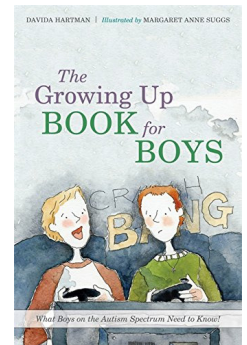
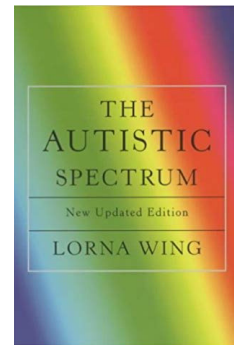
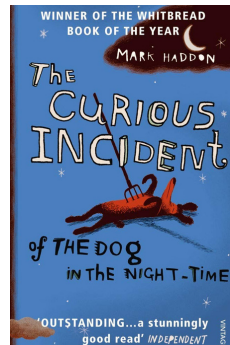
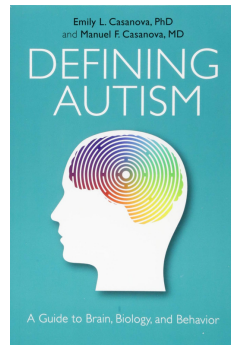
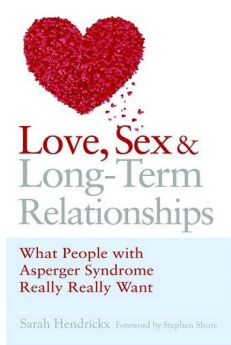
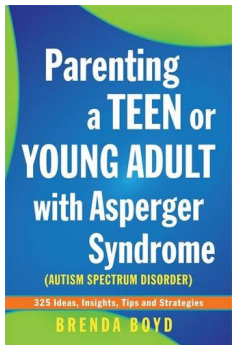
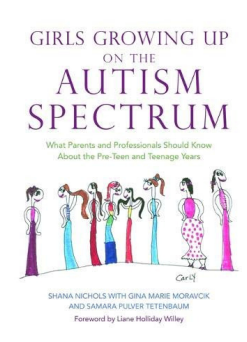
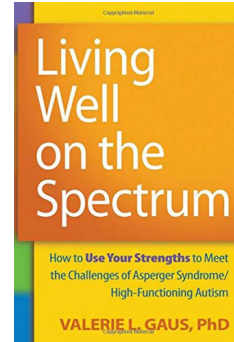
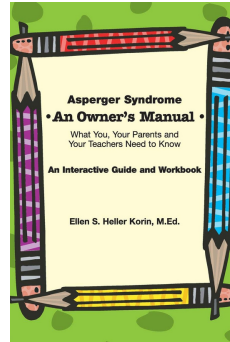
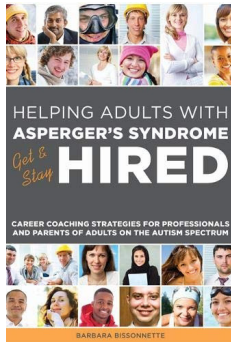
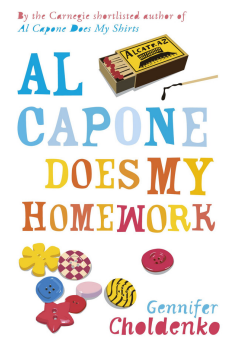
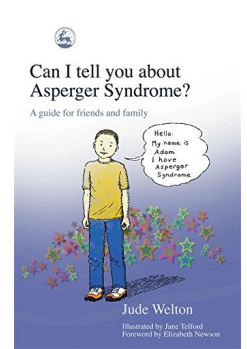
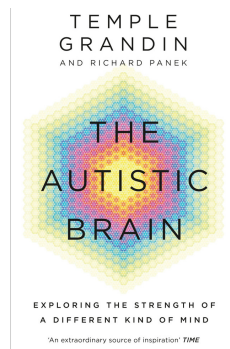
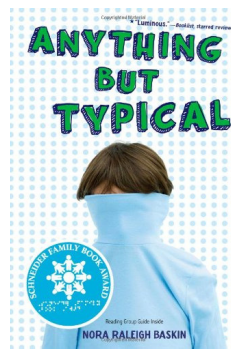
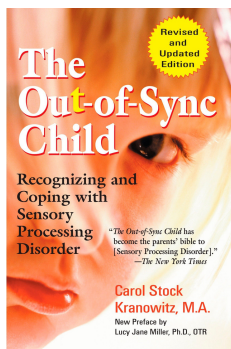
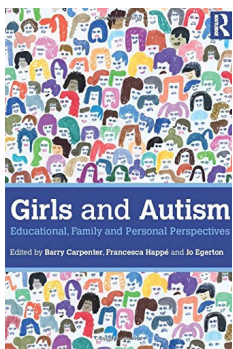


Autism Collection



A recommended reading list, including books for children with autism and for families of children or young people with autism.

