

ERIC in 2018

ERIC is a free, online database of education research that serves more than 12 million researchers, educators, students, and others from 238 countries. Since 1966 ERIC has added more than 1.7 million records of journal articles, reports, and other materials. About 1 million records are for peer-reviewed work and 400,000 records have free full text available from ERIC.

Here's what we did this year:

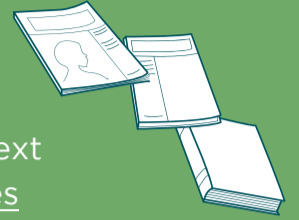
PURSUED GOOD SOURCES

Identified new journals and grey-literature sources (including publications from nonprofits, advocacy organizations, and government organizations). A unique feature of ERIC is the inclusion of grey literature, which are works from sources not typically indexed by commercial databases. In 2018, ERIC selected:

42 new journals **17 new grey-literature sources**

TOTAL SOURCES

- 1,178 journals
 - 335 journals with full text
- 807 grey-literature sources
 - 621 grey-literature sources with full text
- 891 grantee submissions resulting from the IES Public Access Policy



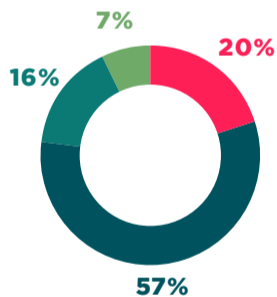
WORKED TO MAKE RESEARCH PUBLICLY AVAILABLE

Negotiated with publishers to make as much content freely available on the ERIC website as possible and linked to free content on publisher websites for 185 journals and 126 non-journal sources. In 2018, ERIC added:

- **4,717 new full-text journal articles**
- **8,441 new grey-literature documents**
- **5,462 previously embargoed articles**



CREATED RECORDS WITH SUPPORTING INFORMATION



2018 COLLECTION HIGHLIGHTS

Total Records

- **9,783 PEER REVIEWED/FULL TEXT**
- **3,412 NOT PEER REVIEWED/FULL TEXT**
- **27,531 PEER REVIEWED/NO FULL TEXT**
- **7,460 NOT PEER REVIEWED/NO FULL TEXT**

Created records that provide [information about each article](#), so users know if resources are a good fit. In 2018, ERIC created:

48,186 records, including **37,314 peer-reviewed materials**, and **13,195 articles with full text**.

POWERED SEARCH ENGINES WITH ERIC METADATA

[Shared ERIC metadata](#) to enable search engines, academic databases, and other providers to power their searches with ERIC data. This helps users find good research, wherever they are searching.



INTEGRATED WITH OTHER IES RESOURCES

Linked applicable records with other IES resources, including [What Works Clearinghouse study pages](#), [abstracts from grants funded by IES Research Centers](#), and [Ask-a-REL responses](#). These interrelationships provide additional information and assist users in finding valuable IES resources.



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