The LGSONS Parent Library

The LGSONS Parent Library consists primarily of books and DVDs relating to parenting, child development, nature and the outdoors, cooking projects, and activities to do with your children. Many have been recommended by our teachers or our guest speakers. Our Amazon wishlist is listed at the end of this document. Please don’t hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or comments. Happy Reading!

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Parenting
1, 2, 3 ... the toddler years: a practical guide for parents & caregivers Segal, Marilyn

Attachment parenting : instinctive care for your baby and young child Granju, Katie

Becoming the parent you want to be : a source book of strategies for the first five years Davis, Laura

Boys and girls : superheroes in the doll corner Paley, Vivian

Children : the challenge Dreikurs, Rudolf

Continuum concept, the Liedloff, Jean

Emotional intelligence : 10th anniversary edition : why it can matter more than IQ Goleman, Daniel

Fatherhood Cosby, Bill

How much is enough? Everything you need to know to steer clear of overindulgence and raising likeable, responsible and respectful children Clarke, Jean

How to father Dodson, Fitzhugh

How to talk so kids will listen & listen so kids will talk Faber, Adele

In their own way : discovering and encouraging your child’s multiple intelligences Armstrong, Thomas

Kids can cooperate : a practical guide to teaching problem solving Crary, Elizabeth

Kids, parents, and power struggles : winning for a lifetime Kurcinka, Mary Sheedy

Love and anger : the parental dilemma Samalin, Nancy

Love and logic magic for early childhood : practical parenting from birth to six years Fay, Jim

Loving each one best : a caring and practical approach to raising siblings Samalin, Nancy

Loving without spoiling : and 100 other timeless tips for raising terrific kids Samalin, Nancy

Magic years: understanding and handling the problems of early childhood Fraiberg, Selma

Measure of a man: becoming the father you wish your father had been, the Shapiro, Jerrold Lee

Nurture by nature : how to raise happy, healthy, responsible children through the insights of personality type Tiefen, Paul D.

Parenting manual : heart hope for the family, A Childre, Doc

Pick up your socks, and other skills growing children need! : a practical guide to raising responsible children Crary, Elizabeth

Positive discipline : the first three years–laying the foundation for raising a capable, confident child Nelson, Jane

Positive discipline A-Z, revised and expanded 2nd edition: from toddlers to teens, 1001 solutions to everyday parenting problems Nelson, Jane

Positive discipline for preschoolers : for their early years–raising children who are responsible, respectful, and resourceful Nelson, Jane

Raising your spirited child workbook Kurcinka, Mary Sheedy

Raising your spirited child: a guide for parents whose child is more intense, delicate, perceptive, persistent, and energetic Kurcinka, Mary Sheedy

Siblings without rivalry: how to help your children live together so you can live too Faber, Adele

Unconditional parenting: moving from rewards and punishment to love and reason Kohn, Alfie

Whole child/whole parent Berends, Polly Berrien

Child Development
Bad guys don’t have birthdays: fantasy play at four Paley, Vivian Gussin

Child’s work : the importance of fantasy play, A Vivian Gussin Paley
First three years of life, revised edition, the  White, Burton L.

Your child at play two to three years : growing up, language, and the imagination  Segal, Marilyn

Your child's growing mind : a guide to learning and brain development from birth to adolescence  Healy, Jane

Your child's self-esteem : the key to his life  Briggs, Dorothy

Your five-year-old : sunny and serene  Ames, Louise Bates

Your four-year-old : wild and wonderful  Ames, Louise Bates

Your three-year-old : friend or enemy  Ames, Louise Bates

Your two-year-old : terrible or tender  Ames, Louise Bates

Families

7 habits of highly effective families: building a beautiful family culture in a turbulent world, the  Covey, Stephen F.

Book of new family traditions: how to create great rituals for holidays and everydays, the  Cox, Meg

Good divorce : keeping your family together when your marriage comes apart, the  Ahrons, Constance

Helping your kids cope with divorce the Sandcastles way  Neuman, M. Gary

Preschool years: family strategies that work  Galinsky, Ellen

Seven principles for making marriage work : a practical guide from the country's foremost relationship expert  Gottman, John M.

