



# From the CDR Library Stacks



May 2008

## New Additions to the CDR Library

*Autism in Your  
Classroom: A General  
Educator's Guide to  
Students with Autism  
Spectrum Disorders  
(2007)*

*The First Years: A Parent  
& Caregiver's Guide to  
Helping Children Learn  
(2001)*

*Creative Activities for  
Young Children, 6th  
Edition (1998)*

*Sing me a Story! Tell me  
a Song! Creative  
Thematic Activities for  
Teachers of Young  
Children (2005)*

*Creative Resources for  
Infants and Toddlers  
(1999)*

*More Infant and Toddler  
Experiences (2001)*



### The Library's Latest: A Note from the Coordinator

—Over the past month, the CDR Library acquired six new titles (See side-bar and other pages for annotations.)

—We received a total of 117 reference questions; 32 research questions; 64 check-out requests; 14 renewal requests; distributed 60 web articles and/or journal print-outs; and, handed out 265 pamphlets!!!. Finally, we had 10 new patrons join the library!

—I wanted to take a moment to thank my Graduate Assistant, Rebecca Eells, for all of the awesome work she has brought over these past couple of semesters. I will greatly miss her, but wish her all of the best as she continues down the road toward becoming a Genetics Counselor. I know she will be a phenomenal one! Good luck, Rebecca! You are an incredible person and the Center for Disability Resources Library won't be the same without you!



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Finally,

*Happy Mother's Day  
to all of the moms  
out there!*

## See What's New at the CDR Blog!

### Breaking news stories:

- Rise In Autism Is Related To Changes In Diagnosis, New Study Suggests
- Increasing Positive Experiences Decreases Depression Symptoms In Patients With Multiple Sclerosis
- Sleep Problems Common
- In Children With ADHD, Study Shows
- Mom Wins Fight For Autism Insurance
- ADHD Drugs Seen As Not Linked To Future Drug Abuse
- Study Links Premies With Autism Signs
- Muscle Weakness Found

*"To a historian libraries are food, shelter, and even muse."*

*~Barbara Tuchman~*

in Some Autistic Children

- Boom in camps for chronically ill kids

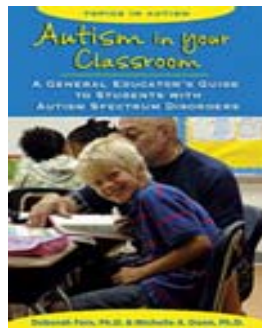
**Check out these and much more at**

<http://cdrlibraryblog.blogspot.com!>

## Spotlight on These New Additions...

### New Books and Videos

*"In any library in the world, I am at home, unselfconscious, still and absorbed."*  
~Germaine Greer~



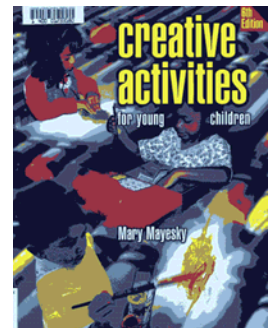
### **Autism in Your Classroom: A General Educator's Guide to Students with Autism Spectrum Disorders (2007)**

— "This much-needed resource gives teachers an understanding of the types, causes, characteristics and treatments of ASDs. The authors share their clinical and classroom experience."



### **The First Years: A Parent & Caregiver's Guide to Helping Children Learn (2001)**

— "Focuses on helping children learn in their first three years of life... Offers insight into early development, based on research, as well as practical suggestions for joyful parenting... Accessible text written in layman's terms."



### **Creative Activities for Young Children, 6th Edition (1998)**

— "For individuals who want to know more about creative children, creative teaching, and creative curriculum activities... Overall emphasis on creativity and process over product... Written in a developmental context, you will learn why activities should be used as well as how to implement them."

## Strides for Autism Walk



South Carolina Autism Society  
Together We Can Solve The Puzzle

Saturday, May 10  
Finlay Park, Columbia, SC  
Registration: 8:00am  
Walk Begins: 9:00am

Registration and other information, along with information about autism and SCAS, is available on the agency's Web site, [www.scautism.org](http://www.scautism.org), and the walk Web site, [www.stridesforautism.org](http://www.stridesforautism.org), or by calling the Columbia SCAS office at 1-800-438-4790 or (803) 750-6988.

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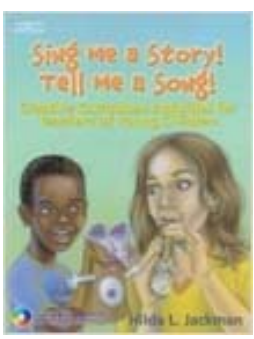
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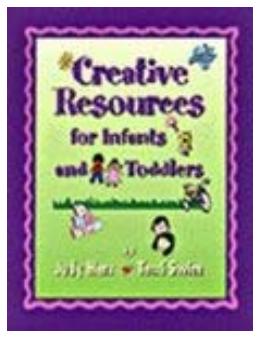
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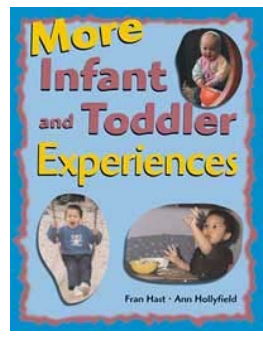
*"Without libraries what have we? We have no past and no future."  
~Ray Bradbury~*



**Sing me a Story! Tell me a Song! Creative Thematic Activities for Teachers of Young Children (2005)**  
—With CD-ROM  
“Provides the answers and planning tools educators need to effectively teach children from infancy to age eight using the thematic approach. The 30 themes presented provide a framework for integrating all area’s of a child’s development.”



**Creative Resources for Infants and Toddlers (1999)**  
—“Focuses on the growth of the whole child covering all areas of development: physical, language and communication, cognitive, social, and emotional. To support, enhance, and promote the child’s development in all of these areas, this unique book includes 280 specially-designed activities.”



**More Infant and Toddler Experiences (2001)**  
—“Find creative suggestions for interactions that strengthen both the developing child and the caregiver...Offer directions on planning environments to support infant and toddler learning...Will give both novice and experienced infant/toddler teacher fresh approaches and new experiences to try.”

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*“You will come here and get books that will open your eyes, and your ears, and your curiosity, and turn you inside out or outside in.” ~Ralph Waldo Emerson~*

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## SAVE THE DATE

May 22, 2008

9:00 am - 4:45 pm

Registration 7:30 am - 9:00 am

### 2008 SC Early Intervention Conference for Families and Providers

White Oak Conference Center  
Winnsboro, SC 29180

- Registration is now being accepted at <http://CTLSilhouette.wsu.edu/surveys/ZS76070>
- Registration fee (includes lunch and refreshments) is \$35.00
- Overnight accommodations Wednesday, May 21st are available at a rate of \$52.00
- The conference is limited to 500 attendees
- Keynote Speaker: Robin McWilliam, Ph. D.—the Director of the Center for Child Development and Research at Vanderbilt Children’s Hospital, & Chief of the Division for Development and Behavioral Pediatrics and Professor of Pediatrics

#### For more information:

- Please visit **TECS** website at <http://uscm.med.sc.edu/tecs/>
- Or contact **Kristie K. Musick** at [kkmusick@gwm.sc.edu](mailto:kkmusick@gwm.sc.edu) or 803-935-5242



### —About the Library—

*The library is a collaborative effort between BabyNet/South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, the Center for Disability Resources, the South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs, and the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library. The CDR Library consists of books, videos, brochures, and audiotapes covering a variety of disability-related topics. The Center for Disability Resources Library is located within the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library on Garners Ferry Road.*