

Kind

OF THE UPSTATE
kids including & nurturing disabilities

some of our favorite books

ACCEPTANCE, KINDNESS AND INCLUSION

A Rainbow of Friends by P.K. Hallinan
ABCs of Kindness by Samantha Berger
Let's Go Play by Shelby McCarthy
All Are Welcome by Alexandra Penfold
Be Kind by Pat Zietlow Miller
Different Like Me by Xochitl Dixon*
Don't Call Me Special by Pat Thomas
Everyone Belongs by Heather Avis
God Made Me Unique by Chonda Ralston*
Good to Be Me by Jessica Parham
Image Bearer by Ellie Sanazaro and Madison Kay*
It's OK to Be Different by Sharon Purtill
Inclusion Alphabet: ABC's for Everyone by Kathryn Jenkins
Kindness is My Superpower by Alicia Ortego
Like Me by Laura Wifler*
Lovely As Can Be: 4 Board Book Series by Megan Dejarnett
Perfect As You Are by Amanda Soria*
Special People Special Ways by Arlene Maguire
The ABCs of Inclusion by Beth Leipholtz
The Brand New Kid by Katie Couric
There's Only One You
by Kathryn Heling and Deborah Hembrook
We're All Wonders by R.J. Palacio
We're More Alike Than Different by Sophia Day
You Are Enough by Margaret O'Hair

AUTISM

A Friend for Henry by Jenn Bailey
A Friend Like Simon by Kate Gaynor
Janine by Maryann Cocca-Leffler
My Brother Charlie
by Holly Robinson Peete and Ryan Elizabeth Peete
Since We're Friends by Celeste Shally
The Girl Who Thought in Pictures by Julia Finley Mosca

CEREBRAL PALSY

Ben's Adventures: Under the Big Top by Elizabeth Gerlach
Ben's Adventures: A Day at the Beach by Elizabeth Gerlach
Completely Emme: A Cerebral Palsy Story
by Dr. Justine Green
Mighty Miss Maya - See It, Then Be It by Ann Tisdale
My Friend Suhana by Shaila Abdullah
Taking Cerebral Palsy to School by Mary Elizabeth Anderson

DOWN SYNDROME

A Friend Like Anian by Meeka Caldwell
Different - A Great Thing to Be by Heather Avis
Eli, Included by Michelle Sullivan
Almost Twins by Anna Moates and Anna Penland
What's Inside You is Inside Me, Too:
My Chromosomes Make Me Unique
by Deslie Quinby and Jeannie Visootsak, MD

DWARFISM

NOT TOO BIG...NOT TOO SMALL...JUST RIGHT FOR ME
by Jimmy and Darlene Korpai

LEARNING DIFFERENCES

Completely Matt: An ADHD Story by Dr. Justine Green
How I Learn by Brenda S. Miles and Colleen A. Patterson
Mrs. Gorski, I Think I Have the Wiggle Fidgets
by Barbara Esham
My Life with ADHD by Mari Schuh
My Life with Dyslexia by Mari Schuh
Thank You, Mr. Falker by Patricia Polacco

HEARING LOSS

All The Ways I Hear You by Stephanie Marruffo
Let's Hear it for Almigal by Wendy Kupfer
Maxi's Super Ears by Maggie Klein
Mila Gets Her Super Ears by Ashley Machovec
My Life with Deafness by Mari Schuh

LIMB DIFFERENCES

5 Fingers and 10 Toes by Dawn Civitello
Awesomely Emma by Amy Webb
Different is Awesome by Ryan Haack
Drew is Just Like You by Brandi-Wallace Gill
Emmanuel's Dream: The True Story of Emmanuel
Ofosu Yeboah by Laurie Ann Thompson
What Happened to You? by James Catchpole
When Charley Met Emma by Amy Webb

MOBILITY DEVICES

Daniel's New Friend by Becky Friedman
Hiya Moriah by Victoria Nelson
I Get Around in My Own Special Way by Donna Goldman
Meeting Mimi by Francie Dolan
Who Do You See When You Look at Me?
by Angela Ray Rodgers*
Yes I Can by Kendra J. Barrett

VISUAL IMPAIRMENT

Can I see by Amanda McCoy
Can Kate See? by Dawn Marie Hooks
I See Without My Eyes by Mark Brauner Hayward
My Life with Blindness by Mari Schuh
My Three Best Friends and Me, Zulay
by Cari Best
Taking Visual Impairment to School
by Rita Whitman Steingold
What I can Be by Kristen Smelly

*Religious Affiliation