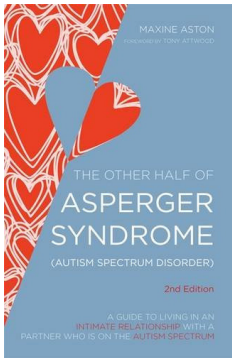
Browse our Autism Collection at Central Library. Alternatively you can request any of these titles free of charge using our reservation service – ask a member of staff for more details.

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GENERAL READING



Maxine Aston

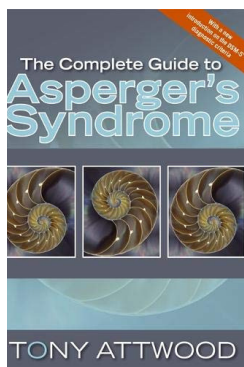
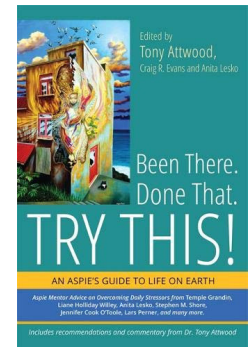
The other half of Asperger Syndrome

A guide to living in an intimate relationship with a partner who is on the Autism Spectrum.

Tony Attwood (Ed)

Been there. Done that. Try this!

Personal guidance on coping with the daily stressors that Aspies have identified as being the most significant - written by Aspies for Aspies.



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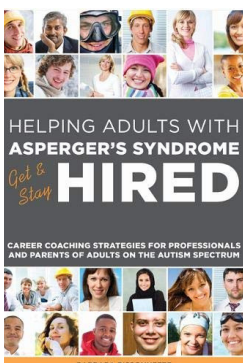
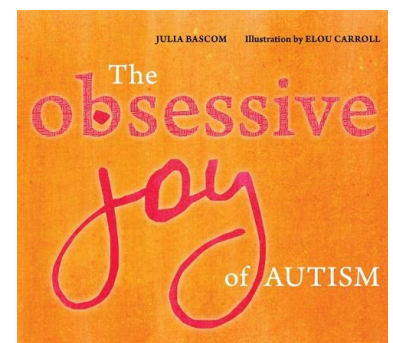
The complete guide to Asperger's Syndrome

The definitive handbook for anyone affected by Asperger's Syndrome (AS). It brings together a wealth of information on all aspects of the syndrome for children through to adults.

Julia Bascom

The obsessive joy of Autism

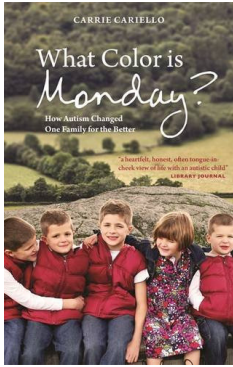
This is a story about Autism that is very rarely told. It tells of a world beyond impairments and medical histories.



Barbara Bissonnette

Helping adults with Asperger's Syndrome get & stay hired

Provides strategies that professionals and parents need to guide individuals with Asperger's Syndrome to manageable jobs, and keep them employed.

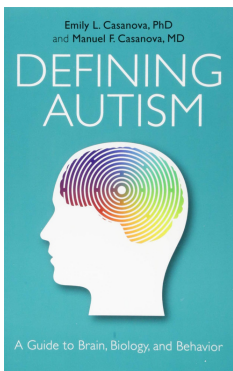
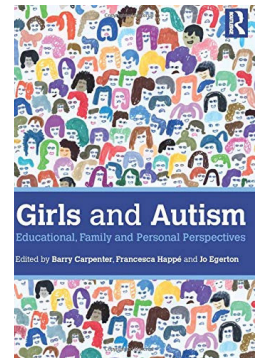


Carrie Cariello What color is Monday?

A positive perspective on the challenges of raising a child with Autism.

Barry Carpenter, Francesca Happé, et al. Girls and Autism

This much-needed text will provide parents, teachers and other professionals with essential information to help them support and teach autistic girls more effectively.

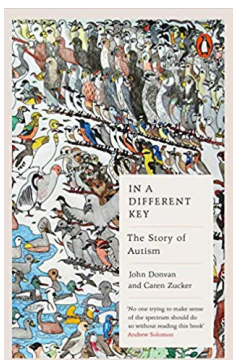


Emily L Casanova and Manuel F Casanova Defining Autism

Looks at the different genetic, neurological and environmental causes of, and contributory factors to Autism.

