# CATALOG TACTILE AIDS FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED Developed and Provided by OAKMONT VISUAL AIDS WORKSHOP VOLUNTEERS

The Workshop offers our Tactile Aids free of charge to all individuals working with visually and mentally impaired children. Each one, including the book covers, is handmade, and some are especially time consuming. We do ship partial orders. There is no shipping during summer months. We ship 3 to 4 times a year.

Should you or your school wish to send even a small amount, it would be greatly appreciated. Ours is a volunteer organization, so every penny will be used for supplies. Thank you.

# **SEND REQUESTS TO:**

OAKMONT VISUAL AIDS WORKSHOP 6575 Oakmont Drive, Suite 7 Santa Rosa, CA 95409-5969

# **BE SURE TO PRINT & INCLUDE;**

- 1) Your name
- 2) Your school or affiliation
- 3) A complete address

### THIS IS THE LIST OF OUR CURRENTLY AVAILABLE PRODUCTS

### 2.0 BASIC BRAILLE

All cards are 3x5 Thermoform plastic, printed and Brailled.

- **2.1 Alphabet:** Lower case letters with standard and enlarged Braille
- 2.2 Alphabet: Upper and lower case with standard Braille.
- 2.3 Numbers: 0-10 with enlarged literary Braille
- 2.4 Punctuation: Names of punctuation signs with standard and enlarged Braille

## 5. 0 READINESS BOOKS

Each page has a tactile illustration, is printed and Brailled.

- 5.I Familiar Articles:
  - 5.1.4 Papers and Wraps.
- 5.2 Matching:
  - 5.2.2 Geometric Shapes Matching: A pocket inside the front cover contains six simple geometric shapes. Three Thermoform plastic pages have three recesses into which the shapes fit.

# 5. 0 READINESS BOOKS (continued)

# 5.3 Simple Comparisons:

5.3.0 – 5.3.9: Same or Different?, Big or Little?, Which is Biggest?, Larger and Smaller, Which is Longest?, Rough or Smooth?, Which is Different?, Which is Taller?, Wide or Narrow?.

# 5.4 Complex Concepts:

5.4.0 – 5.4.10: Above and Below, Among or Between?, Curved or Straight?, More or Less?, Off or On?, Open or Closed?, Inside or Outside?, Over and Under, Review of Concepts, Up or Down?.

## 5.5 Special Books:

- 5.5.1 Margins: Left, Right, Top, Bottom, All Four, None
- 5.5.3 Relative Positions: Top, Bottom, Upper Right, etc.
- 5.5.5 Lines of Direction: Vertical, Horizontal, Parallel, etc.

# **7.0 GAMES**

These are fun for your students! Two are Thermoform plastic and may be enhanced with color.

- **7.I Categories**: For low vision students. Labeled library pockets mounted on a cardboard with illustrated 3x5 cards to place in appropriate pockets.
- 7.4 Tic-Tac-Toe: That Old Favorite!

# 8.0 MATH STUDY AIDS

Books have tactile illustrations, are printed and Brailled. Cards and Aids, indicated by an asterisk, are Thermoform plastic

- **8.1.0 Simple Geometric Shapes:** Square, Rectangle, Circle, etc.
- 8.1.3: Sequences: First, Second, Last, etc.
- 8.1.4: Board with Four Shapes.
- **8.1.6 Math Symbols:** NEMETH Plus, Minus, Divide, Greater than, etc.
- 8.1.8 Fractions & Percents: Printed and NEMETH Braille.
- \*8.1.9 Counting Cards: 0-10, 3x5, printed and NEMETH Braille.
- \*8.1.11 Two forms with two sets of multiple-sized recesses & removable pieces in graduated sizes: 3 circles, 3 triangles, 3 rectangles, and 3 squares.
- \*8.7 Braille Clock: Ten inch diameter with manually movable hands.