

The New American High School

author: Ted Sizer, Nancy Faust Sizer - introduction, Deborah Meier - foreword

2026-07

Synopsis

author	Ted Sizer, Nancy Faust Sizer - introduction, Deborah Meier - foreword
readBy	Noah Michael Levine
inLanguage	english

The late Theodore Sizer's vision for a truly democratic public high school system.

Our current high schools are ill-designed and inefficient. We have inherited a program of studies that in its overall structure has not changed in over a century. The question is, "What's next?"

Theodore Sizer, the founder of The Coalition of Essential Schools, was a passionate advocate for the American school system. In this, his last audiobook, he offers a vision of what a future secondary education might look like.

In an audiobook that tells the story of his own odyssey, Sizer, author of landmark book *Horace's Compromise* and one of America's greatest leaders of educational reform, gives shape to a much-needed agenda for improving our high schools.

Reader's comments

comment 1:

â€"â€" ()