Concepts addressed:
Instruction connected to children’s personal experiences; assumptions that ALL children have had similar experiences are not made

Students should refer to: “Classroom Assessment: What Teachers Need to Know” by Popham (3rd Edition) Chapter 1

Specifically, students should review:

- Concept maps
- Webbing
- KWL
- Context
- Home environment
- Socio-economic status
- Culture
- Parent report
- Value of
  - Tying experiences into lessons
  - Expanding existing ideas
  - Scaffolding
  - Peer learning

Helpful websites include:
Harcourt Educational Measurement: www.hbem.com
ERIC Clearinghouse on Assessment & Evaluation: www.ericae.net
Eisenhower National Clearinghouse: www.enc.org