ABSTRACT

This bachelor thesis focuses on deaf parents and the upbringing of their hearing children. It discusses the topic of hearing impairment, its consequences and communication systems or hearing compensation people with this disability can use. It also explores the topic of Deaf and CODA individuals and families consisting of a parent or parents with this disability and hearing children. For the last chapter, a research survey was carried out. The author conducted structured interviews with a total of nine informants from six families, who were asked to share their experience with the upbringings of their hearing children. All questions were divided into nine topics and the obtained data were subsequently analysed. The output of this work are partial conclusions and recommendations, which concern both the parents themselves and schools, doctors and organizations dedicated to the deaf.

KEYWORDS

CODA, Deaf, deaf parents, hearing child of Deaf parents, hearing impairment, upbringing of a child