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	Sommario/riassunto	This book makes a defence of compassion as an essential and significant quality that should be at the heart of the education of young people. It provides a careful exploration of what compassion means; how it is relevant to the various relationships among students, teachers, and the wider community; and the particular pedagogical processes that can and might develop compassion. Understanding and justifying compassion as a virtue, this book argues that compassion is

a virtue central to all human relationships from the familial, to the
communal and to the global. It will be of interest to academics,
 research and students of education.