

West Sussex Libraries

Resources to Support Deaf & Hearing-Impaired Children

A selection of books and other resources to support deaf or hearing-impaired young children, including tactile books, and books with signing. You may also be interested in our Sensory Stories Booklist.

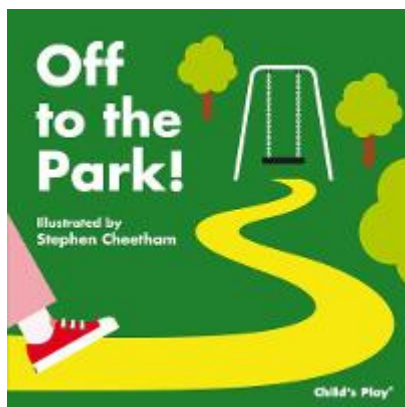
In addition to these resources available for loan, families with hearing impaired children under five can request a [Bookstart Shine pack](#), which includes free books to keep and a guide for sharing stories with deaf children, by contacting their local library.

Clicking on individual titles will take you to the library catalogue where you can find out more about the book, find out which library has a copy, or reserve a copy for collection at your local library.

Tactile and Sensory Books

Book cover

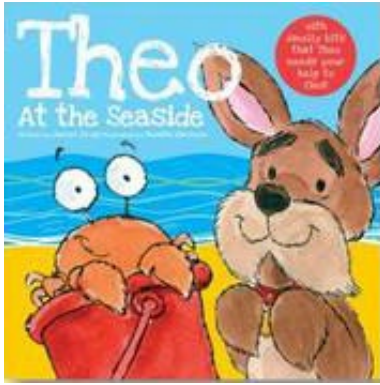
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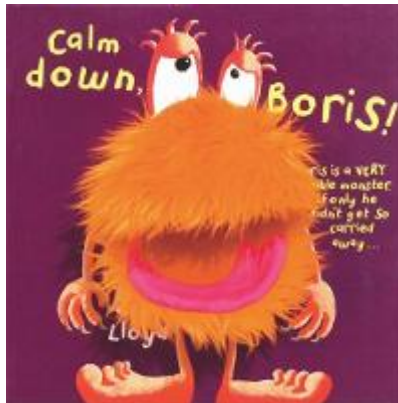
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Author: Stephen Cheetham
Format: Board book



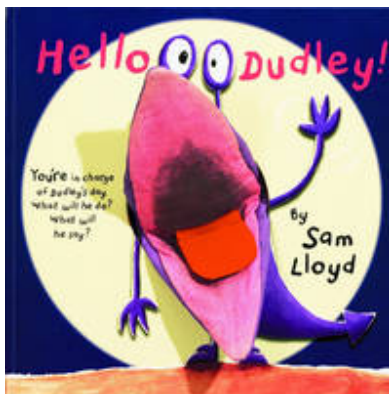
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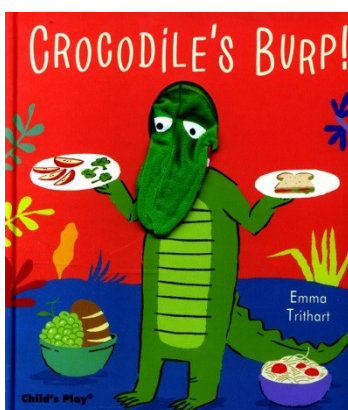
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Author: Jaclyn Crupi
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Title: [Calm down Boris!](#)
Author: Sam Lloyd
Format: Board book



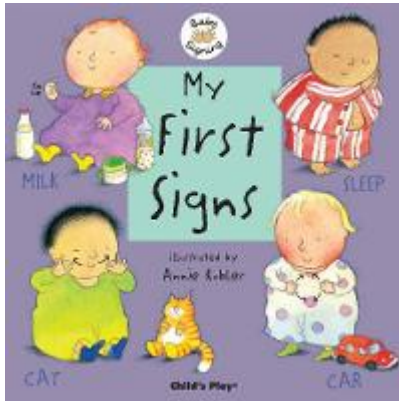
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Author: Sam Lloyd
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Title: [Crocodile's Burp](#)
Author: Emma Trithart
Format: Picture book

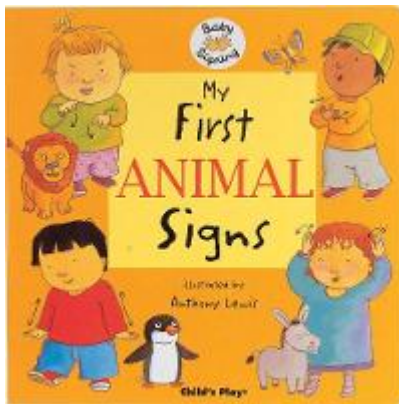
Books with Signs

Book cover



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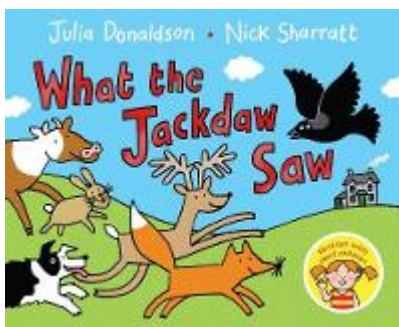
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Author: Child's Play
Format: Board book



