



Deaf or Hard of Hearing Inclusive Books

Many of the books on these lists are available through the BCFHRC library. Please let us know if you have enjoyed other books that we may have missed and we'll add them to our list!

Stories with a Visual Language Focus:

- **A Birthday for Ben**, by Kate T Gaynor (2009)
- **A Button in Her Ear**, by Ada Litchfield (1976)
- **BABY-BOARD BOOKS, I'm a Little Teapot**, by Annie Kubler (2005)
- **BABY-BOARD BOOKS, Pat-A-Cake**, by Annie Kubler (2005)
- **Can You Hear A Rainbow?**, by Jamee Riggio Heelan (2002)
- **Dad and Me in the Morning**, by Patricia Lakin (1994)
- **Dina the Deaf Dinosaur**, by Carole Addabbo (1998)
- **Julia's Words**, by Judith L. Roth (2009)
- **Max Learns Sign Language**, by Adria F. Klein (2007)
- **Moonbird**, by Joyce Dunbar (2007)
- **Moses Goes To School**, by Isaac Millman (2000)
- **Moses Goes To A Concert**, by Isaac Millman (2002)
- **Moses Goes To A Circus**, by Isaac Millman (2003)
- **Moses Sees A Play**, by Isaac Millman (2004)
- **Prudence Parker and a Sign of Friendship**, by Christine Burk (2003)
- **Splish Splat**, by Alexis Domney (2011)
- **The Deaf Musicians**, by Pete Seeger and Paul Dubois Jacobs (2006)
- **What the Jackdaw Saw**, by Julia Donaldson (2015)



Stories about Children with Microtia Atresia:

All stories from Microtia Australia

- **Aoife and the Ear**, written & illustrated by a group of children for their classmate Aoife
- **Chelsea's New Ear**, by Simone Cheadle
- **Chelsea and her Little Ear Make a New Friend**, by Simone Cheadle

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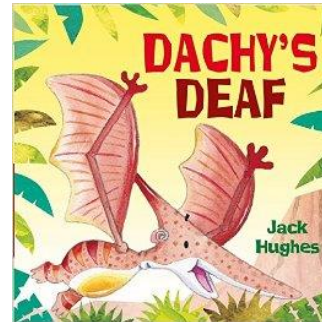
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Stories with Listening Equipment:

- **A Bear Hug at Bedtime**, by Jana Novotny Hunter (2017)
- **All About Me & Hearing with My Cochlear Nucleus System**, by Cochlear
 - Also available free online or through Cochlear
- **Cosmo Gets An Ear**, by Gary Clemente (1994)
- **Dachy's Deaf**, by Jack Hughes (2012) (Pictured below)
- **Ellie's Ears**, by Elizabeth Boschini & Rachel Chaikof (2010)
- **Goat goes to Playgroup**, Julia Donaldson (2013)
- **Happy Birthday to My Ears**, by Elizabeth Boschini & Rachel Chaikof (2011)
- **Having Hearing Aids**, by Peter Augustine (2003)
- **Kylie gets a Cochlear Implant**, by Marilyn C. Rose (2013)
- **Let's Hear It for Almigal**, by Wendy Kupfer (2012)
- **Leo Gets Hearing Aids/Leo Gets a Roger System**, by Phonak
 - Also available free online or through Phonak
- **Max and his Hearing Aids**, Emily Mikoski (2007)
- **Oliver gets hearing aids, Oliver gets FM**, by Phonak (2001)
 - Also available free online or through Phonak
- **River Walks**, by Nathalie Johnson (2010)
- **Sofie's Tales**, by Melanie Paticoff (2010)
- **The Everywhere Bear**, Julia Donaldson (2018)

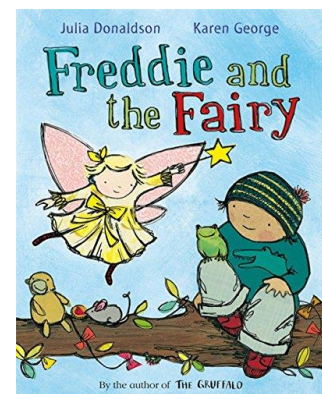


Stories about Children with a Sibling who is Deaf or Hard of Hearing:

