

Experts in the film

- 1 *The Case Against Homework: How Homework Is Hurting Our Children and What Parents Can Do About It*, Sara Bennett and Nancy Kalish
- 2 *The Price of Privilege: How Parental Pressure and Material Advantage Are Creating a Generation of Disconnected and Unhappy Kids*, Madeline Levine, Ph.D
- 3 *Doing School: How We Are Creating a Generation of Stressed-Out, Materialistic, and Miseducated Students*, Denise Clark Pope, Ph.D.
- 4 *The Blessing of a Skinned Knee: Using Jewish Teachings to Raise Self-Reliant Children*, Wendy Mogel, Ph.D.
- 5 *The Blessing of a B Minus: Using Jewish Teachings to Raise Resilient Teenagers*, Wendy Mogel, Ph.D.
- 6 *Motivated Minds: Raising Children to Love Learning*, Deborah Stipek, Ph.D and Kathy Seal
- 7 *Building Resilience in Children and Teens: Giving Kids Roots and Wings*, Kenneth R. Ginsburg, MD, MS Ed, FAAP

College

- 1 *College Unranked: Ending the College Admissions Frenzy*, Lloyd Thacker
- 2 *Colleges that Change Lives: 40 Schools That Will Change the Way You Think About Colleges*, Loren Pope
- 3 *Harvard Schmarvard: Getting Beyond the Ivy League to the College That is Best for You*, Jay Mathews

Education

- 1 *Tuned in & Fired Up: How Teaching Can Inspire Real Learning in the Classroom*, Sam M. Intrator and Elliot W. Eisner
- 2 *Horace's Hope: What Works for the American High School*, Theodore R.Sizer
- 3 *High Schools on a Human Scale: How Small Schools Can Transform American Education*, Thomas Toch
- 4 *The Challenge to Care in Schools: An Alternative Approach to Education*, Nel Noddings
- 5 *A Mathematician's Lament: How School Cheats Us Out of Our Most Fascinating and Imaginative Art Form*, Paul Lockhart

- 6 *Punished by Rewards: The Trouble with Gold Stars, Incentive Plans, A's, Praise, and Other Bribes*, Alfie Kohn
- 7 *What Every Great Teacher Knows: Practical Principles for Effective Teaching*, Richard A. Gibboney and Clark D. Webb
- 8 *Reading Together: Everything You Need to Know to Raise a Child Who Loves to Read*, Diane W. Frankenstein
- 9 *The Death and Life of the Great American School System: How Testing and Choice Are Undermining Education*, Diane Ravitch
- 10 *The Art of Harmonious and Cooperative Living*, The Meher Schools
- 11 *Engaging Schools, Committee on Increasing High School Students' Engagement and Motivation to Learn*, National Research Council
- 12 *Learning by Heart*, Roland S. Barth
- 13 *Catching Up or Leading the Way: American Education in the Age of Globalization*, Yong Zhao

Great Reads About Life

- 1 *The Tipping Point*, Malcolm Gladwell
- 2 *Outliers*, Malcolm Gladwell
- 3 *A Whole New Mind*, Daniel H. Pink
- 4 *Spark*, John J. Ratey, MD and Eric Hegerman
- 5 *The Element*, Ken Robinson, Ph.D
- 6 *Drive*, Daniel H. Pink
- 7 *Nurture Shock*, Po Bronson and Ashley Merryman

Homework

- 1 *The Homework Myth: Why Our Kids Get Too Much of a Bad Thing*, Alfie Kohn
- 2 *The Case Against Homework: How Homework Is Hurting Our Children and What Parents Can Do About It*, Sara Bennett and Nancy Kalish
- 3 *The Battle Over Homework: Common Ground for Administrators, Teachers, and Parents*, Harris M. Cooper
- 4 *The End of Homework: How Homework Disrupts Families, Overburdens Children, and Limits Learning*, John Buell and Etta Kralovec
- 5 *Rethinking Homework: Best Practices That Support Diverse Needs*, Cathy Vatterott

Parenting Books

- 1 *Everyday Blessings: The Inner Work of Mindful Parenting*, Myla and Jon Kabat-Zinn
- 2 *Unconditional Parenting: Moving From Rewards and Punishment to Love and Reason*, Alfie Kohn
- 3 *Raising Cain: Protecting the Emotional Life of Boys*, Dan Kindlon, Ph.D and Michael Thompson, Ph.D
- 4 *Revolution in the Bleachers: How Parents Can Take Back Family in a World Gone Crazy Over Youth Sports*, Regan McMahon
- 5 *A Nation of Wimps: The High Cost of Invasive Parenting*, Hara Estroff Marano
- 6 *Staying Connected to your Teenager: How to Keep Them Talking to You and How to Hear What They're Really Saying*, Michael Riera, Ph.D
- 7 *The Trouble with Boys: A Surprising Report Card on our Sons, Their Problems at School, and What Parents and Educators Must Do*, Peg Tyre
- 8 *The Best Things Parents Do: Ideas & Insights from Real-World Parents*, Susan Isaacs Kohl

Other Issues in the Film

- 1 *The Global Achievement Gap: Why Even Our Best Schools Don't Teach the New Survival Skills Our Children Need – and What We Can Do About It*, Tony Wagner
- 2 *The Overachievers: The Secret Lives of Driven Kids*, Alexandra Robbins
- 3 *The Over-Scheduled Child: Avoiding the Hyper-Parenting Trap*, Dr. Alvin Rosenfeld M.D., Nicole Wise, and Dr. Robert Coles M.D.
- 4 *The Hurried Child: Growing Up Too Fast Too Soon*, David Elkind, Ph.D
- 5 *Last Child in the Woods: Saving Our Children From Nature-Deficit Disorder*, Richard Louv
- 6 *Mindset: The New Psychology of Success*, Carol S. Dweck, Ph.D
- 7 *Under Pressure: Rescuing Our Children from the Culture of Hyper-Parenting*, Carl Honore
- 8 *The Triple Bind: Saving Our Teenage Girls from Today's Pressures*, Stephen Hinshaw, Ph.D and Rachel Kranz
- 9 *Power of Play*, David Elkind
- 10 *Catching Up or Leading the Way: American Education in the Age of Globalization*, Yong Zhao
- 11 *The Flat World and Education: How America's Commitment to Equity Will Determine Our Future*, Linda Darling Hammond

- 12 *Resiliency: What We Have Learned*, Bonnie Benard
- 13 *Raising Happiness: 10 Simple Steps for More Joyful Kids and Happier Parents*, Christine Carter