

NEW RESOURCES

ROOT WORD CHART

Catalogue No.

233a A3 poster \$2 laminated

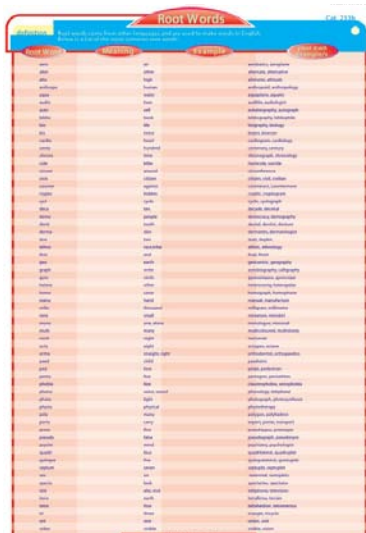
233b A4 sheet \$1

233c A4 cutting sheets \$2

Prices inclusive of GST

This laminated A3 reference chart is designed for the classroom wall. It provides a list of the **most frequently used** root words. Knowledge of root words should enable deaf students to work out the meaning of unknown words and increase their vocabulary. The chart is in three column format, with the root word and then its meaning, examples of words that include the root word and a column for students to add their own examples.

The same chart is available in A4 size, which will allow the teacher to cut it up and stick individual root words, meanings and examples into student's exercise books. The one page version in A4 size is 6.5 font size (very small) while the two page version is 12.5 font size.



STARTING SCHOOL PHOTO KIT

Catalogue No.

234a for child/student, who wears hearing aids

234b for child/student who wears a cochlear implant speech processor, SPrint model

234c for a child/student who wears a cochlear implant speech processor, ESPrnt or ESPirt 22

Price \$20 inclusive of GST

This extensive laminated photographic resource has been designed for the preschool child approaching school age or a child in their first years of school.

It is designed to teach and provide an opportunity to practise essential language associated with school. It has four components:

- What's in my School Bag?
- What's in my Lunch Box?
- What's in my Pencil Case?
- What's in my Carry Bag? (hearing aids, radio aids, speech processors, etc)

It is comprised of 73 full colour laminated photographic cards of specific named

objects. Two copies of each card are included so that games such as Snap, Memory and Fish can be played in order to learn the new vocabulary. A sorting game can also be played to enable the child to categorise what goes in which container.



WORLD WIDE WEB SITES



Visit **Deaf Education Aotearoa New Zealand** at www.deafed.org.nz

The site contains information about DEANZ and profiles of its trustees, their purpose and a public discussion. Presently the issue of training for teachers, advisers, communicators, interpreters and teacher aides is up for discussion and DEANZ would like your feedback.

The **Cornerstones** project offers literacy units for teachers of young students who are deaf and hard of hearing and those units are based on **Between the Lions** (an American television show and web site). The project's goals are to support reading, writing, vocabulary development and decoding skills through the intensive study of a single story. Cornerstones was developed at the National Center for Accessible Media (NCAM), which is part of WGBH, a coproducer of *Between the Lions*.

An extensive teaching unit for "**The Fox and the Crow**" is now available and there will be two more units in June of 2002.



As we can not video tape the programme from the American Public Service television, teachers would need to purchase the video and have the format copied from PAL to VHS.

Have a look at the site

<http://ncam.wgbh.org/cornerstones>

THIS IS THE FINAL ISSUE OF LITERACY LINKS FOR 2001.

