

Dyslexia Resource Guide

Information about Dyslexia

- American Library Association: Guidelines for Services to Patrons with Dyslexia (2018) <https://www.ala.org/blog/2018/08/guidelines-for-library-services-to-individuals-with-dyslexia/>
- Basic Facts About Dyslexia and Other Reading Problems. L. Moats and K. Dakin (2007) - <https://dyslexiaida.org/product/basic-facts-about-dyslexia-and-other-reading-problems/>
- The Big Picture (2012) KPJR Films- <https://kplr.com/the-big-picture/>
- Bright Solutions for Dyslexia- <https://BrightSolutions.US>
- Dyslexia Symbol “pqbd” - <https://www.pqbd.org/dyslexia-friendly-libraries>
- IDA Fact Sheets (English and Spanish) - <https://dyslexiaida.org/fact-sheets/>
- National Center on Improving Literacy (Parents and Families) - <https://improvingliteracy.org/family>
- Reading Rockets has free modules that IDA certification teachers use for professional development. <https://www.readingrockets.org/teaching/reading101-course/modules/course-modules>
- Virginia Department of Education Dyslexia Awareness Module and other resources - <https://www.doe.virginia.gov/teaching-learning-assessment/teaching-in-virginia/teacher-licensure/dyslexia-training>
- Virginia Early Literacy Summit 2020 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e8TRRt3WVXU&feature=youtu.be>
- Understood.Org (Dyslexia Resources) <https://www.understood.org/en/learning-attention-issues/child-learning-disabilities/dyslexia/understanding-dyslexia>
- Yale Center for Dyslexia and Creativity - <http://www.dyslexia.yale.edu/>

Dyslexia Simulations

- Misunderstood Minds (includes numeracy)



<https://www.pbs.org/wgbh/misunderstoodminds/reading.html>

- Web Accessibility in Mind (does not include numeracy)

<https://webaim.org/simulations/dyslexia>

Audiobooks

Free Resources to Individuals Identified with a Print Disability:

- AIM VA (Accessible Instructional Materials for Virginia) - <https://aimva.org/>
- Bookshare - <https://www.bookshare.org/cms/>
- Learning Ally - <https://learningally.org/>
- Your local public library, both disc and digital downloads are available. Find your local library here: <https://www.lva.virginia.gov/public/libraries.asp>
- Library of Congress's National Library Service for the Blind and Print Disabled available to Virginians through your public library. Find the nearest NLSBPD Center here: <https://finditva.com/inclusive-resources/>. Resources are mailed and returned for free.

Fee-based Resources:

- Audible – <https://www.audible.com/>
- Epic! - https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.getepic.Epic&hl=en_US

Assistive Technology

Dyslexia Help (University of Michigan) - <http://dyslexiahelp.umich.edu/tools/software-assistive-technology>

Reference Materials for Parents

Donovan, L. (2015). A child's touchstone; Dyslexia guidance for "less than perfect" parents, teachers and pediatricians. Fresh Voice Publishing. <http://achildstouchstone.com/>

Eide, B. and F. (2011). The Dyslexic Advantage: Unlocking the hidden potential of the dyslexic brain. <https://www.dyslexicadvantage.org>



Wright P. and P. (2020) Wright's Law/Child Find: A Legal Mandate

<https://www.wrightslaw.com/info/child.find.mandate.htm>

Shaywitz, S. and B. (2003). Overcoming dyslexia: A new and complete science-based program for reading problems at any level. [http://dyslexia.yale.edu/research-science/overcoming-](http://dyslexia.yale.edu/research-science/overcoming-dyslexia/)

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Children and Young Adult Novels

Elementary

Hodge, D. (2007). *Lily and the Mixed-Up Letters*. Toronto, Ontario: Tundra Books.

Polacco, P. (1998). *Thank you, Mr. Faulker*. New York, NY: Philomel Books.

Winkler, H. and Oliver, L. (2003). *Hank Zipster; The World's Greatest Underachiever* series. New York, NY: Grosset & Dunlap.

Young Adolescent (YA)

Draper, S. (2004). *Double Dutch*. New York, NY: Atheneum Books.

Hunt, L. M. (2015). *Fish in a Tree*. New York, NY: Puffin Books.

Spinelli, J. (1990). *Manic Magee*. Boston, MA: Little, Brown and Company.

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