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Event Date

Fri, Mar 26 2021, 12am CDT - 0 seconds

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*Hear to Learn* offers a free monthly webinar series. The webinars cover a variety of topics related to the listening and spoken language development of children with hearing loss. Parents and professionals are welcome to attend!

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**Webinar start times: (by time zone)**

· 12:30pm-1:00pm CT

· 1:30pm-2:00pm ET

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**Presenter:** Nicole Jacobson, MS, CCC-SLP, LSLS Cert AVEd

**Learning Objectives:**

At the end of this session, participants will be able to:

1. Understand the role that reading plays in spoken language development.
2. Understand how talking and reading deepen parent-child bonds, which further strengthens child development.
3. Learn how to use various types of text and LSL strategies to engage a child in shared reading experiences.

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Nicole Jacobson is the Director of Sound Beginnings, a Listening and Spoken Language Specialist, and a Speech-Language Pathologist. She received a Bachelor's Degree at Brigham Young University in Special Education, with a minor in music. She also received her second Bachelor's and Master's Degrees at Utah State University in Speech-Language Pathology. Nicole has loved working with the amazing children and their families at Sound Beginnings and strives to offer services that are not only child-focused but are truly family-centered. Nicole has also thoroughly enjoyed working as a clinical supervisor with the Utah State University graduate students from the Listening and Spoken Language Graduate Studies Program.

This webinar will be recorded. Please see the website for access to this and other webinar recordings:  
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**CEUs are not offered for this webinar presentation.**

**Presenter:** Jeanette Smoot, MS, CCC-SLP, LSLC Cert. AVEEd

Jeanette Smoot loves her work as a Speech-Language Pathologist at Sound Beginnings at Utah State University and is nationally certified as a Listening and Spoken Language Specialist. Coaching families and mentoring graduate students are a key part of her role at Sound Beginnings. Jeanette enjoys finding creative ways to weave the children's language and speech goals into any setting or activity.

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