HIGHLIGHTED CONTENT FROM OUR MEDIA PARTNERS - March 2020

The Conrad Challenge has partnered with media outlets covering the latest news and thought leadership in global education to share content that will inform educators on best practices for teaching and learning in order to help equip students with 21st century skills needed to succeed. Education leaders can keep up-to-date by checking out the latest podcasts, research, and articles.

Better Leaders, Better Schools

Finding the Strength in Every Student

David Rendell joins the show and draws from his own childhood experiences to discuss the importance of finding the strength in every student.

Overcoming Bias in Leadership

Host Danny Bauer is joined by Joshua Stamper, a North Texas middle school administrator, to discuss how to overcome stigmas, labels, and bias in education. Joshua offers tips and resources for connecting the body to the brain and how to create an immense impact in as little as 30 seconds.

For more, visit www.betterleadersbetterschools.com and follow host Daniel Bauer on Twitter @alienearbud

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Edarabia

COVID-19: 20 Activities to Keep Children Entertained at Home
Discover some cool crafts to keep kids busy and entertained at home during COVID-19 school closures.

20 Free Online Tools to Use During Coronavirus School Closure
Schools across the world are closed due to the Coronavirus, but with this list of free online resources to help facilitate e-learning, educators can access a variety of reliable apps and software tools to support distance learning.

For more, visit www.edarabia.com and follow Edarabia on Twitter @edarabia

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Edchat Interactive

Augmented Reality, Astronomy, Space Missions, and Astronauts
This webinar, led by Denise C. Wright, will share fun ways for students to learn about our solar system. It will help students make sense of astronomy through creating their own scenes and stories using Augmented Reality. Register to join the free webinar on April 29th.

Real Games Used by Real Teachers for Real Learning
Teachers John Fallon and Paul Darvasi will host the webinar and highlight how games can be used to engage students in problem solving and deep learning. The two will discuss how they build and evaluate the activities they use in their classroom, and will facilitate a Q&A with attendees about practical solutions to some hurdles we face as educators. Register to join this free webinar on April 30th.

For more, visit www.edchatinteractive.org and follow EdChat Interactive on Twitter @EdChat_Interact

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EduTechGuys

S6E1 - Matt Dozier
This episode features Matt Dozier, President and CEO of the EAST Initiative, joining to talk about the current landscape of education, the EAST Conference cancellation (due to COVID-19), and the future of education moving forward.

[S5E12 - Claude Charron - Conrad Foundation](#)

In this episode, the guys are joined by Claude Charron, the Conrad Foundation's Director of Education and Professional Development, who talks about what it means for students to develop innovative and entrepreneurial solutions with the Conrad Design Method.

For more, visit www.edutechguys.com and follow EduTech Guys on Twitter [@EduTechGuys](#)

EdTechReview India

[Re-Skilling Teachers to Train Students With 21st Century Learning Skills](#)
Technology has changed our daily lives, including a massive transformation in education. This article provides a few strategies to help ensure teachers have adopted the skills required to impart tech-based education to the new generation of learners.

[Things To Keep in Mind While Creating a BYOD Classroom](#)
Most bring your own device (BYOD) classrooms include the use of personal electronic devices by students to facilitate collaboration and engagement. Discover a few requirements to ensure a successful BYOD environment in your classroom.

For more, visit www.edtechreview.in and follow EdTechReview India on Twitter [@etr_in](#)

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edCircuit

[19 Things to Enrich Students During COVID-19](#)
Author Todd Stanley shares how the COVID-19 school closures provide an opportunity for many teachable moments, and highlights 19 learning opportunities for students during COVID-19, broken into four categories: challenge, recreational, thinking, and academic.

[CoSN Podcast: S1E6, Remote Collaborating and Planning—Timely Tips from AASA, Digital Promise and CoSN](#)
Tune in to hear host Dr. Rod Berger interview three guests on this episode: Samantha Becker, Daniel Foreman, and Diane Doersch. They spend time discussing best practices for working, learning, and living during this challenging time around COVID-19.

For more, visit www.edcircuit.com and follow edCircuit on Twitter [@edCircuit](#)

The EdTech Roundup

Reviews | InferCabulary: Vocabulary Made Visual for K-12 Students

InferCabulary is a web-based, visual vocabulary and reasoning program that helps students use critical thinking to learn the nuanced meanings of words. Learn more about the program's approach to engage students in critical thinking processes and connect with vocabulary in ways that make the learning more meaningful.

Editorial | Five Tools to Promote Educator and Student Collaboration

In today's digital learning environment, technology is a valuable tool to complement good instructional strategies. However, students still need to be taught how to use technology effectively and how to be good digital citizens. Kristi Shaffer, Director of Supervision and Instruction at Archbishop Hannan High School, shares how her school made the switch two years ago from a one-to-one program.

For more, visit www.edtechroundup.org and follow The Ed Tech Roundup on Twitter @ETRoundup

STEM Magazine

STEM Magazine - February 2020

The most recent issue features a 2020 career series to showcase the most common career paths in America today, as well as hands-on relevant learning models, class engineering activities, and more.

STEM Magazine - October 2019

This edition of STEM Magazine features articles on hands-on, relevant learning models, class engineering activities, and more.

For more, visit www.stemmagazine.com and follow STEM Magazine on Twitter @stemmagazine

Transformative Principal

Seeking Support with COVID-19 with Natalie Irons
This episode features a one-to-one coaching session between host Jethro Jones and guest Natalie Irons, who works for UCLA as a trainer and support provider around coaching teachers and administrators.

Future Ready with Tom Murray
Recorded at the 2020 FETC conference, Jethro welcomes Tom Murray, Director of Innovation for Future Ready Schools, as his guest. They discuss what trends are most exciting in education today.

For more, visit www.transformativeprincipal.org and follow Transformative Principal on Twitter @trnfrmprincipal

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TeacherCast

8 Ways To Use Technology To Engage Students In Distance Learning
Devishobha Chandramouli, founder and editor of Kidskintha, discusses great ways to engage kids better during school closures, ease them into difficult-to-grasp concepts, and support continued learning through technology. Readers will discover helpful tools to support these strategies.

How Can Tech Coaches Support Each Other As We Support Our Teachers During Distance Learning Days
In this episode of "Ask the Tech Coach," podcast host Jeff Bradbury is joined by three other school leaders to discuss how tech coaches have helped districts and teachers in preparing for school closures due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

For more, visit www.teachercast.net and follow TeacherCast on Twitter @TeacherCast