

Oxfordshire Deaf Children's Society - books to promote deaf awareness

A curated set of books which feature deafness and deaf characters, suitable for children of all ages
Designed to be a useful resource to raise awareness of deafness and champion deaf inclusion
amongst children

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List of suggested books					Suggested as suitable for...		
Name	Author	Approx age	Cost	Link	Nursery	Primary	Secondary
Goat goes to playgroup	Julia Donaldson (Author), Nick Sharratt (Illustrator)	2-5	£6.99	Link	Y		
Happy to be me	Emma Dodd	3-5	£6.99	Link	Y		
Can Bears Ski?	Raymond Antrobus and Polly Dunbar	3-6	£6.99	Link	Y	Y	
There's only one you	Kathryn Heling (Author), Deborah Hembrook (Author), Rosie Butcher (Illustrator)	3-7	£6.99	Link	Y	Y	
Freddie and the Fairy	Julia Donaldson and Karen George	3-7	£7.99	Link	Y	Y	
Jake and Jasmine to the rescue	Karen Harlow and Sandra Aguilar	4-7	£6.99	Link	Y	Y	
Daisy and Ted's awesome adventures	Alex Naidoo	4-7	£6.99	Link	Y	Y	
Proud to be deaf	Ava Beese (Author), Lilli Beese (Author), Nick Beese (Author), Romina Martí (Illustrator)	5-8	£6.99	Link		Y	
The visible sounds	Yin Jianling (author), Yu Rong (illustrator)	5-8	£6.99	Link		Y	
The secrets beneath the palm tree	Angeliki Stamatopoulou-Pedersen (Author), Tety Solou (Illustrator)	6-8	£16.95	Link		Y	
The sound of all things	Myron Uhlberg (Author), Ted Papoulas (Illustrator)	6-9	£6.50	Link		Y	
Dachy's deaf	Jack Hughes (author)	6-10	£11.99	Link		Y	
Listen: How Evelyn Glennie, a Deaf Girl, Changed Percussion	Shannon Stocker	6-10	£7.99	Link		Y	
Song for a whale	Lynne Kelly	9-14	£6.99	Link		Y	Y
Hello, Universe	Erin Entrada Kelly	9-14	£6.50	Link		Y	Y
Why the Whales Came	Michael Morpurgo	9-13	£7.99	Link		Y	Y

Genesis: River of Ink Book 1 -4	Helen Dennis	9-13	£15.99	Link	Y	Y
True Biz	Sara Novic	10-15	£18.99	Link	Y	Y
This Is Kind of an Epic Love Story	Kacen Callender	10-15	£6.99	Link	Y	Y
Harriet Versus the Galaxy	Samantha Baines	10-15	£6.35	Link	Y	Y
El deafo	Cece Bell	10-15	£10.99	Link	Y	Y
Not a Sound	Heather Gudenkauf	10-15	£8.56	Link	Y	Y
The Magnus Chase trilogy	Rick Riordan	10+	£15.75	Link	Y	Y
Deeplight	Frances Hardinge	12+	£7.50	Link		Y
Deaf Republic	Ilya Kaminsky	12+	£9.25	Link		Y
You're Welcome, Universe	Whitney Gardner	12+	£8.50	Link		Y
A Quiet Kind of thunder	Sara Barnard	12+	£7.35	Link		Y
Wonderstruck	Brian Gelznick	12+	£13.89	Link		Y
The Dark Days of Hamburger Halpin	Josh Berk	12+	£7.35	Link		Y
Piper	Jay Asher	12+	£11.99	Link		Y
The Silent Striker.	Pete Kalu	13+	£7.99	Link		Y
I am Malala	Malala Yousafzai	13+	£9.99	Link		Y
Ketchup clouds	Annabel Pitcher	14+	£7.99	Link		Y