

Let's Learn About Diversity

- What is diversity?
- Why is diversity important?
- Think about your diversity

What is Diversity?

We are all different in many ways, for example we might .

- Be from different places,
- Speak different languages, or
- Have different abilities

These differences are a good thing

But sometimes these differences make it hard for autistic people to get what they need

Why is Diversity Important?

Some differences come with extra needs

It is important that people make sure these extra needs are met.

For Example.

- If I communicate a different language I need people to talk in a way that I understand
- If I cannot read I may need signs that use pictures instead of words

- In some places there are no programs to help meet different needs
- People with differences may have to travel far away from home to get what they need.

Think About Your Diversity.

What makes you diverse?

What do you like about being diverse?

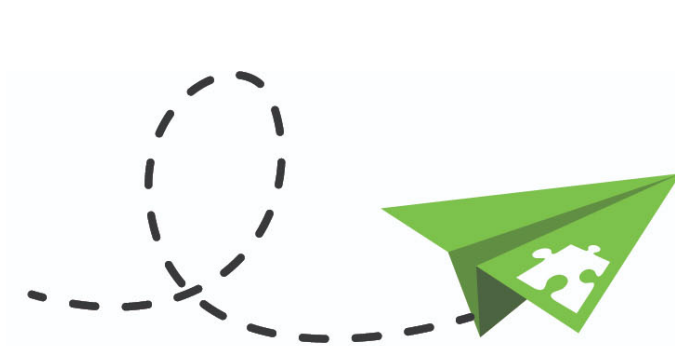
Does being diverse sometimes make it harder to get what you need?

What things make it easier to get what you need?



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