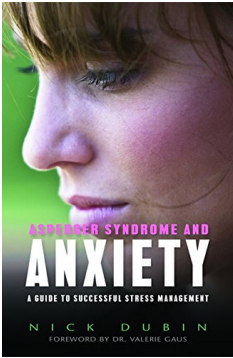
James Christie Dear Miss Landau

The true story of the Rain Man who came in from the cold.



John Donvan In a different key: the story of Autism

The stunning history of Autism as it has been discovered and felt by parents, children and doctors.



Nick Dubin

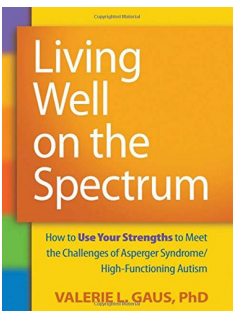
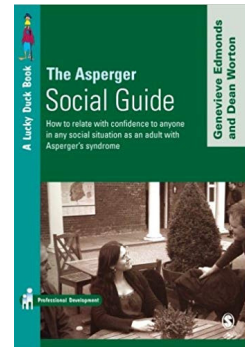
Asperger Syndrome and anxiety

Offers practical advice on how individuals with AS can manage their anxiety more effectively.

Genevieve Edmonds & Dean Worton

The Asperger Social guide

A pocket sized travel guide for adults with Asperger's Syndrome exploring the social world, based on the authors' personal experiences.



Valerie L Gaus

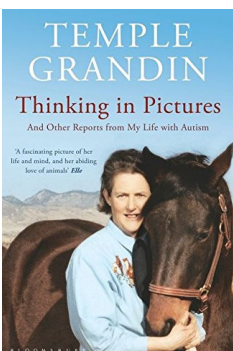
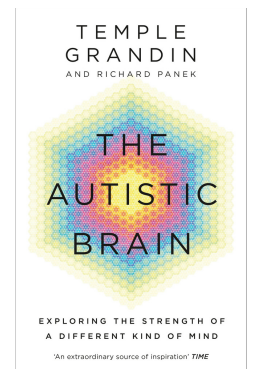
Living well on the spectrum

This book will help you identify goals that will make your life better and take concrete steps to achieve them.

Temple Grandin & Richard Panek

The autistic brain

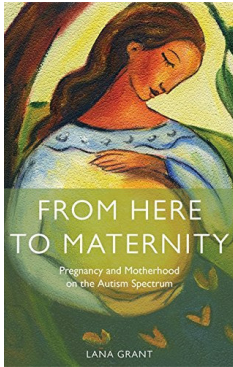
Temple Grandin offers her own experience as an autistic person alongside remarkable new discoveries about the autistic brain, as well as genetic research.



Temple Grandin

Thinking in pictures

The idea that some people think differently, though no less humanly, is explored in this inspiring book.



Lana Grant

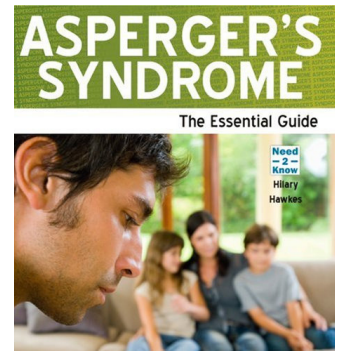
From here to maternity

This witty, entertaining read provides insight into the unique challenges encountered by mothers on the spectrum and provides tips and strategies for understanding and overcoming them.

Hilary Hawkes

Asperger's Syndrome - the essential guide

This essential guide takes a positive and practical approach to living with AS.



Love, Sex & Long-Term Relationships

What People with Asperger Syndrome Really Really Want

Sarah Hendrickx Foreword by Stephen Shore

Sarah Hendrickx

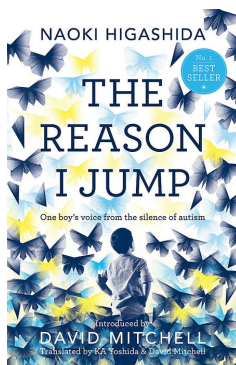
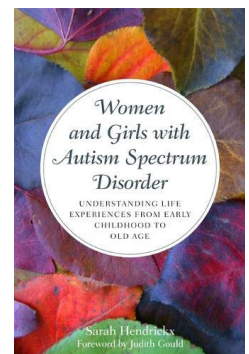
Love, sex and long-term relationships

An invaluable source of information and support for those with Asperger Syndrome and couples in which one or both partners has Asperger Syndrome.

Sarah Hendrickx

Women and girls with Autism Spectrum Disorder

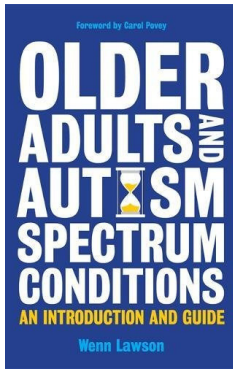
A collection of both academic research and personal stories about girls and women on the Autism Spectrum to present a picture of their feelings, thoughts and experiences at each stage of their lives.



