

Debra S. Fish Library

Think Small is home to the Debra S. Fish Early Childhood Library. You will find over 6,000 exceptional early childhood materials on a variety of topics: child development and learning, the business of child care, parenting, and much more. Learn more about the library and find topic specific bibliographies at thinksmall.org/library.

Visit us during business hours (M-F 8:30-5, some Saturday mornings), call the library at 651-641-3544 or email the librarian, Jennie, at librarian@thinksmall.org for assistance.

Catalog

All materials in the Debra S. Fish Library collection are searchable through the St. Paul Public Library (spl.org) Collection and MnLINK Minnesota's Online Library (mnlink.org).

Borrowing Materials

Materials can be checked out at Think Small and through your local library! A current library card is all that is required.

Non St. Paul card-holders: The first time you use your local library card in the St. Paul system you will need to present your library card, along with a picture ID with your name and current address *or* a picture ID and a piece of recently posted mail with your current address. After that you need only present your card.

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CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS ARE IN PRISON
BOOKS & DVDS AVAILABLE AT THE DEBRA S. FISH LIBRARY

ADULT BOOKS

Author	Title	Call #
Bender, J. M.	My daddy is in jail: story, discussion guide, & small group activities for grades K-5	RJ507 .P64 B46 2003
Bernstein, N.	All alone in the world: children of the incarcerated	HV8886 .U5 B47 2005
Doucette-Dudman, D.	Raising our children's children	HQ759.9 .D68 1996
Martone, C.	Loving through bars: children with parents in prison	HV8886 .U5 M366 2005
Nurse, A. M.	Fatherhood arrested: parenting from within the juvenile justice system	HV9104 .N87 2002
Siegel, J. A.	Disrupted childhoods: children of women in prison	HV8886 .U5 S54 2011

JUVENILE BOOKS

Author	Title	Call #
Beaty, D.	Knock knock: my dad's dream for me	PZ7 .B3805475 Kn 2014
Birtha, B.	Far apart, close in heart: being a family when a loved one is incarcerated	PZ7 .B52337 Far 2017
Brisson, P.	Mama loves me from away	PZ7 .B7577 Ma 2004
Higgins, M.	The night Dad went to jail: what to expect when someone you love goes to jail	HV8886 .U5 H54 2012

STORY KITS

Title

Children with parents in prison (includes the following titles *Visiting Day* (book & Reading Rainbow dvd), *My daddy's in jail*, *Kennedy's big visit*, *Kofi's mom*, *Let's talk about when your parent is in jail*)

WEBSITES

<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/ency/article/002456.htm>

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Excellent website from the U.S. National Library of Medicine and National Institutes of Health. Provides information on a child's growth and development for infancy, preschool years, middle childhood years, and adolescences. Text available in Spanish.

<http://kidshealth.org/parent/growth/>

Easy to use website with information on a child's changing body and mind from infancy through teen years. Covers growth and development, emotions and behavior, infections, and nutrition. Text available in Spanish.

<http://www.parents.com/baby/development/growth/>

Good month-by-month coverage of the milestones of development from *Parents* magazine.

<http://www.extension.purdue.edu/providerparent/child%20growth-development/main-cgd.htm>

Very good resource for providers working with parents. The focus is on the responsibilities of providers for the growth and development of the children in their care. Some of the topics covered are parent-provider relationships, child growth & development, children & learning, and health & safety.

http://www.nccp.org/publications/pdf/text_951.pdf

An annotated bibliography created by the National Center for Children in Poverty on the topic of children's development of social inclusion and respect for diversity. It includes research and policy books, articles, reports, and other resources on how children from birth to 10 years of age develop concepts related to social inclusion and respect for diversity.

