
About the Authors



Diane Sweeney is the author of the bestselling books, *Student-Centered Coaching: A Guide for K-8 Coaches and Principals* (2011) and *Student-Centered Coaching at the Secondary Level* (2013). Both books are grounded in the simple but powerful premise that coaching can be designed to more directly impact student learning. Her first book, *Learning Along the Way* (2003), shares the story of how an urban elementary school transformed itself to become a learning community.

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