



Subject Guide for Child Development

Locating Child Development information at LATTC Library.

See the suggested Subject Headings below for searching books; E-books; Research Databases for journal, magazine, and newspaper articles; and internet sites.

Subject Headings

Adolescence	Discipline of children
Child care	Early childhood education
Child development	Education, Preschool
Child development deviations	Infant psychology
Child psychology	Infants--Care
Child rearing	Infants--Development
Children	Motor ability in children
Children with social disabilities	Nonverbal communication
Children--Growth	Parent and child
Children--Health and hygiene	Pediatrics
Cognition and culture	Play--Social aspects
Computers and children	Poor children-- United States
Developmental biology	Preschool teachers--Training of
Developmental neurobiology	Socialization
Developmental psychobiology	Toddlers--Care
Developmental psychology	Toddlers--Development
Developmentally disabled children	Touch--Study and teaching (Early childhood)

Research Databases

Find journal, magazine, and newspaper articles; research reports; image sources; primary documents; specialized dictionaries, encyclopedias, and more.

Academic OneFile

Full-text articles from scholarly (peer-reviewed) journals and reference sources.

Educators Collection

Full-text articles from publications pertaining to child development and education.

Gale Virtual Reference Library

Multi-subject virtual reference sources including multi-volume encyclopedias, dictionaries, and specialized reference sources.



General OneFile

Full-text articles from magazines, journals, news and reference sources, and multimedia materials including pod casts and audio files.

Select Reference Books

TITLE	Call Number
The Cambridge encyclopedia of child development.	REF 305.231 Cam
The Gale encyclopedia of childhood & adolescence.	REF 305.23103 Gal
Interdisciplinary glossary on child abuse and neglect : legal, medical, social work terms.	REF 362.71 Int
The silent crisis in U.S. child care.	REF 320.05 Sil

Select Reserve Books

TITLE	Call Number
Atypical child development in context.	Reserve Desk 305.231 Emp
Child's play : revisiting play in early childhood settings.	Reserve Desk 155.418 Chi
Essential touch : meeting the needs of young children	Reserve Desk 155.412182 Car
Healthy children sourcebook	Reserve Desk 613.0432 Hea
The irreducible needs of children : what every child must have to grow, learn, and flourish	Reserve Desk 305.231 Bra
Skills for preschool teachers.	Reserve Desk 372.21 Bea

Select Circulating Books

TITLE	Call Number
The child and the machine : how computers put our children's education at risk.	372.1334 Arm
Creative activities for young children.	372.13 May
The cultural nature of human development.	305.231 Rog
Touchpoints three to six : your child's emotional and behavioral development .	305.231 Bra



Select E-books

TITLE	Call Number
Child development [electronic resource].	Electronic Book
Early childhood development and its variations [electronic resource].	Electronic Book
Parenting and child development in "nontraditional" families [electronic resource].	Electronic Book
Relationships as developmental contexts [electronic resource].	Electronic Book
Research with children [electronic resource].	Electronic Book

Select Internet Sites

Center for Disease Control and Prevention: Life Stages & Specific Populations

<http://cdc.gov/LifeStages/>

Provides information for health promotion, prevention of disease, injury and disability. This site organizes information by specific "Life stages", including Pregnancy, Infants & Toddlers, Children, Adolescents & Teens, and Young Adults, and covers a wide range of topics including nutrition, immunizations, vaccinations, developmental milestones, developmental disabilities and more from the Department of Health and Human Services.

Child Development Institute <http://cdipage.com/>

"Information on child development, parenting, family life, teenagers, learning, health & safety, child psychology and mental health."

Clearinghouse on Early Education and Parenting <http://ceep.crc.uiuc.edu>

"The Clearinghouse on Early Education and Parenting (CEEP) is part of the Early Childhood and Parenting (ECAP) Collaborative within the College of Education at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. CEEP (a content provider) and the ECAP Information Technology Group (ECAP/ITG) work closely to build print and online resources for the worldwide early childhood and parenting communities."

National Child Care Information Center

<http://www.nccic.org/statedata/statepro/display.cfm?state=California>

"NCCIC develops and disseminates the quarterly *Child Care Bulletin*—available in English and Spanish—a [50-state summary](#) of State child care plans and policies, and other [publications](#) on key child care issues." State profiles (above links to California) include demographic information, after-school profile, infant and toddler Information, and more. Archives of reports are searchable in the NCCIC Online Library, with links to full-text articles available on the web.



National Institute of Child Health & Human Development (of the National Institutes of Health) <http://www.nichd.nih.gov/>

The NICHD institute “ conducts and supports research on all stages of human development, from preconception to adulthood, to better understand the health of children, adults, families, and communities.” A user-friendly database of “A to Z health & human development topics” provides links to NICHD research as well as publications of other institutions available on the web.

National Network for Child Care

http://cyfernet.ces.ncsu.edu/cyfdb/browse_2pageAnncc.php?subcat=Child%20Development

This site offers articles and links to “ over 1000 publications and resources related to child care. Publications are research-based and reviewed.” Topics include abuse and neglect, health and safety, literacy and language, nutrition and more.

Schools Psychology Resources Online <http://www.schoolpsychology.net/>

This online resource page includes links to over 1000 sites on specific conditions, disorders, and disabilities such as anxiety disorders, learning disabilities, medical conditions and more. “Other Information” includes links to brochures, pamphlets, documents, journals, listservs and more.

U.S. Department of Education: Early Childhood Education

<http://www.ed.gov/parents/earlychild/ready/resources.html>

Includes information on early childhood education programs, resources for parents, teachers, and administrators, research and publications on early childhood from the U.S. Department of Education.