

Library Resource List for Families and Carers in Early Years



This is a selection of the books that **Crawley Library as part of Crawley College and West Sussex Libraries** have, which can be borrowed or reserved **free of charge**.

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Shelved at 372.21

- Working with Children, Families and Young People – Dobson, J (2021)
- Foundations of Early Childhood – Mukherji, P (2014) Chapter 13
- Partnership with parents in early childhood today – Thompson, P (2023)
- Working with Parents, Carers and Families in the Early Years – Wilson, T (2016)
- Working with parents in the Early Years 2nd ed – Ward, U (2013)
- Involving Parents in their Children's Learning – Whalley, M (2015)

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- Meet the Parents: How schools can work effectively with parents to support children's learning – Lepkowska, (2019)
- Working with Parents – Arnold, A (2011)
- Parents as Partners – Lindon, J (2009)
- Strength-based practice with children and families – Hodgkins, A (2023) 362.7
- Engaging with Parents in early Years Settings – Jackson, D (2014) 372.1192



Online Resources

Useful search terms: working with parents, working with families, parental engagement

All our resources are available through the Library Resources pages on CCG Online. Direct access in college or anywhere else using your **college email and password**.



eBooks



- Bringing the Steiner Waldorf Approach to early Years Practice – Green, S (2010) Chapter 11
- Introduction to Child Care and Education – Meggitt, C (2014) Option B Parents & Carers



- Working with Families in Children's Centres and early years Settings – Whalley, M (2013)
- Essential Guides for early Career teachers – Garton, P (2020) Chapter 7
- Parents, Early Years and learning: Parents as Partners in the Early Years Foundation Stage – Wheeler, H (2009)



- Building the skills and confidence of early childhood educators to work with parents – Petrovac, Z BMC Medical research Methodology (2019)
<https://doi.org/10.1186/s12874-019-0846-1>



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Topics include :



Recorded TV programmes available to watch at college or via the internet.

- Lockdown Kids – Five years On
- How Safe are our Nurseries?
- Britain's Naughtiest Nursery
- Secret Life of 4 yr Olds
- Secret Life of 5 Yr Olds

NurseryWorld

See Practice – Working with parents for all articles on this topic.

Search for “working with families” or “working with parents”

Useful Websites:

Birth to 5 Matters <https://birthto5matters.org.uk/parents-as-partners/>

Dept. for Education <https://help-for-early-years-providers.education.gov.uk/support-for-practitioners/working-in-partnership-with-parents-and-carers>

EYFS Framework

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/media/670fa42a30536cb92748328f/EYFS_statutory_framework_for_group_and_school_based_providers.pdf

West Sussex County Council <https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/information-for-childcare-providers/practice-support/early-years-foundation-stage/parent-partnership/>