Naoki Higashida

The reason I jump

Written by Naoki Higashida when he was only thirteen, this remarkable book provides a rare insight into the often baffling behaviour of autistic children.



Wenn Lawson

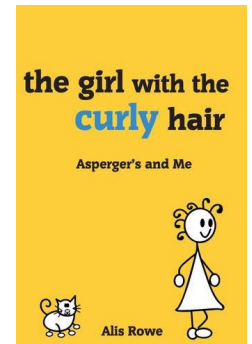
Older adults and Autism Spectrum Conditions

This groundbreaking handbook offers support, advice, and sensible ways in which to look at the issues facing older adults with ASC.

Alis Rowe

The girl with the curly hair: Asperger's and me

Despite being a a big part of her life, Alis' family still don't really know what it's like being her, having Asperger's Syndrome. So she wrote this book.



Lorna Selfe



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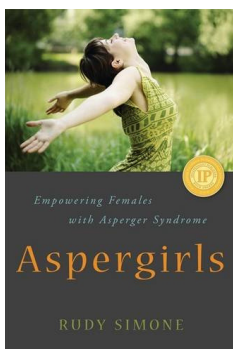
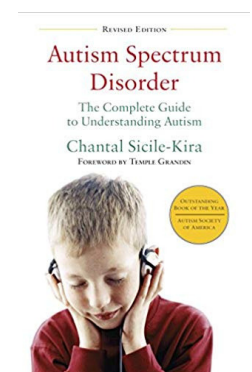
Autism Spectrum Disorder: all that matters

A sophisticated drama about ambition, family and old-age, that goes beyond the ordinary and predictable.

Chantal Sicile-Kira

Autism Spectrum Disorders: the complete guide

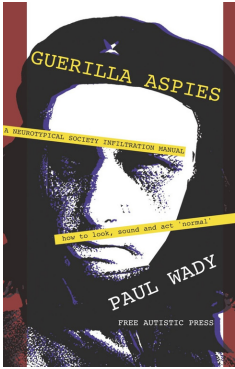
This award-winning guide covers every aspect of understanding and living with Autism today.



Rudy Simone

Aspergirls

A must-have handbook written by an Aspergirl for Aspergirls, young and old. It guides you through every aspect of both personal and professional life.

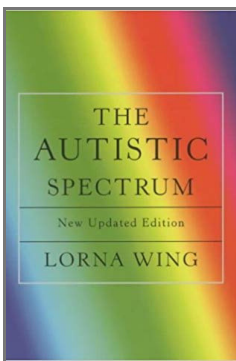
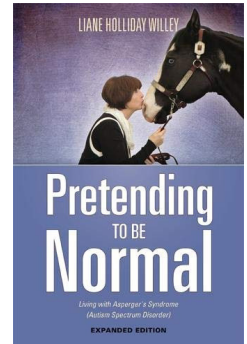


Paul Wady Guerilla Aspies

Possibly the funniest book on Autism you have ever read. Suitable for anyone, no matter how little you know.

Liane Holliday Willey Pretending to be normal

A compelling and witty account of growing to adulthood as an undiagnosed 'Aspie'.



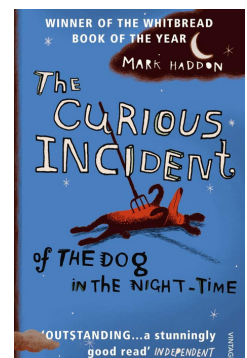
Lorna Wing The Autistic Spectrum

Explains how people with Autism experience the world and why they need an organised, structured environment, presenting a window into the world of those with the disorder.

Mark Haddon

The curious incident of the dog in the night-time

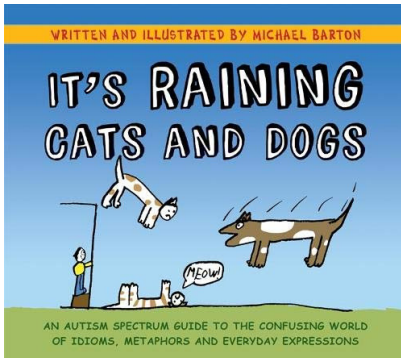
A murder mystery novel like no other. The detective, and narrator, is Christopher Boone. Christopher is fifteen and has Asperger's Syndrome.



Elizabeth Moon Speed of dark - a novel

Lou is different to 'normal' people. He interacts with the world in a way they do not understand. He might not see the things they see, however, but he also sees many things they do not. Lou is autistic.

