

# EQUITY COMMITTEE BOOK REVIEW

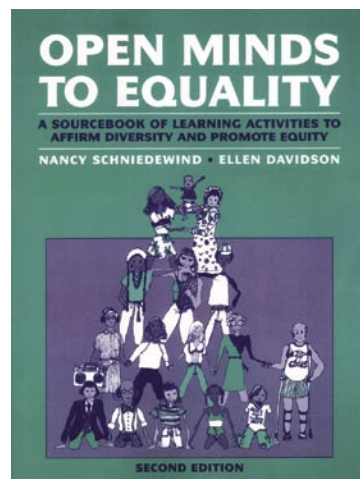
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The NSTU Equity Committee is pleased to provide reviews for resources which may be beneficial to members dealing with equity issues.

Many educators are looking for learning activities to promote diversity and equity within their classrooms, their staffrooms, and their schools. This month's book entitled *Open Minds To Equality* by Nancy Schniedewind and Ellen Davidson, contains just such activities. The book's 387 pages contain 11 chapters of various thematic activities and worksheets, a resource section and an annotated bibliography.

"It features a series of ready-to-implement learning activities in a variety of both traditional curriculum areas and interdisciplinary ones, an inclusive framework for thinking about diversity and responding practically to various forms of difference in classrooms, coverage of complex equity issues beyond "the basics", a variety of lesson styles that include role plays, case studies, dilemma stories, cooperative learning activities, and a very engaging, readable format with helpful illustrations."

***The Teacher has a copy of this book to give away so e-mail your name, home address, and school or campus to [theteacher@nstu.ca](mailto:theteacher@nstu.ca) by December 4 to be eligible for the draw.***



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