

# Special Populations: Gifted Children

[The Survival Guide for Parents of Gifted Kids](#): Dr. Sally Yahnke Walker

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You'll learn what giftedness is (and isn't), what makes gifted kids so special, how kids are identified as gifted, and why some kids fall through the cracks during the identification process. You'll discover encouraging, practical tips for living with your gifted child—and handling the endless questions, high energy, and too-smart mouth that often go along with giftedness. You'll find out how to keep from raising a “nerd,” how to prevent perfectionism, and when to get help. And you'll learn how to advocate for your child's education at school and in your state. *The Survival Guide for Parents of Gifted Kids* is for any parent who has ever wondered, “Now what?”