- **Elana's Ears, or How I Became the Best Big Sister in the World**, by Gloria Roth (2000)
- **I have a Sister My Sister is Deaf**, by Jeanne Whitehouse (1977)

Stories about Feelings and Self Advocacy for Children who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing:

- **A Screaming Kind of Day**, by Rachna Gilmore (2000)
- **Freddie and the Fairy**, by Julia Donaldson (2012) (pictured below)
- **I Am Deaf**, by Jennifer Moore Mallinos (2009)
- **I can't Hear Like You (Talking it Through)**, by Althea (2001)
- **I'm Deaf and It's Okay**, by Lorraine Aseltine, Evelyn Mueller, and Nancy Tait (1992)
- **I'm the Boss of my Hearing Loss**, by Amy Kroll (2004)
- **Just Like You**, by Robert Kroupa (2011)
- **Some Kids Are Deaf**, by Lola M. Schaefer (2008)
- **The Elephant in the Room**, by Jim Bombicino (2015)



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Stories for Older Children:

Comics:

- **The Blue Ear**, by Marvel Comics (pictured below)
- **Ironman in Hearing is Believing**, by Marvel Comics (2013)
- **Ironman in Sound Effects Comic Book**, by



Marvel Custom Solutions and The Children's Hearing Institute (Also available online through The Children's Hearing Institute)

Informative:

- **Deaf Culture: A-Z**, by Walter Paul Kelley (2003)
- **Movers & Shakers: Deaf People Who Changed the World Storybook**, by Cathryn Carroll & Susan M. Mather (1997)
- **Signs for Me**, by Ben Bahan (1990)
- **Micky McGuffin's Ear**, by John Hall (2005)

Stories/Novels:

- **Addy's Race**, by Debby Waldman (2011)
- **Charlie and Frog**, by Karen Kane (2018)
- **Deaf Child Crossing**, by Marlee Matlin (2004)
- **Deaf Like Me**, by Thomas Spradley (1985) (written by parents who have a daughter who is deaf)
- **El Deafo**, by Cece Bell (2014) (written in a comic form)
- **Five Flavors of Dumb**, by Anthony John (2011)
- **Hurt Go Happy: A Novel**, by G. Robby (2016)
- **Jakes the Name: Sixth Grades the Game**, by Deb Piper (1996)
- **Mandy**, by Barbara D. Booth (1991)
- **Nobody's Perfect**, by Marlee Matlin (2007)
- **One TV Blasting and A Pig Outdoors**, by Deborah Abbott (1994)
- **Robin Sees Song**, by Jim & Cheryl Pahz (2009)
- **Shay & Ivy: Beyond the Kingdom**, by Sheena McFeely (2015)
- **The Smart Princess, And other Deaf Tales** by Keelin Carey and Kristina Guevremont (2014) (Deaf Culture)
- **She Touched the World, Laura Bridgman, Deaf-Blind Pioneer** by Sally Hobart Alexander and Robert Alexander (2008)
- **Strong Deaf**, by Lynn McElfresh (2012)
- **The Grump: The Original Short Story**, by Mark Ludy (2000)
- **The Heart's Language**, by Lois-Ann Yamanaka (2005)
- **Listening to the Waves** by Regan Nichole Brady (2010) (AVT focus)
- **Wonder**, Raquel J. Palacio (2012)

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Stories with Themes of Celebrating Differences and Inclusion:

- **A Rainbow of Friends**, by P.K. Hallinan (2005)
- **Hooray For You!**, By Marianne Richmond (2015)
- **I'm Like You, You're Like Me**, by Cindy Gainer (2013)
- **It's Okay to Be Different**, by Todd Parr (2009)
- **The Family Book**, by Todd Parr (2010)
- **Whoever You Are**, by Mem Fox (2006)



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