Leaders

John Dewey - "Father of Progressive Education"

Psychologist, philosopher, reformer

Children should learn from experience

Ella Flagg Young

Leader of the child study movement

Wrote Isolation in the Schools → argued that schools had adopted the mechanisms of industry

Progressive Education Association

Members wanted to collect and provide information publicly regarding the new school

Progressivism in Action

Cardinal Principles of Secondary Education

Reimagine basics of schooling to fit what students need to be successful in society and life beyond school

Progressive Education

Referred to as "child centered" or "social reconstructionist"

A deeper look needed to be taken into the social role of education

Problems in society could be fixed with proper education, safe environment, and efficient workplace

Industrialized America increasingly socially and economically responsive that took

1890-1920

Progressivism

Sources

