



**A NEW Pre-K program designed to develop, inspire, and grow little learners on their way to Grade K.**

## Welcome to *DIG*!

By balancing developmentally appropriate skills with just the right amount of play, *DIG* supports teachers as they develop, inspire, and grow early learners on their way to K. It's designed with:

- Daily, robust math and literacy instruction.
- Dramatic role play that fosters social relationships and self-regulation.
- Integrated science and social studies themes.
- Focus questions that set the stage for inquiry-based learning.
- Action rhymes, fingerplays, and songs featuring Dr. Jean Feldman.
- Puppets and other developmentally-appropriate, playful materials.
- A comprehensive and ongoing formative assessment path.

## Featuring



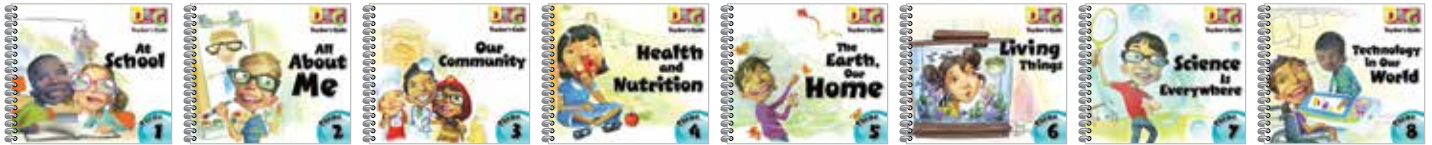
**DIG: Develop. Inspire. Grow.®**

Component	ISBN	Price
DIG Complete Program	GG978-0-7665-2000-4	<b>\$2895.00</b>
Implementation Training and PD		<b>Call for pricing</b>

## Brand New, Comprehensive Pre-K Program

*DIG* is everything a teacher needs to develop, inspire, and grow children across all learning domains in a balanced way.

### Thematic Units



*DIG*'s **eight thematic units** of integrated science, social studies, literacy, and math instruction anchor learning throughout the year and help children make solid and lasting content connections. With each unit lasting four weeks, students have **ample time to dive deeper into various aspects of the theme.**

### Social Emotional

Children need stories and models for dealing with feelings and relationships in the classroom. Throughout *DIG*, children have **daily opportunities to explore common social topics** in safe, nonthreatening, and encouraging ways.

### Oral Language

Language acquisition is where learning begins, and it starts well before the first days of school. *DIG* draws children in, **motivates them to use new words, and sparks rich conversations**—at school and at home.

### Robust Math

A strong foundation in mathematics means earlier success with complex math concepts. That's why *DIG* delivers **robust instruction in foundational math skills** and age-appropriate methods and practices.

### Active Literacy

The more actively engaged young children are, the more solid learning becomes. That's why *DIG*'s **meaningful literacy routines feature Dr. Jean and the Letter People**, two perfect partners for building emergent reading concepts.

### Differentiation

Pre-K teachers deal with an immense range of ability levels, **from three-year-olds to English Language Learners, and from children with special needs to those who need enrichment.** That's why *DIG* supports teachers with point-of-use strategies each and every day.

### Small Group & Centers

Instructional time can take many forms. *DIG*'s **daily, small-group instruction in literacy and math** strengthen, reteach, and extend concepts, while **hands-on Learning Centers** help children practice skills independently.

### Family Involvement

Authentic, meaningful home-school connections are critical to the success of any early childhood program. *DIG* **supports teachers in fostering positive family relationships** and provides so many resources to help families become active members of the school community.

### Assessment

In order to ensure consistent, upward progress toward kindergarten readiness, teachers must know how well their students grasp skills and content. *DIG*'s **ongoing, program-embedded assessment tools** fully support teachers in progress monitoring, planning, reteaching, and data collection.

### Professional Development

*DIG* helps teachers do big things, too! With **fully supportive teaching resources and flexible training options**, *DIG* delivers guidance that's manageable and easy to use. Call for more details about *DIG*'s:

- Program-embedded tips from the experts
- On-demand, virtual training modules
- On-site implementation training options