



## Early Childhood Education

To browse for books dealing with various aspects of early childhood and early childhood education go to the following call number areas:

BF 721 – BF 723

HQ 767.8 - HQ 777

LB 1139 – LB 2822.7

RJ 131 – RJ 137

Child Psychology

Child Development, Child Rearing, Child Care

Early Childhood Education

Child Growth and Development

### Using the Online Catalog:

Books related to this topic can be located by doing a KEYWORD or SUBJECT search in the library's online catalog.

ABILITY IN CHILDREN

ART IN EDUCATION

ART -- STUDY AND TEACHING

CHILD CARE

CHILD DEVELOPMENT

CHILD PSYCHOLOGY

CHILD REARING

CHILDREN LANGUAGE

CHILDREN -- LANGUAGE

CHILDREN'S ART

COGNITION IN CHILDREN

CREATIVE ABILITY IN CHILDREN

CREATIVE ACTIVITIES AND SEAT

WORK

PARENT AND CHILD

CURRICULUM PLANNING

DAY CARE CENTERS

DRAWING ABILITY IN CHILDREN

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

EARLY CHILDHOOD TEACHERS

EDUCATION, PRESCHOOL

HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

HANDICRAFT

KINDERGARTEN

LANGUAGE ACQUISITION

LANGUAGE ARTS

EXPERIENCE APPROACH

LEARNING, PSYCHOLOGY OF

MOTOR LEARNING

MOVEMENT, PSYCHOLOGY OF

NURSERY SCHOOLS

PARENTING

PLAY

PRESCHOOL

TEACHING EARLY CHILDHOOD

### Reference Books

*Encyclopedia of Early Childhood Education*

Ref LB1139.25.E53 1992

*Encyclopedia of Education*

Ref LB15 .E47 2003 v.1-8

*Encyclopedia of American Education*

Ref LB17.U54 1996 v.1-3

*The Gale Encyclopedia of Childhood & Adolescence*

Ref HQ772.G27 1998

<i>The Prentice Hall Directory of Online Education Resources</i>	Ref LB1044.87.B54 1998
<i>Keeping Current in Child Care Research</i>	Ref HQ778.5.H68
<i>Handbook of Child Psychology</i>	Ref BF721.H242 1998 v. 1-4
<i>Encyclopedia of Marriage and the Family</i>	Ref HQ9.E52 1995 v.1-2

## **Finding Periodical Articles**

Access databases on campus, off campus or through campus' wireless network at:  
<http://www.westvalley.edu/library/databases/>

You will need your **name** and **student ID** number to log in.

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## **Internet Resources**

**Search the Web.** You might want to start with a "Subject Directory" such as the **Librarian's Index** which is accessible from the Library's Easy Access page. Type *early childhood education* in the search box to find web sites that have been identified by librarians as being appropriate for this subject area.

Some Specific Web Sites Related to Early Childhood Education include:

Educator's Reference Desk	<a href="http://eduref.org">eduref.org</a>
Early Childhood.com	<a href="http://www.earlychildhood.com/Index.cfm">www.earlychildhood.com/Index.cfm</a>
Kidsource Online	<a href="http://kidsource.com">kidsource.com</a>
Natl. Institute on Early Childhood Dev. & Ed.	<a href="http://ed.gov/offices/OERI/ECI">ed.gov/offices/OERI/ECI</a>
Early Childhood & Parenting Collaborative Info...	<a href="http://ecap.crc.uiuc.edu/index.html">ecap.crc.uiuc.edu/index.html</a>
Early Childhood Education & Activity Resources	<a href="http://theideabox.com">theideabox.com</a>
Natl. Assoc. for the Education of Young Children	<a href="http://naeyc.org/default.asp">naeyc.org/default.asp</a>
ReadyWeb: A Resource for Parents and Educators	<a href="http://readyweb.crc.uiuc.edu">readyweb.crc.uiuc.edu</a>