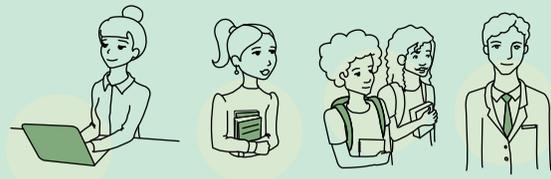


2019 ERIC YEAR IN REVIEW



The mission of ERIC is to provide a comprehensive, easy-to-use, searchable Internet-based bibliographic and full-text database of [education research and information](#). In 2019, ERIC served 12 million [users](#) from 238 countries, including researchers, educators, students, and policymakers. Here's what we did to support our mission in 2019.

NEW THIS YEAR



Launched the ERIC API providing users with a new option for searching and downloading ERIC's freely available metadata. The [API tool](#) lets users try it out. See the [video](#) and [webinar](#).



Updated the ERIC Thesaurus and Identifiers by adding **21** descriptors, **19** synonyms, updating **184** thesaurus terms, and adding **24** new identifiers. Hear about the update in the [recorded webinar](#).



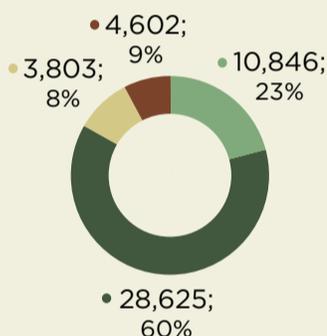
Created Publisher Metrics Reports to share article-level metrics on how many ERIC users viewed and downloaded their content. In 2019, the report was sent to **1,098** active publishers.



Reached out to education policymakers to inform them of ERIC's free, full-text resources and how to [share their work with ERIC](#).

ADDED RESEARCH TO THE COLLECTION

Collection Highlights



- Full Text and Peer Reviewed
- Full Text and Not Peer Reviewed
- No Full Text and Peer Reviewed
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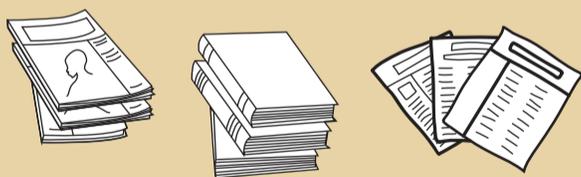
ERIC's 1.8 million records of journal articles and reports grew in 2019 by:

47,876 new records, including

- **39,471** [peer reviewed](#)
- **10,846** [peer reviewed with full text](#)

PARTNERED WITH CONTENT CONTRIBUTORS

ERIC [reviewed publications](#) from over **650** publishers to determine if their content meets the Selection Policy criteria for addition to the collection.



ERIC actively indexed content from **1,935** sources, including:

- **1,178** [journals](#)
 - **364** permit full text
 - **1,166** peer-reviewed journals
- **757** [grey-literature sources](#)
 - **591** permit full text
 - **58** provide peer-reviewed content
- **486** [grantee submissions](#) resulted from the IES Public Access Policy

Publishers provided content to ERIC through a variety of [delivery mechanisms](#).

INCREASED FULL TEXT IN ERIC



- Released full text for 1,145 articles previously under publisher embargo. ERIC encourages publishers to make content freely available in ERIC.
- Added 61 new publishers that permit full-text display of their articles in ERIC.
- Restored 1,792 previously unreadable PDFs to the collection.