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Correlational Study on Use of the Beyond Textbooks Framework to Raise Student Achievement Scores

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WestEd Research Findings

In January 2019, after a yearlong correlational study was conducted on the effectiveness of the Beyond Textbooks framework, WestEd researchers shared their findings.

An excerpt from the report states, "Beyond Textbooks, a comprehensive framework of curriculum development, instructional improvement, student assessment, and multi-level interventions designed to improve student achievement, reaches over 9,000 teachers and 137,000 students at all grade levels, mostly in the state of Arizona. This study examines the correlational relationship between schools' use of the framework and changes in students' reading and math achievement using two types of statistical modeling."

"The first type of analysis uses regression modeling to identify the change in school-wide student proficiency between 2015-2016 that is