



Guide By Your Side

Resource List

The Virginia Department for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (VDDHH) maintains a lending library that includes an early intervention tool kit. A listing of VDDHH and other Virginia and national specific agencies is available in the Virginia Department of Health's booklet entitled, *Virginia Resource Directory for Parents of Children with Hearing Loss*, found at www.vahealth.org/hearing.

WEBSITES

Animated American Sign Language Dictionary

<http://www.masterstech-home.com/ASLDict.html>

This site provides both videos and animations demonstrating signs and fingerspelling for a glossary of English vocabulary items. Also contains many links to related sites.

American Annals of the Deaf

<http://gupress.gallaudet.edu/annals/>

A professional journal dedicated to quality in education and related services for children and adults who are deaf or hard of hearing.

Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

www.agbell.org

An international, non-profit, membership organization that helps promote better public understanding of hearing loss in children and adults.

American Sign Language Dictionary Online

www.deafwordweb.org/asl/

Beach Center: Family Resources

www.beachcenter.org

Boys Town National Research Hospital

<http://www.boystownhospital.org/parents/info/index.asp>

Provides helpful information to parents of children with hearing loss.

California State University Northridge

<http://menus.csun.edu/MENUS%20text/index.html>

An excellent resource for professionals, educators and parents as a National Center of Deafness.

Deaf Education Option Web

<http://www.notepage.com/dahoh/dlinks.htm>

Presented here are descriptions and discussions concerning the various communication training that can be used by deaf children and their families. Includes information regarding technology.

Hearing Health Magazine

www.hearinghealthmag.com

Website has feature articles from current issues, including a considerable amount regarding newborns, deafness and consumer information.

Sign2me

www.sign2me.net

Features the benefits of teaching sign language to babies.

ASCO

<http://www.adcohearing.com/>

Assistive technology link with some great books

Butte Publications

www.buttepublishing.com

Quality ASL books.

Hearing Resource Links

www.islandhearing.com/links.html

HIP Magazine

www.hipmag.org

Magazine for children who are deaf or hard of hearing and their pals. It is published five times a year. Berkley, CA \$16.95/yr.

KidSource OnLine

www.kidsource.com

Provides a link to "What is Early Intervention?" discussion area for parents.

Listen Up

<http://www.listen-up.org/>

This web site was established by the parents of children who are hard of hearing. It includes discussion of communication stimulation program that is marketed on the site. Many related links for both parents and children.

Michigan State University ASL Browser Web Site

<http://commtechlab.msu.edu/sites/aslweb/browser.htm>

A basic dictionary of ASL terms using quick time video clips.

National Deaf Education Project

www.ndepnow.org

This web site contains resources about National reformation projects including, The National Agenda and Deaf Child Bill of Rights.

Oral Deaf Education

www.oraldeafed.org

Free resources for parents of children who are deaf and hard of hearing, in English, Spanish, French, and Chinese.

Speechreading

www.mambo.ucsc.edu/psl/lipr.html

Contains publication abstracts and graphics from several researchers in the area of lip-reading.

Where Do We Go From Hear?

www.gohear.org

Award winning site by the Colorado mother of a boy who is hard of hearing. Offers family stories, resources, and unique dolls with hearing aids.

The following list of books, videos and materials may be available through your local library and/or through the extensive lending library at the Virginia Department for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (www.vddhh.org/fyi-lib.htm).

BOOKS:

American Sign Language Dictionary: Sternberg M.L.A. New York: Harper and Row.

A Personal Quest for Educational Excellence for a Hard of Hearing Child: Self Help for Hard of Hearing, www.shhh.org

A Child Sacrificed to the Deaf Culture: By Tom Bertling. Wilsonville, Or: Kodiak Media Group, (1994)

Balancing Act: By Virginia M Scott. Butte Publications, Inc., (1997)

Choices in Deafness: A Parent's Guide: Edited by Sue Schwartz, Ph.D. Woodbine House, (1996)

Come Sign with Us: Sign Language Activities for Children: By Jan C. Hafer and Robert M. Wilson. Illustrated by Paul Setzer.

