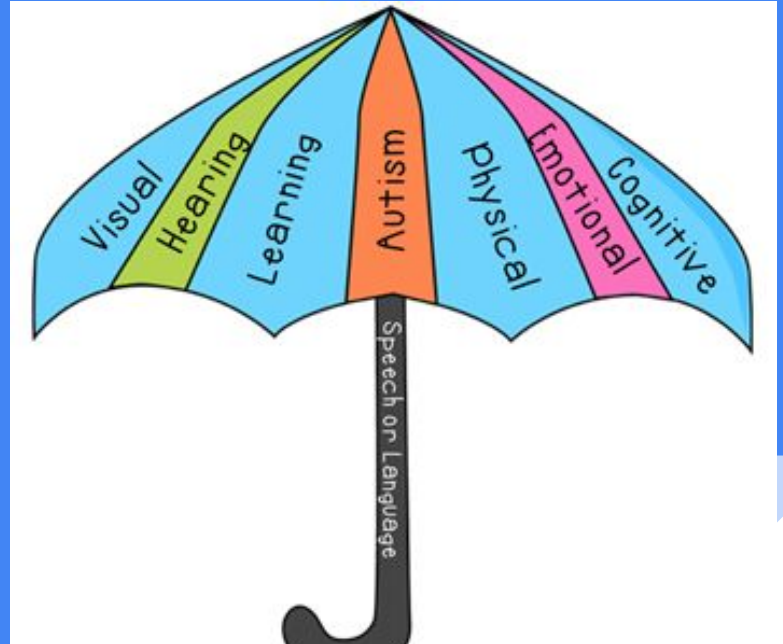


Disability Awareness Day

Ridgewood

Elementary School

April 19th, 2021



Goals/Activities

- *Promote Awareness about differences.
- * Have a discussion to promote empathy and acceptance.
- * Create Disability Awareness Bulletins.
- * Enjoy! This should be fun!
- * **Wear Maroon Shirts and crazy high socks!**

Main Points for Kids

- Other kids can look different or act different, but they still need friends like you!
- Try and get to know other kids and people even if they look different or like different things
- Choose to be nice and help
- Don't make fun of others for being different
- **Wear Maroon and Crazy High Socks!**
 - **Be proud of Ridgewood and standing out!**



K-2 Recommendations



Watch these videos:

- 1)Lemon the Duck: [Video Link](#)
- 2) Aurora's Gift(Autism):[Video Link](#)

Coloring Pages: Hang outside your classroom: Copy and Paste the links.

- 1)Color Hands that support Inclusion: [Click here: Go to Build a Ship of Hands](#)
- 2) Coloring Pages: [Click here](#)
- 3)Make a Disability Booklet: [Click here](#)

3-5 Recommendation

Watch these:


- 1)The Present: [Video Link](#)
- 2)Pip(Visually Impaired Dog Animated):[Video Link](#)
 - Discuss both films? What were they about?
 - What lessons were present in each film?

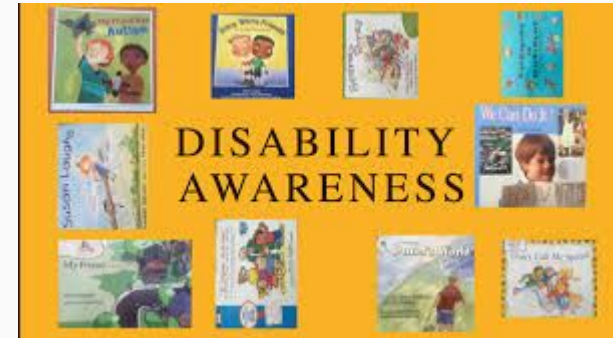
Worksheets/Slides:

- 1)Self Awareness : [Click here](#)
- 2) Disability Awareness PPT: [Click here](#)



Art/ Library Recommendations

- **Art-** For the months of March/April, start making projects to promote inclusion and disability awareness. Hang up to decorate the school.
 - [Art Link 1](#)
 - [Art Link 2](#)
 - **Library:** Introduce Books regarding inclusion and disability
 - [Link 1](#)
 - [Link 2](#)
 - **Audio Book:** [Audio Book my Miss D](#)
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- A horizontal strip of four book covers. From left to right: 1. 'My Friend is Different' by Anna Friel, showing two children. 2. 'My Friend is Different' by Anna Friel, showing two children. 3. 'My Friend is Different' by Anna Friel, showing two children. 4. 'My Friend is Different' by Anna Friel, showing two children.



Other Activities to Try:

- Disability Simulation: To help with empathy try the following:
 - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1MD_HvPRDKJxGv8Yw0yHi3ydBmeGV Af4h9eMRQv0o-oE/edit?usp=sharing
- Videos To Play:
 - [Video 1](#)
 - [Unified Elementary](#): Learn about Unified Champion Schools
 - [Video 2: Brother Bond](#)



Thank you!!

