
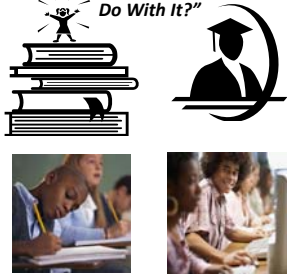


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SAVING A GENERATION

If todays young people are to have an equal opportunity to survive in an ever changing, increasingly complex, and highly competitive world, they most pursue education and master the workplace skills necessary to compete. These facts are especially true for Black and other minority youth.

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It is the joint responsibility of
young people, parents, educators,
the church, and the community to
assure that the current generation
does not get left behind!



What Does the Church Have To Do With It?

**THE CHURCH MUST UNDERSTAND
THE PROCESS OF CAREER
DEVELOPMENT**

AWARENESS
(Elementary)

EXPLORATION
(Middle School/Junior High)

PREPARATION
(High School)

**TALK ABOUT EDUCATION, WORK AND
WHAT EMPLOYERS ARE LOOKING FOR . . .**

BASIC SKILLS
Reading
Writing
Arithmetic
Mathematics
Listening
Speaking

THINKING SKILLS
Creative Thinking
Decision Making
Problem Solving
Knowing How To Learn
Reasoning

PERSONAL QUALITIES
Responsibility
Self-Esteem
Social Skills
Self-Management
Integrity/Honesty

SOME REASONS FOR ACADEMIC LETDOWN

1. Insufficient time spent in class preparation.
2. Failure to understand the nature of assignments or to clarify requirements with instructor.
3. Failure to carry out special assignments: papers, outside reading, and etc.
4. Lack of participation in class discussions or group projects.
5. Lack of knowledge about the use of reference materials.
6. Lack of ability to concentrate.
7. Lack of proper study environment.
7. Excessive participation in extra-curricular activities.
8. Excessive work demands.
9. Apparent lack of motivation or lack of interest in prescribed courses.
10. Lack of sufficient training in the basic skills.
1) Reading; 2) Writing; 3) Speech; 4) Mathematics

SOME REASONS FOR ACADEMIC LETDOWN - CONTINUED

11. Strained faculty and/or administrative relations.
12. Poor state of physical health: insufficient diet, lack of exercise or relaxation, abuse of drugs, or chronic illness.
13. Lack of vocational or education goals which are in keeping with student's ability or actual interest.



LEARNING IS A PARTNERSHIP

❖ **Dorothy Rich** says that sometimes we forget about the important role that families play as children become teenagers.

❖ Learning is a partnership between parent, child and school and the church must, as in the days of old, be a conduit to foster the same. . .
