

## School Impact! Learning for Educators Professional Learning Rooted in Equity and Community

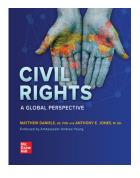
The mission of *School Impact!* is to pursue equitable educational outcomes for all learners by recognizing diverse viewpoints and deeply understanding the communities we serve. Our team is proud to offer professional learning sessions for educators and leaders who strive for authentic representation and student-centered learning in their schools.

## **Culturally Responsive Instruction (CRI)**

Participants will develop an understanding and personal definition of CRI while exploring the four components of the CRI framework. Those who attend will be active participants as they develop their own understanding of what culturally responsive instruction means in a judgement-free learning environment. A follow-up session explores how to apply the CRI framework in classrooms across multiple content areas.

## Learning and Leading From Legacy

*Civil Rights: A Global Perspective* empowers students to examine and embody the non-violent social justice principles of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and other influential human rights activists from around the world. In this session, participants will explore these principles and how we—as educational leaders, change agents, and authors of the next chapter of our legacy—can be inspired by the struggle for civil rights both here and around the world to equip students to communicate, negotiate, and advocate for important causes.



## **Book Study**

A book study creates a community for collaboration and helps educators explore and apply new ideas. It is centered on a mutually agreed upon book that focuses on education. Examples include:

- "Everyday Antiracism: Getting Real About Race in School" by Mica Pollock
- "Cultivating Genius: An Equity Framework for Culturally and Historically Responsive Literacy" by Gholdy Muhammad
- "Biased: Uncovering the Hidden Prejudice That Shapes What We See, Think, and Do" by Jennifer L. Eberhardt PhD

Participants continuously discuss the selected book over multiple sessions. The number of sessions varies based on the book selected and the time allotted for professional learning. Book studies are full of possibilities! Each book sparks conversations with new information, each reader brings their knowledge, experience, and perspectives, and each discussion ignites inspiration.



For more information on these sessions, call **804-314-3408** or email **schoolimpact@mheducation.com** 

