



Christi Carter Urschel Family Resource Center
Parenting

Books: Parenting children with special needs

1. After the Tears: Parents Talk About Raising a Child with a Disability
by Robin Simons
San Diego, CA: Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, c1987. ASIN: 0156029006
2. Beyond a Physical Disability: the Person Within – a Practical Guide
by Evelyn West Ayrault
New York, NY: Continuum, c2001. ISBN: 0826413064
3. Breakthrough Parenting for Children with Special Needs: Raising the Bar of Expectations
by Judy Winter
San Francisco, CA: Josey-Bass, c2006. ISBN: 0787980811
4. Dancing in the Rain: Stories of Exceptional Progress by Parents of Children with Special Needs
by Annabel Stehli
Westport, CT: Georgiana Institute, c1995. ISBN: 0964483807
5. Disability is Natural: Revolutionary Common Sense for Raising Successful Children with Disabilities
by Kathie Snow
Woodland Park, CO: Braveheart Press, c2001. ISBN: 0970763654
6. Fathers of Children with Special Needs: New Horizons
by James May
Bethesda, MD: Association for the Care of Children's Health, c1991. ASIN: 093782173X
7. From the Heart: On Being the Mother of a Child with Special Needs
by Patricia Bowman
Bethesda, MD: Woodbine House, c1995. ISBN: 0933149794
8. I Wish: Dreams and Realities of Parenting a Special Needs Child
by Kate Divine McAnaney
Sacramento, CA: United Cerebral Palsy Association of California, c1992. ISBN: 096551384X

9. If You've Ever Wanted to Crawl in the Closet with an Oreo....: Tips for Parenting a Child with Special Needs
by Martha Kate Downey
Stratham, NH: Potential Unlimited Publishing, c2000.
10. In Time and With Love: Caring for the Special Needs Baby
by Marilyn Segal
New York, NY: Newmarket Press, c2001. ASIN: 093785896X
11. Love and Logic Solutions for Kids with Special Needs
by David Funk
Golden CO: Love and Logic Press, c2002. ISBN: 1930429355
12. More Than a Mom: Living a Full and Balanced Life When Your Child Has Special Needs
by Amy Baskin and Heather Fawcett
Bethesda, MD: Woodbine House, c2006. ISBN: 1890627518
13. Nobody's Perfect: Living and Growing with Children Who have Special Needs
by Nancy B. Miller
Baltimore, MD: P.H. Brookes Pub. Co., c1994. ISBN: 155766143X
14. Parenting and Disability: Disabled Parents' Experiences of Raising Children
by Richard Olsen and Harriet Clarke
Bristol, England: Policy Press, c2003. ISBN: 1861343647
15. Parenting Your Complex Child
by Peggy Lou Morgan
New York, NY: Amacom, c2006. ISBN: 0814473164
16. Raising a Child Who Has a Physical Disability
by Donna G. Albrecht
New York, NY: J. Wiley, c1995. ISBN: 0471042404
17. Raising a Handicapped Child: A Helpful Guide for Parents of the Physically Disabled
by Charlotte E. Thompson
New York, NY: Oxford University Press, c2000. ISBN: 019513253X
18. Reflections from a Different Journey: What Adults with Disabilities Wish All Parents Knew
edited by Stanley D. Klein
New York, NY: McGraw-Hill, c2004. ISBN: 0071422692
19. The Special Child: a Source Book for Parents of Children with Developmental Disabilities (2nd edition)
by Siegfried M. Pueschel
Baltimore, MD: Paul H. Brookes Pub., c1995. ISBN: 1557661677

20. Special Children, Challenged Parents: the Struggles and Rewards of Raising a Child with a Disability
by Robert A. Naseef
Baltimore, MD: Paul Brookes Pub. Co., c2001. ISBN: 1557665354
21. Special Kids, Special Dads: Fathers of Children with Disabilities [videorecording]
by National Father's Network
Rockville, MD: Maternal and Child Health Bureau, c1989.
22. Uncommon Fathers: Reflections on Raising a Child with a Disability
edited by Donald J. Meyer
Bethesda, MD: Woodbine House, c1995. ISBN: 0933149689

