

Library Resources on...

Literacy

This guide is intended to assist the user in finding information about literacy. It will provide the user with information about starting literacy programs in childcare, finding good resources, and exploring different methods for learning.

General Call Numbers - Where can I find it on the shelves?

LB 1139.5	Literacy and Language
LC 149	Family Literacy

Reading – Parent Participation Literacy Programs	Language acquisition Emergent literacy
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Specific Books - What books do people recommend?

LB 1139.5 .L35 M66 2001	More Than Letters Literacy Activities for Preschool, Kindergarten and First Grade <i>Offers innovative ways to nurture children's interest in basic literacy.</i> <i>Contains dozens of engaging ideas for creating a literacy-rich classroom.</i>
LB 1140.5 .R4B57 2000	Ready for reading : a handbook for parents of preschoolers <i>A celebration of children's literature and the role parents and caregivers can have in helping ensure that children experience success in reading.</i> <i>Emphasis is on making reading a warm and joyous process.</i>

Multimedia Materials - What videos are there on the topic?

VHS - 317	Nourishing Language Development in Early Childhood <i>Showing children in an early childhood program, Alice Honig describes the development of language in infancy, toddlerhood, and the preschool years, with strategies that caregivers can use to nurture this development.</i>
Oversize VHS-009	Emergent literacy : activities in a print rich environment <i>Demonstrates story times, puppet plays, flannel boards, drawing and dictating. Children are seen engaging in a variety of activities that increase their vocabularies and understanding of print, supporting their knowledge base in other curriculum areas.</i>

Journal Articles - What do professional sources have to say about the topic?

Koralek, Derry. *Incorporating Books throughout the Curriculum*. YC Young Children. May 2007. p. 10-11.

Neuharth-Pritchett, Stacey. *Research Into Practice: Teacher Beliefs, Reading, and Literacy Intervention*. Journal of Research in Childhood Education. Spring 2007.

p. 329-336.

Still need more materials? Contact the library for further assistance!