

Executive Summary

Vision to Know and Do: The Power of Data as a Tool in Educational Decision Making

This new paper focuses on the successful practice of school districts that have transformed their organizations to respond to the needs of all students and provide community accountability. It highlights those school districts using data analysis systems to improve student outcomes; identifies factors for successfully integrating data into decision making processes, and; calls for more emphasis on data-driven decision making as a way to prepare students for the 21st century.

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