SUPPORTING CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE



Michael Barton

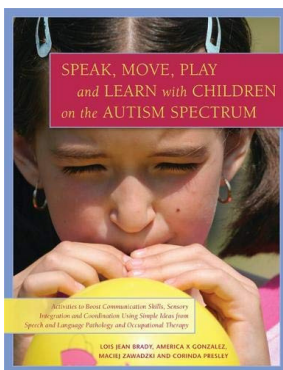
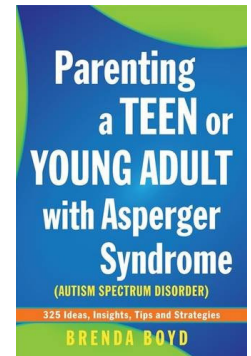
It's raining cats and dogs

An Autism Spectrum guide to the confusing world of idioms, metaphors and everyday expressions.

Brenda Boyd

Parenting a teen or young adult with Asperger Syndrome

325 astute and practical ideas, insights, tips and strategies address the complex issues parents face during this crucial period of transition for their child with Asperger Syndrome.



Lois Jean Brady

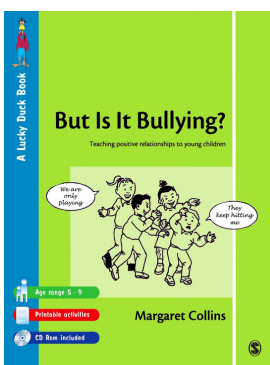
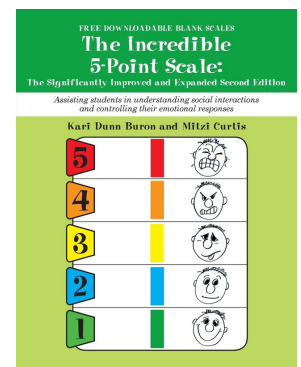
Speak, move, play and learn with children on the Autism Spectrum

Activities to boost communication skills, sensory integration and coordination using language pathology and occupational therapy.

Kari Dunn Buron

The incredible 5-point scale

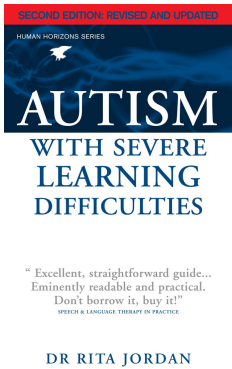
For use in the home or classroom to teach a child social and interpersonal abilities and emotional self-control.



Margaret Collins

But is it bullying?

Teaching positive relationships to young children. Targeted at educators working with young children - this book also lends itself to use with older primary pupils.



Rita Jordan

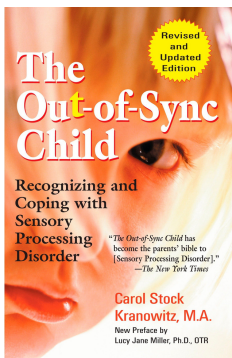
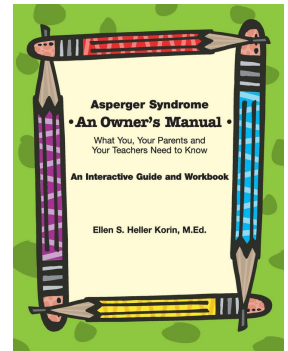
Autism with severe learning difficulties

A practical guide using techniques from a variety of programmes to outline how to develop the strengths of individual children while reducing problem behaviour.

Ellen Korin

Asperger Syndrome: an owner's manual

An interactive workbook designed for adolescents for use with guidance from a helping teacher or parent.



Carol Stock Kranowitz

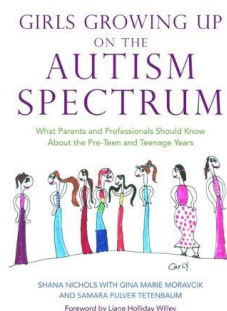
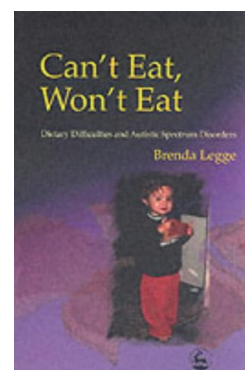
The out-of-sync child

Explains Sensory Processing Disorder (SPD) and presents a drug-free approach that offers hope for parents.

Brenda Legge

Can't eat, won't eat

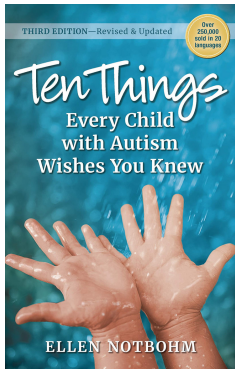
A parent's guide full of practical methods to dealing with the problem of food evasion by children with ASD.



