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Dr. Nancy L. Commins

**Integrating Immigrant Students into the School System –
Best Practices in the U.S.**

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Dr. Nancy Commins has worked with linguistically diverse students in a variety of capacities over the past three decades. Her roles have included classroom teacher in both ESOL and bilingual programs, university professor, program director, and school district administrator. She is co-author of two books “Restructuring Schools for Linguistic Diversity: Linking Decision Making to Effective Programs.” (Teachers College Press) Linguistic Diversity and Teaching (Lawrence Erlbaum).

Currently she works as an independent consultant assisting schools and districts in their efforts to improve instruction for linguistically diverse populations. She is also a Senior Instructor in the Linguistically Diverse Education Program in the School of Education and Human Development at the University of Colorado at Denver.