Rational Number Project

Fraction Lessons for the Middle Grades

Level 1

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Merlyn Behr was a founding member of the Rational Number Project. He developed the first draft of the fraction materials that was used in the initial research with children. His insight into children’s learning, and his thoughtful analyses of students’ thinking are an integral part of this curriculum.

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