

## JEFF WINOKUR

Jeff Winokur works on issues pertaining to early childhood and elementary science professional development in various capacities with teachers, schools, and districts. In his 19 years at Education Development Center (EDC) he has worked on a number of projects including the Center for Urban Science Education Reform, the K-12 Science Materials Dissemination Center, Cultivating Young Scientists, and Literacy and Academic Success for English Learners through Science (LASerS). Jeff is one of the developers and co-authors of materials designed to help elementary teachers make connections between science and literacy: *Science and Literacy--A Natural Fit*, and *The Essentials of Science and Literacy* (Heinemann). Jeff is also one of the developers and co-authors of *The Young Scientist Series*, an early childhood science curriculum (Red Leaf Press). He has co-authored a number of articles that have appeared in the National Science Teachers Association (NSTA) journal *Science and Children* and is co-author of a chapter in *Linking Science & Literacy in the K-8 Classroom* (NSTA Press).

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