills that instructional coaches need, including getting teachers on board, providing model lessons, and engaging in reflective conversations. Each user-friendly chapter includes: First-person stories from successful coaches  
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As a new instructional coach, this book has served as a guide in setting me off on the right foot toward a successful career. I've been able to transfer countless lessons I learned from this book into my career as a coach. It entices self-reflection and motivates almost as though Jim Knight were sitting in front of you coaching you on coaching. Definitely a page-turner! Highly recommend!

Jim Knight is one of the leading researchers in the field of instructional coaching, and this book is a "must have" book for anyone researching, working with, or in an instructional coach position. He

has a coaching center at the University of Kansas, is easy to reach by email with questions, and has a great website and blog, too, to keep up-to-date as a coach!

This book will be great for people that have never heard of instructional coaching before, or stepped into a classroom before, or those who have never gone outside. For those with any kind of experience in education, or talking to people, this is really just an advertisement for professional development services offered by the KU Center on Learning, and Knight's other books. I keep rolling my eyes at the turn of every new section, as Knight name drops some corporate or pop-psychological BS followed by a reference to a routine that's described in another book or program. With barely any real actionable steps can't recommend this to anyone looking for advice on instructional coaching.

I total five star rating !Jim Knight has brought us the Rosetta Stone !Almost overnight we have greatly increased the expectations of students. We give teachers 100 page 'learning modules' to tell them what to teach....But we do next to nothing about 'how' !My work over 40 plus years in education indicates that the biggest correlate to student success are the skills of the teacher !Without instructional coaching, those skills will not grow to match the demands of Common Core !Teaching is the only performance profession that has yet to embrace coaching and videotaping of its work followed by feedback.I agree with Jim Knight that Instructional Coaching is THE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT MODEL FOR THE 21st Century !

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