Activities, Singing, Reading, Art
Bake, make & do  Silicon Valley Councils of Parent Participation Nursery Schools

First art : art experiences for toddlers and twos  Kohl, MaryAnn F.

Mudworks : creative clay, dough, and modeling experiences  Kohl, MaryAnn F.

Party Time  Silicon Valley Councils of Parent Participation Nursery Schools  Pamphlet

Preschool art : it's the process, not the product  Kohl, MaryAnn F.

Read-aloud handbook, the  Trelease, Jim  Book

Reading magic : why reading aloud to our children will change their lives forever  Fox, Mem

Storytelling and the art of the imagination  Mellon, Nancy

Storytelling with children  Mellon, Nancy

Things to do with toddlers & twos  Miller, Karen

Toddler and parents : a declaration of independence  Brazelton, Terry

You can't say you can't play  Paley, Vivian Gussin

Young at art : teaching toddlers self-expression, problem-solving skills, and an appreciation for art  Striker, Susan

Food
Cooking on a stick : campfire recipes for kids  White, Linda

Feed me, I'm yours  Lansky, Vicki

Grandmother conspiracy exposed, the  Coffin, Lewis

Kids cookbook : Yum! I eat it  Nitty Gritty Publisher

Kids cooking : a very slightly messy manual  Klutz Publishing

Kinder krunchies healthy snack recipes for children  Jenkins, Karen S.

Learning through cooking

Let's have healthy children  Davis, Adele

Look what we made  LGSONS 3/4's Class

Making book, the  Merina, Sarah

Mother-child cookbook, the

Pretend soup and other real recipes : a cookbook for preschoolers & up  Katzen, Mollie

Rachael Ray 365 : no repeats : a year of deliciously different dinners  Ray, Rachael

Soups & sauces  Modern Publishing

William-Sonoma: The kid's cookbook: a great book for kids who love to cook!  Dodge, Abigail Johnson

DVDs

Basic rules of developmental theories : how growth happens  Mah, Ronald

Developmental appropriate practice and growth : learning the rules of life  Mah, Ronald

Developmental theories II : practical applications for you...and yours  Mah, Ronald

Just playing is just great : articulating play's importance  Mah, Ronald  DVD


Parenting with a partner : putting it all together  Keyser, Janis  DVD

Positive limit setting, Part 3 : cooperative problem-solving among children  Keyser, Janis  DVD

Positive limit setting, Part 3 : cooperative problem-solving among children  Keyser, Janis  DVD

Positive limit setting: Parts 1 & 2  Keyser, Janis  DVD

Teaching & sharing values with children. Self-reflection: teaching and parenting  Keyser, Janis  DVD

Temper tantrums!!! “The one-minute temper tantrum solution!!”  Mah, Ronald  DVD

Temperament and personality affecting behavior and relationships: “What's with this kid?”  Mah, Ronald  DVD

Unconditional parenting: moving from rewards and punishment to
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Reasons Kids Need Problem-Solving Kids. Kids face a variety of problems every day, ranging from academic difficulties to problems on the sports field. Yet, few of them have a formula for solving those problems. Kids who lack problem-solving skills may avoid taking action when faced with a problem. Rather than put their energy into solving the problem, they may invest their time in avoiding the issue. That's why many kids fall behind in school or struggle to maintain friendships.

Teach Kids How to Evaluate the Problem. Kids who feel overwhelmed or hopeless often won't attempt to address a problem. But, when you give them a clear formula for solving problems, they'll feel more confident in their ability to try. Here are the steps to problem-solving: Identify the problem. A practical guide for teaching vocabulary. B. implementing the vocabulary component in the classroom - (how can we find the time?) General guidelines.

MYTHS

There are some assumptions that lead us to teach vocabulary not very efficiently, and which are not in fact true. Let's look at some of these. Kids can cooperate: a practical guide to teaching problem solving. by. Crary, Elizabeth, 1942