Child Development
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Web Sites

- **National Network for Child Care**—combines child care expertise of many of the nation's leading universities through the outreach system of Cooperative Extension, U.S. Department of Agriculture.
- **National Center for Birth Defects and Developmental Disabilities**—from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
- **Early Childhood Education Issues**—National Association for the Education of Young Children.
- **Zero to Three**—covers brain development, parenting, FAQs about sleep, behavior and development and childcare.
- **Great Internet Sites for Children**—American Library Association.
- **America's Children: Key Indicators of Well-Being**—On-going research statistics from the Federal Interagency Forum on Child and Family Statistics covering economic security, health, behavior and social environment and education.

AC Library Databases

- **Professional Development Collection**

- **ERIC** (Education Resources Information Center)

Electronic Books

Note: There are hundreds of child development books in the NetLibrary eBooks database. Below are just a few samples. Please log in using your WebAdvisor ID and password.


**Print Books**

Librarians can help students identify suitable books for assignments. You can save time by seeking their assistance.

**Washington Street Campus**

- **Walk-in assistance:** Go to the second floor of Lynn Library. Use the telephone located on the small table near the main computer sign-in desk to call the research help number, which is posted. The librarian on duty will respond.

- **Assistance by appointment:** Call 371-5403 or 345-5582 to make an appointment for uninterrupted individual help.

- **Assistance by telephone:** Call 371-5468 or toll-free 866-371-5468.

**West Campus**

**Note:** The West Campus Library specializes in nursing, allied health, criminal justice, child development, and mortuary science.

- **Walk-in assistance:** Go to the AC area of the Amarillo Public Library Northwest Branch, which is located in the southeast corner of the AC West Campus (closest to Bell Street). (The AC area is located in the back right-hand corner of the building.) The AC librarian on duty will assist you. You will need a valid library card to check out a book. Call 371-5400 for information about how to obtain a library card.

- **Assistance by telephone:** Call 356-3627.

**Print Periodicals**

- **Childcare Information Exchange.** AC West Campus Library area inside the Amarillo Northwest Branch Public Library.

- **Childhood Education.** AC West Campus Library area inside the Amarillo Northwest Branch Public Library.