**Shana Nichols with Gina Marie Moravcik
and Samara Pulver Tetenbaum**

Girls growing up on the Autism Spectrum

This book covers all the concerns commonly faced by girls with ASDs and their parents.



Ellen Notbohm

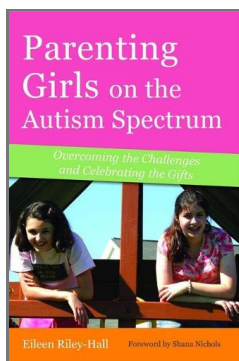
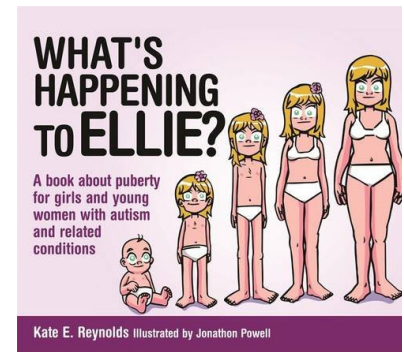
Ten things every child with Autism wishes you knew

Describes ten characteristics that help illuminate, not define, children with Autism.

Kate E Reynold

What's happening to Ellie?

This simple resource helps parents and carers teach girls with Autism and related conditions about puberty.



Eileen Riley-Hall

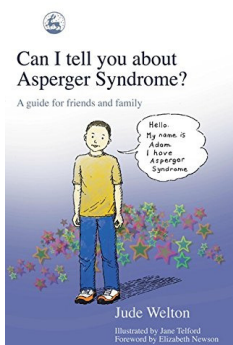
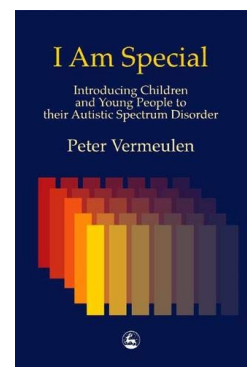
Parenting girls on the Autism Spectrum

This book is a celebration of all the wonderful and unexpected gifts that having daughters on the Autism Spectrum can bring to your life.

Peter Vermeulen

I am special

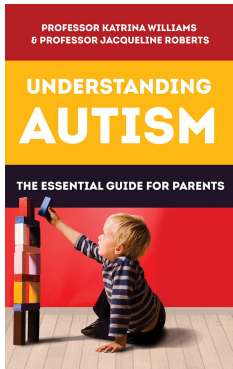
A workbook designed for a child with ASD to work through with an adult - parent, teacher or other professional.



Jude Welton

Can I tell you about Asperger Syndrome?

Written by Naoki Higashida when he was only thirteen, this remarkable book provides a rare insight into the often baffling behaviour of autistic children.



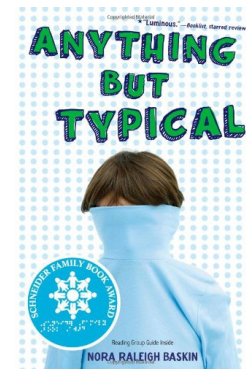
Katrina Williams & Jacqueline Roberts Understanding Autism

The essential reference for parents and carers of children with Autism.

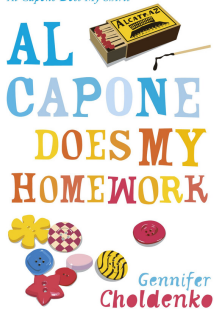
BOOKS FOR CHILDREN

Nora Raleigh Baskin Anything but typical

Jason Blake is an autistic twelve-year-old living in a neurotypical world. Most days it's just a matter of time before something goes wrong.



By the Carnegie shortlisted author of
Al Capone Does My Homework

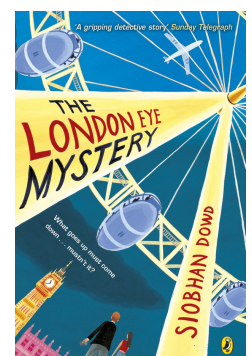


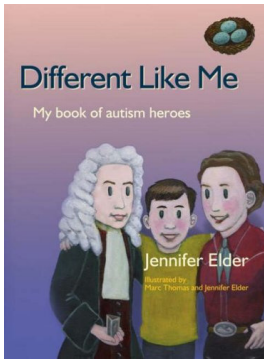
Gennifer Choldenko Al Capone does my homework

Alcatraz Island in the 1930s isn't the most normal place to grow up, but it's home for Moose Flanagan, his autistic sister, Natalie, and all the families of the guards.

Siobhan Dowd The London Eye mystery

Ted and his sister Kat watch their cousin Salim get on board the London Eye. The pod rises from the ground, high above the city. When the pod lands and the doors open everyone exits - everyone but Salim.





