

Teacher education and Design-Based Research: Examples of in-service inclusion and pre-service formation

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The inclusion of educational innovation in STEM is among the objectives of many secondary schools in Spain. However, teachers, due to their teaching commitments, do not have time to keep up to date with the results of research in education or to design materials based on these results. With the aim of including educational research in the classroom, we have worked along two lines: inservice and pre-service teachers. The first of the proposals aims to include secondary school teachers actively in different phases of the Design-Based Research process. The second line of action aims to provide future teachers with tools for the design and evaluation of STEM proposals that include research results in science education.

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