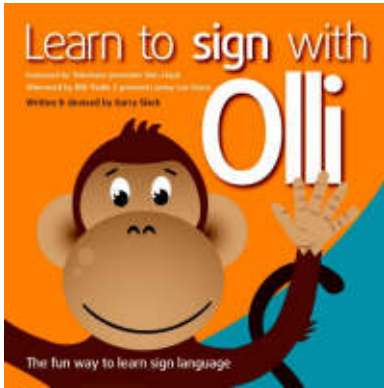
Title: [My First Animal Signs](#)
Author: Child's Play
Format: Board book



Title: [Meal Time](#)
Author: Child's Play
Format: Board book



Title: [What the Jackdaw Saw](#)
Author: Julia Donaldson
Format: Picture book



Title: [Learn to Sign with Oli](#)
Author: Garry Slack
Format: Information book J419

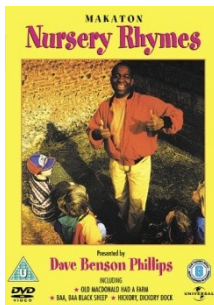


Title: [Learn to Sign and Cook with Oli](#)
Author: Garry Slack
Format: Information book J419

DVDs with Signs

These items are free to borrow and request

Book cover



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Format: DVD



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Format: DVD



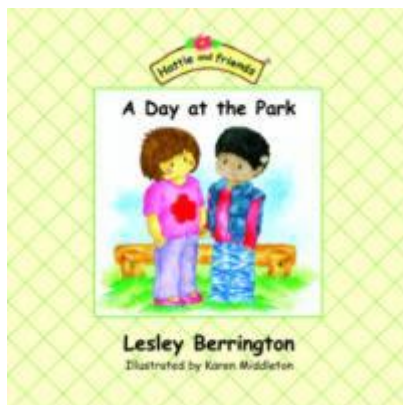
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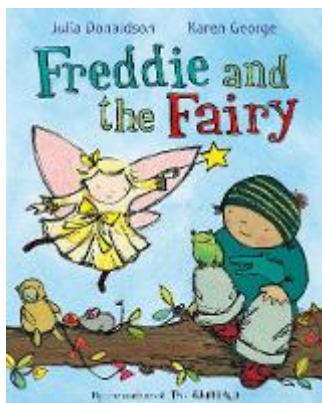
Inclusive Stories

Book cover

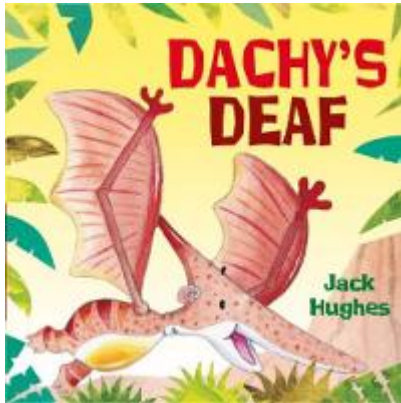


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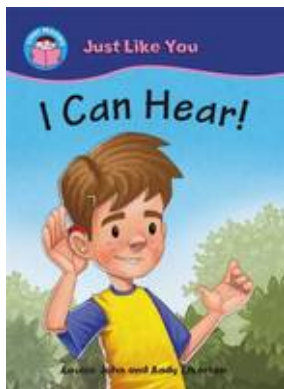
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Author: Lesley Berrington
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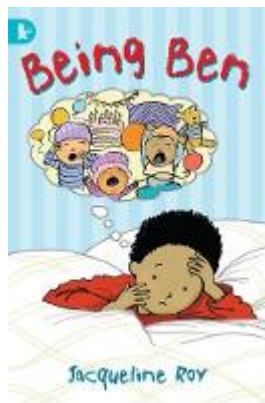
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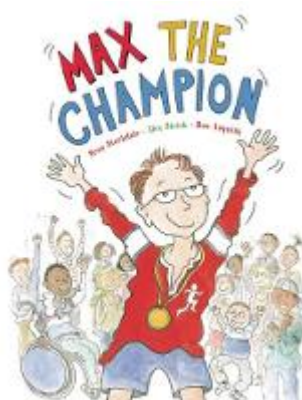
Title: [Dachy's Deaf](#)
Author: Jack Hughes
Format: Picture book



Title: [I Can Hear](#)
Author: Louise John
Format: Beginner read



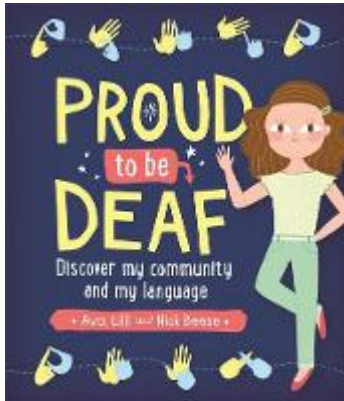
Title: [Being Ben](#)
Author: Jacqueline Roy
Format: Story book



Title: [Max the Champion](#)
Author: Sean Stockdale
Format: Picture book

Inclusive Information Books

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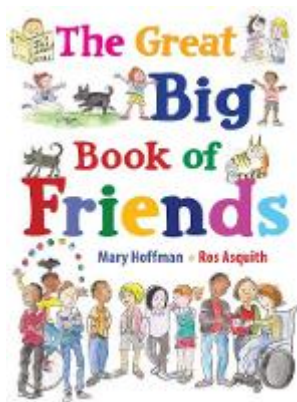


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Authors: Ava, Nick and Lilli Beese

Format: Information book J362.42



Title: [Great Big Book of Friends](#)

Author: Mary Hoffman

Format: Information book J177.62

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