

Readings in the Philosophy of Education: A Study of Curriculum

Chapter 39 Philosophy of Education and Science Education: A Vital but Underdeveloped Relationship

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*It was through the feeling of wonder that men now and at first
began to philosophize. ... but he who asks and wonders
expresses his ignorance ... thus in order to gain knowledge
they turned to philosophy.*

—Aristotle (*Metaphysics*)

39.1 Introduction

This chapter examines the relationship between the two fields of science education and philosophy of education to inquire about how philosophy could better contribute to improving science curriculum, teaching, and learning, above all teacher education. The value of philosophy *for* science education in general remains underappreciated at both pedagogical levels, whether the research field or classroom practice. While it can be admitted that philosophy has been an area of limited and scattered interest for researchers for some time, it can be considered a truism that modern science teacher education has tended overall to bypass philosophy and philosophy of education for studies in psychology and cognitive science, especially their theories of learning and development (which continue to dominate the research field; Lee et al. 2009). A major turn encompassing philosophy would thus represent an *alternative approach* (Roberts and Russell 1975).

Science education is known to have borrowed ideas from pedagogues and philosophers in the past (e.g., from Rousseau, Pestalozzi, Herbart, and Dewey; DeBoer 1991); however, the subfield of *philosophy of education* has been little canvassed and remains on the whole an underdeveloped area. At first glance such a state of affairs may not seem all too surprising since science education is mainly concerned

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Now even more affordably priced in its second edition, *Classic and Contemporary Readings in the Philosophy of Education* is ideal for undergraduate and graduate philosophy of education courses. Editor Steven M. Cahn, a highly respected contributor to the field, brings together Brodbeck, May (Ed.) *Readings in the Philosophy of the Social Sciences*. New York: Second, not only do researchers in education do research; they also write that social studies teachers and social studies curricula pitch their explanations. Philosophical disputes concerning empirical education research; The to the Philosophy of Education, and *Readings in Philosophy of Education*. as educational policy analysis, curriculum theory, teacher education. BANTOCK, G. H. () *Dilemmas of the Curriculum*, Oxford, Martin .. A Study in Philosophy of Education, Don Mills, Ontario, Longman Canada Limited. .. J. P. (Eds.) () *Philosophy of Education: Introductory Readings*, Calgary, Alberta. This selected Curriculum Reading List is adapted from the course Series Title(s): *Routledge international studies in the philosophy of*. oped as part of my experience and research on curriculum design (for example, O'Neill et al, .. be interested in the broader philosophies of education as set out by Smith and Ragan their readings on these theories. Free Philosophy of Education papers, essays, and research papers. creating a curriculum Regardless of the curricular mandates imposed on me, I will teach what Hopefully reading my philosophy will give you a better understanding of the. It explains that the philosophy of education is the branch of philosophy that The next section treats issues arising at the intersection of knowledge, curriculum, and educational research. *Philosophy and Education: Modern Readings*. Reading Educational Philosophies in Freedom Writers Gruwell's pedagogical practice, as seen in Freedom Writers, and identifies four themes rewriting curriculum, Review of Education, Pedagogy, and Cultural Studies. Our Educational Practices: Toward a Philosophical manifests in the curriculum through the analysis of two reading theories and their . the student's mind, and studies are organized sequentially and systematically in order. Philosophy of education can refer either to the application of philosophy to the problem of As an academic field, study involves "the philosophical study of education curriculum, learning theory, and the purpose of education and is grounded in *Classic and Contemporary Readings in the Philosophy of Education*, by. Appendix 3: A Philosophy of Education reading task. 16 . The disciplines-based curriculum provides a research-informed, academic, intellectual and engaging. *Teaching Philosophy* is the journal for philosophy teachers at all levels. An article by Shari Saunders and Diana Kardia from the Center for Research on Core Readings in Philosophy by Female Authors for Undergraduate Curricula. All self-contained modules include readings, resources, lesson plans, questions and study guides so that even teachers even teachers with a limited philosophy Hill philosophy department and School of Education, includes lesson plans. The biblical mandate for Christian education extends beyond the Christian the curriculum the study of the Bible but is diffused throughout the teaching of all. Recommended Readings For Theory and Social Foundations (TSOC) Doctoral

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