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**A Functional Learning Resource Center
For an Elementary School**



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The Program of Continuing Education announces a new monograph, "A Functional Learning Resource Center For An Elementary School."

The authors, George Fairgrieve, Jane Coffey and Barbara Lehman, deal with the construction of a Learning Resource Center at McMorrow Elementary School in Clayton, Mo. and discuss the current trend of individualizing instruction.

The monograph, which was edited by Carl Fehrle, explains how the teachers at McMorrow reorganized their teaching methods on the theory that by individualizing materials, time segments, and other learning experiences a child is better able to learn to his full capacity. It shows the new role of the teacher as one of a prescriber rather than a dispenser of information. And, it discusses the material and areas that are best suited for establishing a Learning Resource Center in any school.

This publication is designed to be a tool of reference for working with an LRC and should be useable in establishing a functional plan for individualizing instruction in your school.

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