Recommended Resources for More Information on Lesson Study

- The Lesson Study Research Group at Teachers College, Columbia University, has a number of practical resources. You can find it online at www.tc.edu/lessonstudy/lessonstudy.html.

- An online article by Sonal Chokshi and Clea Fernandez in *The Professional Journal for Education* from Phi Delta Kappa explores challenges to the use of the Japanese Lesson Study model. You can find the article online at www.pdkintl.org/kappan/k0403cho.htm.

- The Lesson Study Group at Mills College lists a number of articles and resources that explain lesson study and provide recommendations on its implementation. You can find it online at www.lessonresearch.net.

Recommended Resources for More Information on Action Research

- Jean McNiff's action-research booklet can be found online at www.jeanmcniff.com/booklet1.html.

- An article by Emily Calhoun in *Educational Leadership* provides a case study of how to implement action research in a school. You can find it online at www.wethersfield.k12.ct.us/Curriculum/action_research.pdf.

- For nearly twenty years, Marian Mohr has been writing about the work of teacher researchers. She has published countless articles and books about the action-research process on behalf of the National Writing Project. Her 2008 article provides a complete chronology of her publications and includes direct links to many pieces available online. You can access the article at www.nwp.org/cs/public/print/resource/2508.

- The Graduate School of Education at George Mason University has assembled an impressive collection of resources for teachers interested in beginning action-research projects that covers topics ranging from collecting data to publishing findings. You can find it online at http://gse.gmu.edu/research/tr/tr_action/.

- Richard Sagor's *Guiding School Improvement with Action Research* (2000) is a classic title that provides readers with a foundational understanding of the connections between action research and improved teaching and learning as well as a detailed overview of the action-research process.

- Wikipedia provides a general overview of action research, along with suggested readings and resource links. You can find that listing online at http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Action_research.