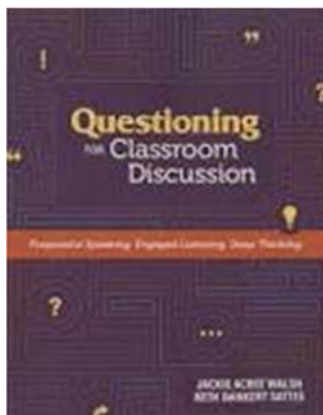
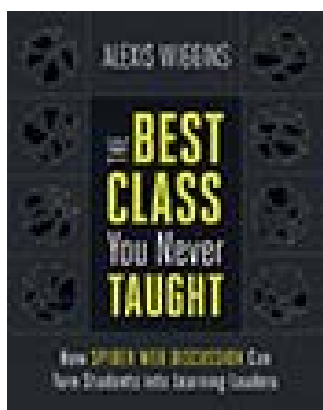


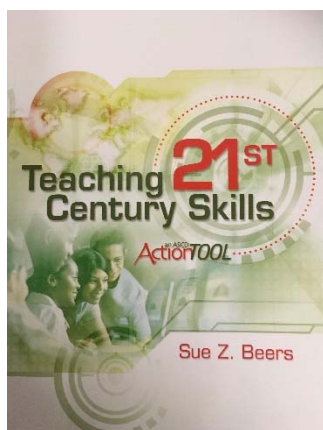
Recommended Reading



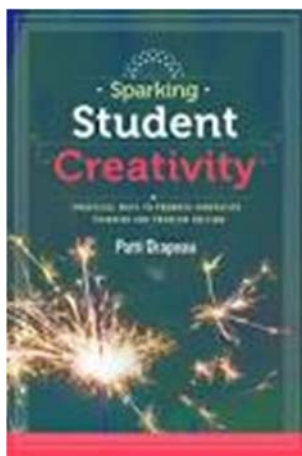
This book from ASCD by Jackie Acree Walsh and Beth Dankert Sattes is filled with practical strategies for student-driven discussions which will shift the typical Q & A flow pattern of Teacher-Student-Teacher. QR codes embedded in the book will take you to videos that show you the strategy in action! If you are looking to make your classroom more student-centered and increase student motivation and engagement, this is a great book to check out.



Also from ASCD is this book by Alexis Wiggins (daughter of the late Grant Wiggins). It describes a technique called Spider Web Discussion powered by student-led conversations that explore texts, ideas, and essential questions. The ideas in this book will help you to shift your role in class discussion to facilitator and coach.



This book by Sue Beers defines the skills and knowledge that students need for the 21st century and provides tools you can use to help teach and reinforce those skills in any content area. Each tool has step-by-step instructions for teachers and suggestions for integrating technology. Reflection questions for students are also a key element with each tool.



This book by Patti Drapeau (ASCD) can be a great starting point for those of you interested in problem-based or project-based learning. It sets the foundation for promoting the innovative thinking and problem-solving needed for project-based / problem-based learning.