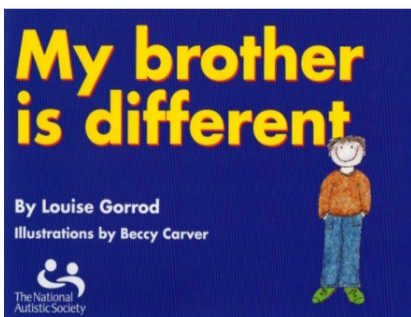
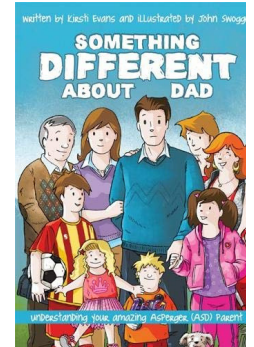
Jennifer Elder

Different like me: my book of Autism heroes

introduces children aged 8 to 12 years to famous, inspirational figures from the world of science, art, maths, literature, philosophy and comedy.

Kirsti Evans and John Swogger Something different about dad

An informative, light-hearted and reassuring look at growing up with a parent on the Autism Spectrum.



Louise Gorrod

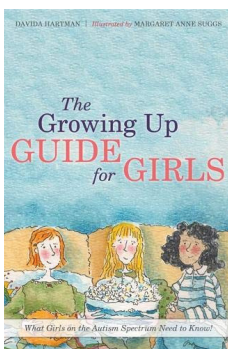
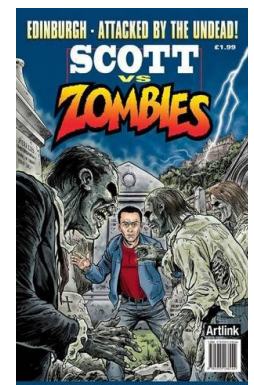
My brother is different

A book for young children who have a brother or sister with Autism

Alan Grant

Scott versus zombies

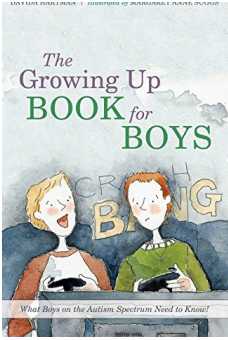
A comic book based on the real life experiences of a young man, Scott, who has Autism.



Davida Hartman

The growing up guide for girls

A one-stop guide for young girls on the Autism Spectrum explaining all they need to know about puberty and adolescence.



Davida Hartman

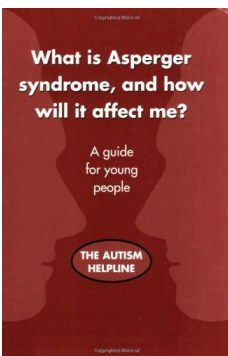
The growing up book for boys

Explains the facts behind the growth spurts, body changes and mood swings of adolescence for boys aged 9-14 on the Autism Spectrum.

Kathy Hoopmann

Blue bottle mystery: an Asperger adventure

Ben is a boy with Asperger Syndrome. When he and his friend Andy find an old bottle in the school yard, little do they know of the surprises about to be unleashed.



Martin Ives

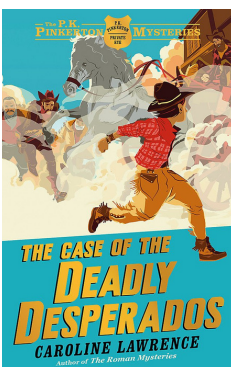
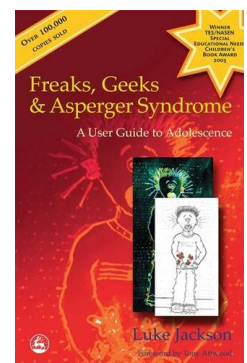
What is Asperger Syndrome, and how will it affect me?

Introducing some of the most common areas of difficulty for young people with AS, this booklet provides a list of practical tips to help deal with common problems.

Luke Jackson

Freaks, geeks and Asperger Syndrome

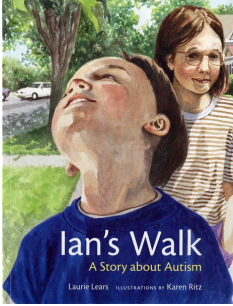
Have you ever been called a freak or a geek? Have you ever felt like one? Luke Jackson is 13 years old and has Asperger Syndrome.



Caroline Lawrence

The case of the deadly desperados

Fast, furious and funny - an utterly entertaining mystery adventure set in the Wild West, packed with danger and deadly desperados at every turn!

