"A small but growing number of schools have begun to apply cooperative principles at the school as well as the classroom level."

—Robert Slavin

Collegial Learning
At Mount Vernon Community School (Alexandria, Virginia), the teachers and the principal practice what they preach about cooperative learning and, in so doing, set a powerful example for their students. Here principal Phyllis Beall-Past (on right in blue) and teachers (going clockwise from left) Betty Ross, Jeffrey Rivers, Annie Somphong, and Jason Garrison work as a learning team in mathematics. Photograph by M.C. Valada. Design by Al Way.