Cochlear Implants: a handbook: By Bonnie Poitras Tucker. Published by Jefferson, N.C.: McFarland, (1998)

Cochlear Implants in Children: Ethics and Choices: By John B. Christianson and Irene W. Geigh, Washington, D.C.: Gallaudet University Press, (2002)

Cochlear Implantation for Infants and Children: Senior editor, Graeme M. Clark: editors, Robert S.C. Cowan, Richard C. Dowell. Published by San Diego: Singular Pub. Group, (1997)

Deaf History Unveiled: By John Vickrey Van Cleve, Editor

Deaf Plus: A Multicultural Perspective: By K.M. Christensen, Ed. Berkeley, CA: DawnSignPress, (2000)

Deaf President Now: The 1988 Revolution at Gallaudet University: John B. Christiansen and Sharon N. Barnartt

Educational and Communication Needs of Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children: A Statement of Principle Regarding Fundamental Systemic Educational Change
Lawrence Siegel, National Deaf Education Project, (2000)

Facilitating Hearing and Listening in Young Children: By Carol Flexer, 2nd edition, San Diego, CA: Singular Publishing Group, (1999)

From Emotions to Advocacy: The Special Education Survival Guide: Pam Wright and Pete Wright: Harbor House Law Press, Inc. www.wrightslaw.com

Foundations of Bilingual Education and Bilingualism: Baker, C. Clevedon: Multilingual Matters, (1996)

How the Student with Hearing Loss Can Succeed in College: A handbook for Students, Families and Professionals. Edited by Carol Flexer, Ph.D., Denise Wray, Ph.D., and Ron Leavitt, M.S. Foreword by Mark Ross, Ph.D. Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf, Inc., (1990)

Handtalk School: By Mary Beth: New York: Toronto: New York: Four Winds Press; Collier Macmillan Canada; Maxwell Macmillan International, (1991)

IDEA Advocacy for Children who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing: By Bonnie Poitras Tucker, J.D. Singular Publishing Group, (1997)

Kid-Friendly Parenting with Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children: By Daria J. Medwid, Denise Chapman Weston, Washington, D.C.: Clerc books, (1995)

My Sense of Silence: memoirs of a childhood with deafness: By Lennard J. Davis. Urbana: University of Illinois Press, (2000)

Never the Twain Shall Meet: Bell, Gallaudet, and the Communications Debate. Richard Winefield

Not Deaf Enough: Raising a Child who is Hard of Hearing with Hugs, Humor and Imagination: Patricia Ann Morgan Candlish, Washington, D.C.: Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf, (1996)

Our Forgotten Children: Hard of Hearing Pupils in the Schools: Edited by Julia Davis, Ph.D., SHHH Publications, 3rd edition (2001)

Raising and Educating a Deaf Child: by Marc Marschart, New York: Oxford University Press, (1997)

Signs for Me: basic sign vocabulary for children: by Gahan, B., & Dannis, J., Berkeley, CA: Dawn Sign Press (1990)

Sounds Like Home: Growing Up Black and Deaf in the South: by Mary Hering Wright

So Your Child Has a Hearing Loss: next steps for parents: Washington, DC: AG Bell, (2000)

Special Children, Challenged Parents: the struggles and rewards of raising a child with a disability: by Robert A Naseef, Secaucus, N.J.: Carol Pub. Group, (1997) Teacher Training Workshop: SHHH Publications, (1992)

The Politics of American Sign Language in Deaf Education: Nover, S. & Ruiz, R., Brenda Schick and Mary P. Moeller (Eds.): Boys Town National Research Hospital: Omaha, Neb. (1994)

The Silent Garden: Ogden, P.W., & Lipsett, S., New York: St. Martin Press (1982)

The Comprehensive Signed English Dictionary: Harry Bornstein, Karen L. Saulnier, and Lillian B. Hamilton, Editors

The Mask of Benevolence: disabling the deaf community: By Harlan Lane, New York: Knopf, (1992)

The Signing Family: what every parent should know about sign communication: By David A. Stewart, Washington, D.C.: Gallaudet University Press, (1998)

The Feel of Silence: By Bonnie Poitras Tucker, J.D., Temple University Press, (1996)