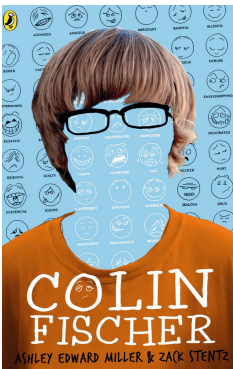
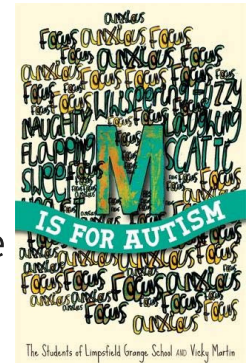


Laurie Lears Ian's walk

When her autistic little brother, Ian, wanders off while on a walk to the park, Julie must try to see the world through his eyes in order to find him.

Vicky Martin M is for Autism

M just wants to be like other teenagers her age who always know what to say and what to do. So why does it feel like she lives on a different plane of existence to everyone else?

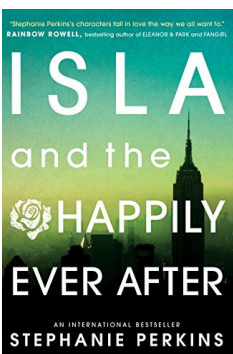
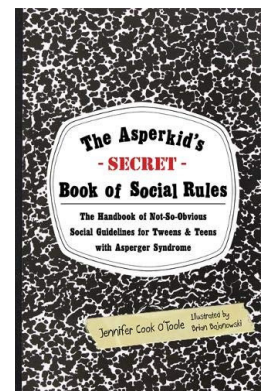


Ashley Miller Colin Fischer

Colin Fischer is 14 and he has Asperger's. When a gun goes off in the school cafeteria one lunchtime, Colin knows he can work out who did it.

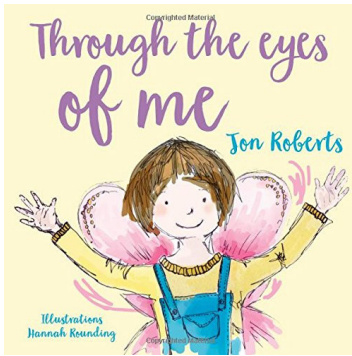
Jennifer Cook O'Toole The Asperkid's (secret) book of social rules

Gives Asperkids (aged 10-17) respectful, funny insights to all of the hidden social rules, written "for Aspies by an Aspie".



Stephanie Perkins Isla and the happily ever after

From glittering Manhattan to moonlit Paris, falling in love is easy for hopeless dreamer Isla and introspective artist Josh.

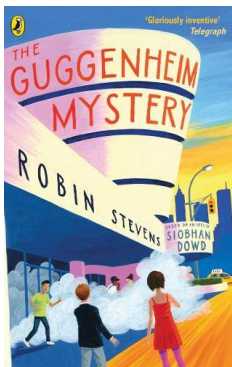
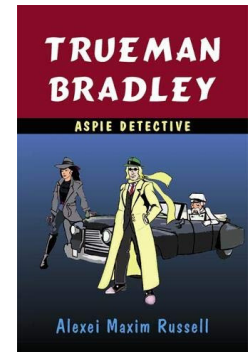


Jon Roberts Through the eyes of me

A sensitive portrayal of life as a child with Autism, narrated by 4-year old Kya, who guides readers through her likes and dislikes and all the nuances of her character.

Alexei Maxim Russell Trueman Bradley – Aspie Detective

Trueman Bradley is a genius detective with a difference; he has Asperger's Syndrome.

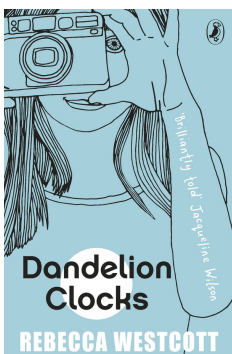
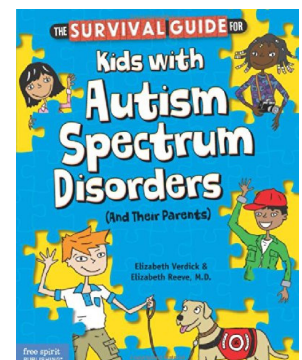


Robin Stevens The Guggenheim Mystery

Ted investigates the theft of a painting from the Guggenheim Museum. A sequel to Siobhan Dowd's The London Eye Mystery.

Elizabeth Verdick and Elizabeth Reeve The survival guide for kids with Autism Spectrum Disorders (and their parents)

Offers kids with ASDs their own comprehensive resource for both understanding their condition and finding tools to cope with the challenges they face every day.



Rebecca Westcott Dandelion clocks

Liv takes us on a journey through her life from "Thirteen Weeks Before" to "Six Months After".