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# Resources

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## 1983-84 Directory of Facilities and Services for the Learning Disabled

A 110-page paperback listing 500 facilities for the learning disabled (Novato, Calif.: Academic Therapy Publications, 1983).

Counseling centers, remedial therapists, specialists, schools, and camps are listed alphabetically and by state. Each listing includes the nature of the facility, age and grade levels of students, length of school year, type of services offered, and more. The book also offers suggestions for evaluating facilities, information on current testing materials, and sources of free catalogs. Available for the price of postage and handling: single copies \$1.00; 2-4, \$1.50; 5-19, \$2.00; 20-49, \$3.50; 50 or more, \$6.50. Contact Academic Therapy Publications, 20 Commercial Blvd., Novato, CA 94947.

## Communications Technologies: Their Effect on Adult, Career, and Vocational Education

A 42-page monograph of four papers on recent developments in communications technologies and their potential effect on program content and delivery (Columbus, Ohio: National Center for Research in Vocational Education, 1983).

The papers discuss the effects on the world of work, on the home as the telecommunications and education center of the future, and on vocational education. They cover the training of instructors, the use of computers for career decision making and training, and the need to develop alternative futures for technologies in vocational education, and a philosophy to guide their use. Available for \$4.25 from the National Center for Research in Vocational Education, National Center Publications, Box U, 1960 Kenny Rd., Columbus, OH 43210. Phone: (614) 486-3655.

## Maycie Katherine Southall: Her Life and Contributions to Education

A 303-page hardbound dissertation, by Dorothy Louise Brown (McMinnville, Tenn.: Dorothy Louise Brown, 1981).

Documents the life of Maycie Katherine Southall, a leading American elementary educator and active participant

in such organizations as Delta Kappa Gamma, AAUW, ASCD, ACEI, and others. Southall taught at George Peabody College for Teachers for 35 years and served on numerous White House Conferences on Children. Copies are available for \$14.95, plus \$1.50 for postage and handling, from Louise Brown, 210 Morrison St., McMinnville, TN 37110.

## A Guide to Sources of Educational Information

A comprehensive key to where and how to obtain information relating to education, 2nd ed., by Marda Woodbury (Arlington, Va.: Information Resources Press, 1982).

Twenty chapters provide detailed descriptions of more than 700 published and institutional sources, plus backup discussions on how to locate them and how and when to use them. This edition consists primarily of new or recent educational information sources. Author Woodbury is a librarian, writer, editor, and teacher specializing in educational subjects as well as an acknowledged authority on educational information sources. Available for \$37.50 per copy, plus \$2.30 for postage and handling, from Information Resources Press, 1700 N. Moore St., Arlington, VA 22209. Phone: (703) 558-8270.

## AFT Teachers' Network for Education of the Handicapped

Series of seven pamphlets dealing with disabilities ranging from dyslexia to retardation (Washington, D.C.: American Federation of Teachers, 1982).

The pamphlets are addressed to teachers who have had handicapped students mainstreamed into their classrooms. They offer instructional techniques that can be used in regular classrooms with little or no modifications. Topics include the hearing-impaired child and visually handicapped, cerebral palsy, retarded and slow learners, and others. Copies are available by contacting Carolyn Trice, American Federation of Teachers, Educational Issues Department, 11 Dupont Circle, NW, Washington, DC 20036. Phone: (202) 797-4458.

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