What's That Pig Outdoors?: autobiography of Henry Kisor, oral deaf book editor and columnist for the Chicago Sun Times. Henry Kisor, (1990)

When Bad Things Happen to Good People: Kushner, H, (1981) New York: Avon Books

When the Mind Hears: By Harlan Lane,

When your Child is Deaf: David M. Luterman with audiologist Mark Ross, New York Press

Wrightslaw: Special Education Law: Peter W.D. Wright and Pamela Darr Wright Harbor Law Press, 1st edition (1999) www.wrightslaw.com

VIDEOS:

A good source of loaner videos is the Captioned Media Program:

The Described and Captioned Media Program

National Association of the Deaf

1447 E. Main Street

Spartanburg, SC 29307

1-800-237-6213 (VOICE); 1-800-237-6819 (TTY); 1-800-538-5636 (FAX)

www.dcmp.org

What Is the Described and Captioned Media Program? Free-loan Media (no rental fees); Open-captioned (no need for a decoder); Video-described media for persons who are blind or visually impaired; Funded by the U.S. Department of Education; Includes prepaid return labels; Deaf or hard of hearing persons, people who are blind or visually impaired, teachers, parents, and other may borrow materials; Other services include provision of free captioning information.

What Media Is Available? Over 4,000 educational and general-interest open-captioned titles available; Educational titles include topics in school subject areas, preschool through college; Lesson guides accompany educational videos; General-interest titles include classic movies and special-interest topics such as travel, hobbies, recreation, and others; Approximately 300 new titles are added each year (users recommended new title purchases).

A is for Access: Creating Full & Effective Communication Access for Students who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing To order, call Hands & Voices Tol-Free: 1-866-422-0422 V/TTY in Colorado: 303-300-9763 or download an order form at

www.handsandvoices.org

American Culture: The Deaf Perspective. (4tapes) Available from the San Francisco Public Library, TDD (415) 557-4433 or V (415) 557-4434

Auditory-Verbal Therapy for Parents and Professionals: Introduces AV therapy, speech-language development, etc. via parent stories and taped therapy sessions, from A.G. Bell (202) 337-8767

Beginnings: A program that examines all communication choices without bias; from Beginnings, V/TTD (919) 733- 5920

Building conversations: A family sign language curriculum, produced by Boys Town National Research Hospital. (2 tapes)

Computer-Assisted Note taking (CAN): You see it-visual technologies for Deaf and Hard of Hearing People. Gallaudet University

Come sign with us: Children can learn sign language from the popular activities featured in the best-selling book: *Come sign with us* on videotape. Gallaudet University Press

Dreams Spoken Here available at www.oraldeaf.org

Do You Hear That? Shows auditory-verbal therapy is therapy is session with children who have hearing aids or cochlear implants; for parents, educators and professionals from A.G. Bell (202) 337-8767

Early Intervention Illustrated Series: "The Home Team" and "The Art & Science of Home Visits." To view these tapes, contact your Colorado Hearing Resource (CO-Hear) Coordinator. To purchase a copy, contact Boys Town Press or Hope, Inc.

Families with hard of hearing children: What if you child has a hearing loss? Parents and professionals talk about having a hard-of-hearing child.

Home Total Communication Video Tapes: Shows over 1000 signs, available from Hope, Inc. 809 North 800 East, Logan, Utah 84321, (801) 752-9533

I Can Hear! Describes the auditory-verbal approach for developing speech and language; families and professionals profiles, available from A.G. Bell (202) 337-8767

I See What You Say: A 12-minute introduction to Cued Speech from the Cued Speech Center, (919) 828-121

Information for Parents of Children with Hearing Loss - Virginia's Resource Guide for Parents: A videotaped version of the resource guide presented in sign language, spoken English and open caption, Virginia Early Hearing, Detection and Intervention office, (804) 864-7717

The Kids with the Hi-Tech Ears: Supporting Students with Cochlear Implants in the Classroom; from SCS,Inc., (303) 639-5806 for ordering information.

Language Says It all: Los Angeles, CA. TRIPOD Productions, (1987), 1/2"VHS.