Books: General parenting

1. The Challenging Child: Understanding, Raising, and Enjoying the Five "Difficult" Types of Children
by Stanley I. Greenspan
Reading, MA: Addison-Wesley Publishing Co., c1995. ISBN: 0201441934
2. The Complete Single Mother: Reassuring Answers to Your Most Challenging Concerns
by Andrea Engber and Leah Klungness
Holbrook, MA: Adams Media Corporation, c1995. ISBN: 1580623026
3. The Difficult Child (2nd edition)
by Stanley Turecki, M.D.
New York, NY: Bantam Books, c2000. ISBN: 0553380362
4. The Explosive Child: A New Approach for Understanding and Parenting Easily Frustrated, Chronically Inflexible Children (2nd edition)
by Ross W. Greene
New York, NY: Quill, c2001. ISBN: 0060931027
5. The Good Son: Shaping the Moral Development of Our Boys and Young Men
by Michael Gurian
New York, NY: Penguin/Putnam Books, c1999. ISBN: 1585420492
6. Grandparents as Parents: A Survival Guide for Raising a Second Family
by Sylvie de Toledo and Deborah Edler Brown
New York, NY: Guilford Press, c1995. ISBN: 1572300205
7. How to Behave So Your Children Will, Too!
by Sal Severe
New York, NY: Viking , c2000. ISBN: 0670891533
8. How to Behave So Your Preschooler Will, Too!
by Sal Severe
New York, NY: Viking, c2002. ISBN: 0670031089
9. How to Talk So Kids Will Listen & Listen So Kids Will Talk
by Adele Faber and Elaine Mazlish

- New York, NY: Rawson, Wade Publishers, c1980. ISBN: 0380811960
10. Is it "Just a Phase?" How to Tell Common Childhood Phases from More Serious Problems
by Susan Anderson Swedo and Henrietta L. Leonard
New York, NY: Broadway Books, c1999. ISBN: 0767903919
 11. Love and Logic Magic for Early Childhood: Practical Parenting from Birth to Six Years
by Jim Fay and Charles Fay
Golden, CO: Love and Logic Press, c2000. ISBN: 1930429002
 12. Parenting Guide to Positive Discipline
by Paula Spencer
New York, NY: Ballantine Books, c2001. ISBN: 0345411838
 13. Parenting Teens with Love & Logic: Preparing Adolescents for Responsible Adulthood
by Foster W. Cline and Jim Fay
Colorado Springs, CO: Pinon Press, c1992. ISBN: 0891096957
 14. Parenting with Love and Logic: Teaching Children Responsibility
by Foster W. Cline and Jim Fay
Colorado Springs, CO: Pinon Press, c1990. ISBN: 0891093117
 15. The Procrastinating Child: A Handbook for Adults to Help Children Stop Putting Things Off
by Rita Emmett
New York, NY: Walker & Company, c2002. ISBN: 0802776361
 16. Raising Resilient Children: Fostering Strength, Hope, and Optimism in Your Child
by Robert Brooks and Sam Goldstein
Lincolnwood, IL: Contemporary Books, c2001. ISBN: 0809297647
 17. Raising Your Spirited Child
by Mary Sheedy Kurcinka
New York, NY: HarperPerennial, c1998. ISBN: 0060952407
 18. To Listen to a Child: Understanding the Normal Problems of Growing Up
by T. Berry Brazelton
Reading, MA: Addison-Wesley, c1984. ISBN: 0201632705

Web sites

1. Dallas Association for Parent Education (DAPE)
www.dallasparents.org
Warmline is a free phone service available to parents and caregivers from Monday through Friday from 9:00am to 3:00pm. Warmline: 972-699-7742
2. Disability is Natural: Revolutionary Common Sense

<http://www.disabilityisnatural.com>

Promotes a unique and “revolutionary” way to view disability. Based on the premise that one in five apples is green, and a green apple is more like red apples than different. Therefore an individual with a disability is more like people without disabilities than different.

3. Parenting.org by Boys and Girls Town
www.parenting.org

A team of professionals at the Girls and Boys Town National Resource and Training Center brings Parenting.org to you. They specialize in training, consulting and researching parenting practices that will help parents deal with the day-to-day care taking, guidance and development their children.

4. Parenting Information by the Mental Health Association in Texas
www.parentinginformation.org
www.informacionparapadres.org (in Spanish)

5. Ready for Life by North Texas Public Broadcasting
www.readyforlife.org

The goal of the “Ready for Life” project is to make a difference in the lives of children ages 0-5 by providing parents, caregivers and the community information about early childhood development research in useful and enjoyable ways. “Ready for Life” focuses on emotional health and temperament - the foundation for a successful transition through the core developmental stages of infancy and toddlerhood.

6. Talaris Research Institute – Advancing Knowledge of Early Brain Development
<http://www.talaris.org/index.htm>

Talaris Research Institute is dedicated to discovering how children think, feel and learn. From birth to age five, a child observes, experiments, and begins to understand the world. Includes printable resources for teaching and training of parents, as well as six video spotlights available to download in English or Spanish.

7. Zero to Three
www.zerotothree.org

Zero to Three is a national, non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the healthy development of our nation's infants and toddlers by supporting and strengthening families, communities and those who work on their behalf. Their mission is to advance current knowledge; promote beneficial policies and practices; communicate research and best practices to a wide variety of audiences; and provide training, technical assistance and leadership development.

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