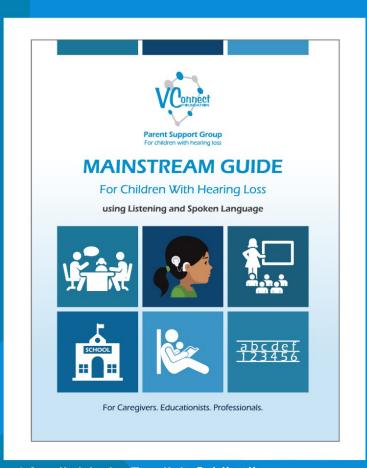


HOW DOES THE MAINSTREAM GUIDE HELP?



- 1. It is an enabler for parents, educationists and professionals to help children with hearing loss to have a smooth transition into the mainstream schools
- 2. Provides a holistic view and covers aspects related to hearing, hearing loss and its impact on the child
- 3. It prepares and equips the child for mainstreaming along with strategies, guidelines and tips for mainstream teachers.

^{*}Available in English & Hindi





What is a mainstream school?

Mainstream school is a school which primarily has children with typical hearing and without additional disabilities.







What do you mean by 'Mainstreaming children with hearing loss'?

Mainstreaming means to integrate children with hearing loss / special needs into regular schools to enable them learn along with their hearing peers.







What can help me to mainstream my child in regular school?

- a) Download and read the VConnect Foundation Mainstream Guide, it has all the necessary details which can help you in mainstreaming your child.
 - b) Attend the VConnect Mainstream webinars and other webinars (visit: www.vconnectfoundation.org)
- c) Share the VConnect Mainstream Guide with your school Principal, school teachers, your ENT, Audiologist and therapist.
- d) Encourage your school Principal, school teachers, your ENT, Audiologist and Therapist to enrol for the VConnect Mainstream Guide webinars which we will be organising soon.







What is the VConnect Mainstream Guide?

The VConnect Mainstream Guide is essentially an enabler for parents, educationists and professionals to help children with hearing loss to have a smooth transition into the mainstream.

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How can I access the VConnect Mainstream Guide?

a) Download the Mainstream Guide from www.vconnectfoundation.org b) For copy of a physical guide please email us at contact@vconnectfoundation.org







How will the VConnect Mainstream Guide help my child?

The VConnect Mainstream Guide provides a holistic view of how to mainstream a child with hearing loss and covers aspects related to hearing, hearing loss and its impact on the child, preparing and equipping them for mainstreaming along with strategies, guidelines and tips for mainstream teachers.







How will the guide help in the process of enrolling my child into mainstream school?

The VConnect Mainstream Guide has the entire process needed for mainstreaming a child with hearing loss in to mainstream schools. Apart from this it also acts as a guide for the mainstream school teachers and Auditory Verbal therapists in working on certain aspects which are important to mainstream children with hearing loss.







Who has compiled the VConnect Mainstream Guide?

The VConnect mainstream Guide has been compiled by a team of professionals which include audiologists, LSLS Cert. AVT, Auditory Verbal therapist, Mainstream school teachers, Mental health professional, Special Educators, Counsellors, Psychiatrist, heads of institutions and most importantly experienced parents have shared their valuable inputs to create this Guide.







Which languages is the VConnect Mainstream Guide available in?

The mainstream guide is currently available in 3 languages:

- English
 - Hindi
- Marathi

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