Lost Dreams and Growth: a 70-minute videotape, by Ken Moses. Available from Resource Networks, (312) 862- 4522, 930 Maple Ave. Evanston, IL 60202. (1988)

Mother's Look at Total Communication: A VHS tape available by Modern Signs Press

Positive Parenting: A family sign language curriculum. Produced by the Center for Hearing Loss in Children (2 tapes)

Parents' guide to deafness and hearing loss: Covers such topics, as how to communicate, where to go for help, and what the child's educational experience will be. Madison, WI: University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics, Dept. of Outreach Education. (1 tape)

Read With Me Series: Brenda Schick and Mary Pat Moeller; Boystown Press
www.girlsandboystown.org/products

Show and Tell: Explains the challenges hearing impairments impose on mainstream teachers, from the Clarke School, available from A.G. Bell (202) 337-8767

Sign Cartoons: Including Superman, Casper, Raggedy Ann, Three Bears, Popeye, and Three Little Pigs, available from HOPE, Inc.

Sign Enhancers: Showing ASL use, call sign Enhancers 1-800-76-sign-1

Sign With Me: **Sign With Me Series - A family Sign Language Curriculum**
Boystown Press Brenda Schick and Mary Pat Moeller
www.girlsandboystown.org/products

Signing Fiesta: Trilingual instructional sign language videos, www.signingfiesta.com

Teaching the Kids with High Tech Ears Considerations for kids with cochlear implants in the classroom. Available through Seaver Creative Services by sending an email to parentadvocate@handsandvoices.org

We are Hands & Voices A short video describing parent involvement and the Hands & Voices philosophy and organization. Order through www.handsandvoices.org

Materials:

Adco 800-726-0851

www.adcohearing.com

"From TTYs to closed caption decoders, books, videos and sign language gifts, we are the largest distributor in the Rocky Mountain region of products for the Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing."

Butte 800-330-9791

www.buttepublications.com

"At Butte you'll find time tested as well as exciting new titles covering language skill building (English or sign), professional resources, recreation and other interesting and informative publications."

Dawn Sign Press 800-549-5350

www.dawnsign.com

"Our books and videos use creative approaches to teaching American Sign Language (ASL) — "a natural and visual language." Many of our publications focus on the education of deaf children, at home and in the classroom. You'll also discover materials on the world of culturally Deaf people-known as the Deaf-World-that will enrich your appreciation of its diversity and its contributions to society."

Garlic Press 541-345-0063

Features a wide range of books that include sign language.

Gallaudet University Press

<http://gupress.gallaudet.edu>

Gallaudet University Press publishes scholarly and general interest books, children's books under its Kendall Green publications imprint, and sign language and

textbooks under the imprint Clerc Books. Many of these publications are available through the Gallaudet University Bookstore available at 800-621-2736 or <http://bookstore.gallaudet.edu>

Harris 800-825-6758

www.harriscomm.com

Since 1982, Harris Communications has been the one-stop shop of products for the Deaf community and people with a hearing loss. The product line includes a wide variety of assistive products including text telephones (TTYs), wireless email pagers, amplified phones, assistive listening devices (ALDs), as well as books, videos, and novelties related to hearing loss and sign language.

Kaplan 800-334-2014

Kaplan Products include adaptive toys for children with special needs like Sign language puzzles and computer software.

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The Clerc Center Catalog 800-526-9105

<http://clerccenter.gallaudet.edu> (click on products)

Clerc Center products include books, manuals, curricula, occasional papers, video tapes and training programs that provide valuable tools and information for parents students professionals and other people involved in the education of deaf and hard of hearing children. Features *Shared Reading Project* book bags.

Penton Overseas 800-748-5804

Features sign language videos for children.

Potomac 800-433-2838

Offers a wide range of products for people who are deaf and hard of hearing, including TTYs, signaling and alerting systems, and assistive listening devices. Also offers related books, videos, and computer software.

Sign Enhancers 800-767-4461

www.signenhancers.com/home.lasso

Since 1989, Sign Enhancers has won the trust and respect of customers worldwide. This trust has made them one of the largest sign language-related companies in the world.