



Derby City Council

Hearing Impaired Home Learners (under 11s) Resources and support for Parents/ Carers online

We hope you find this information helpful. We have identified some key websites and resources online which we think will specifically support children with a hearing impairment. The focus is on supporting you as a family and resources for you to use to support your child.

Support for families

NDCS National Deaf Children's Society www.ndcs.org.uk Provides support, activities and online events for families and children

Sense <https://www.sense.org.uk/get-support/support-for-children/play-toolkits/> Practical play ideas

Listen and talk <https://letslistenandtalk.org/> The programme is currently free and provides games and activities to help develop children's language

Tiny Happy People <https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people> . Help to develop communication skills for young children

Story about going/not going to school <https://parsleymimblewood.wordpress.com/>

Language

Oxford owl <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/> Free downloadable story books for children

My Playhome app. Children can access houses, shops, school and hospital and perform different activities. Available on Google and IOS.

Splingo apps <https://speechandlanguagestore.com/our-apps/> Apps to support language development

Apps

Baby Sign and learn <http://www.babysignandlearn.com/>

SignBSL <https://www.signbsl.com/>

Eye-sign <https://literacy.eyesign.co.uk/>

Nursery rhymes in sign with Scarlett <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UE5dAFnDrqE&t=27s>

Mobile sign <http://www.mobilesign.org/>

Spread the sign <https://www.spreadthesign.com/en.gb/search/>



Stories and poems in BSL and Makaton

Magic Hands <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b0756gmh/magic-hands>

BSL Stories by Frank Barnes School <https://vimeo.com/user110101185/videos>

Jamie Dow: Dave the Dog's children book <https://youtu.be/zYftZeftmZQ>

BSL stories signed by friends of Elmfield School <https://www.elmfield.bristol.sch.uk/Bug-Club/>

Blanche Neville

<https://www.facebook.com/967663219996683/videos/519317478786120/>

RAD (Royal Association for Deaf people)

https://www.facebook.com/pg/RADRoyalAssociationforDeafpeople/videos/?ref=page_internal

The Gruffalo <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V2Tq6AQJnDc>

The Very Hungry Caterpillar

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7hWM4vIPpk8&list=PLmUSUOO1MIu2wTHRo5I-miKRVEZ3BsUPh>

CBeebies stories <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/stories>

Singing hands <https://www.youtube.com/user/SingingHandsUK> songs signed in Makaton. Live story sessions at 10.30am with voice and Makaton signs.

Staffordshire Hearing impairment Service BSL Group

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/844677312666516/about/> stories in BSL

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