

Library Resource List for Crime and Childhood



Books

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

Crawley Library

Shelved at 364

- Oxford Handbook of Criminology. 7th ed (2023) Alison Liebling
- Crime and Justice (2024) – Dianne Lobban **(364.941)** (Also available as an ebook on Issues online)
- Criminology 2nd ed – Tim Newburn (Chapter 29 Youth Justice)
- Criminology: the basics. 3rd ed (2016)– Sandra Walklate (2024 edition on order)
- Key Concepts in Crime and Society – Ross Coomber
- Criminological Perspectives 3rd ed – Eugene McLaughlin
- The Crime Book (DK Big Ideas) **(364.09)**

See also:

- The Pocket A-Z of Criminal Justice -Bryan Gibson (345.052)
- The Child's World. 3rd ed – Jan Horwatch (362.71)
- Safeguarding and Child Protection 5th ed (362.767)
- Domestic Violence and Abuse – Tracey Biram (362.8292) also available as an ebook via Issues Online

Psychology books shelved at 150 and Sociology books shelved at 301 have chapters on crime:

- Psychology: The Science of Mind and Behaviour. 8th ed – Richard Gross (*Chapter 46 – Criminological Psychology*)
- Sociology. 9th ed – Anthony Giddens (*Chapter 22 – Crime & Deviance – section on Young people as offenders & victims page 930-933*)



Magazines

Nursery World can be accessed online via Crawley Library Moodle page on CCG Online. See management practice on Safeguarding



Online Resources

Access via Crawley Library Moodle Pages on CCG Online
Direct access in College or via Shibboleth outside College using your College email and login

Useful search terms: Childhood and Criminology, children in crime, child abuse



eBooks



ProQuest
Ebook Central

- Safeguarding and Protecting Children in the Early Years – Steven Burton
- Safeguarding and Child Protection 5th ed – Jennie Lindon



- The Nurture Versus Biosocial Debate in Criminology: On the Origins of Criminal Behavior and Criminality – Kevin M Beaver



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A database of the largest and most authoritative collections of online journals and research resources, covering life, health, social and physical sciences.

European Newsstream

Access to recent UK, Irish and European news content with archives back to the 1990s, including newspapers such as the Guardian and The Times



Statistics and articles on contemporary social issues: Search **crime and children** in search box.

- Ebook [Crime and Justice – Danielle Lobban](#)
- Articles include:
- 10 reasons why ten is too young
- Boy, 5 accused of stalking...



Recorded TV programmes available to watch in College or at home

- Protecting Our Children
- The Prosecutors
- Britain's Child Beggars
- Prison, My Family and Me



Number of cruelty to children/young persons offences recorded in England and Wales from 2002/03 to 2023/24

<https://www.statista.com/statistics/303514/child-cruelty-abuse-in-england-and-wales->

Useful Websites:

- Victim Support <https://www.victimsupport.org.uk/children-and-young-people/>
- Crown Prosecution Service – Youth Crime <https://www.cps.gov.uk/legal-guidance/youth-offenders>
- Gov.uk – Age of Responsibility <https://www.gov.uk/age-of-criminal-responsibility>
- NSPCC <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/>
- Local Gov.uk – Supporting the Youngest Children in Youth Justice <https://www.local.gov.uk/publications/supporting-youngest-children-youth-justice-system-what-works-reduce-offending-and>
- Children's Act 2004 <https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2004/31/contents>
- Criminal Justice Act 1998 <https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/1998/33/contents>

