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CHANGING MINDS**

Lessons learned from four Minnesota school districts that have weathered the storm surrounding the adoption and implementation of standards-based mathematics curriculum materials.

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JOHN GLENN

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