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**Navigating Conflict: How Youth Handle Conflict in a High-Poverty School**

by Calvin Morrill and Michael Musheno

Urban schools are often associated with violence, chaos, and youth aggression. But is this reputation really the whole picture?

In *Navigating Conflict: How Youth Handle Conflict in a High Poverty School* (University of Chicago Press, 2018), Calvin Morrill and Michael Musheno challenge the violence-centered conventional wisdom of urban youth studies, revealing instead the social ingenuity with which teens informally and peacefully navigate strife-ridden peer trouble.

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