



Celebrate April is Autism Acceptance Month with [Inclusive Services](#)!

Check out these books:

Children's Fiction

I am odd, I am new by Benjamin Giroux. Illustrated by Roz MacLean. [J-E GIROUX](#)

A poem about one ten-year-old boy's life with autism.

It was supposed to be sunny by Samantha Cotterill. [J-E COTTERILL](#)

Laila had her birthday all planned out, even down to the perfect cake. One thing she didn't plan? For it to rain. Don't worry though- Laila can handle it!

My brother Charlie by Holly Robinson Peete and Ryan Elizabeth Peete. Illustrated by Shane W. Evans. [J-E PEETE](#)

Callie celebrates her relationship with her autistic twin brother.

Children's Non-fiction

The girl who thought in pictures: the story of Dr. Temple Grandin by Julia Finley Mosca.

Illustrated by Daniel Rieley. [J B GRANDIN M](#)

Dr. Temple Grandin's life with autism allows her to see things in her own way. She loves science and goes on to become a public speaker and an inventor.

My life with autism by Marci C. Schuh. Illustrated by Isabel Muñoz. Ages 6-9. [J 618.9285 S](#)

Do you love drawing and video games? So does Zen.

Teen fiction

Ginny Moon by Benjamin Ludwig. [FIC LUDWIG](#)

Ginny Moon has found her forever home after spending time in foster care but is still trying to find a place in the world where she truly belongs.

Marcelo in the real world by Francisco X. Stork. [FIC STORK](#)

While working in the mailroom of his father's law firm, Marcelo finds a picture of a girl with half of a face tucked away in a file. This propels him on a journey of discovering the world for what it truly is.



Teen Non-fiction

The reason I jump: the inner voice of a thirteen-year- old boy with autism by Naoki Higashida.

[616.85882 H](#)

You've never read a book like The Reason I Jump. Written by Naoki Higashida, a thirteen-year-old boy with autism, it is a one-of-a-kind memoir

Same but different: teen life on the autism express by Holly Robinson Peete, Ryan Elizabeth

Peete, RJ Peete. [305.9084 P](#)

In this sequel to My Brother Charlie, Callie and Charlie are now in middle school.

The social survival guide for teens on the autism spectrum by Lindsey Sterling, PhD

Ages 12-16 [155.5192 S](#)

A therapist offers advice and tips to autistic teens ages 12 to 16.

Memoirs

Fearlessly different: an autistic actor's journey to Broadway's biggest stage by Mickey Rowe.

[792 R](#)

Mickey Rowe, an autistic actor, describes his career on Broadway and his life as an activist to change how people with disabilities are seen.

Uncomfortable labels: my life as a gay autistic trans woman by Laura Kate Dale. [306.768 D](#)

Laura Kate Dale shares her story of growing up and coming into her own as an autistic transgender woman.

The Warner Boys: Our Family's Story of Autism and Hope by Ana and Kurt Warner with Dave

Boling. [618.9285 W](#)

Kurt Warner, a prominent Black NFLer, and his wife Ana raised their autistic twin boys in the 1990s when autism was thought to be rarer and less was known about it. They talk about their struggles with isolation and stigma and having to leave the public eye to survive as a family.

Adult Fiction

The curious incident of the dog in the night-time by Mark Haddon. [FIC HADDON](#)



While investigating the death of a neighborhood dog, Christopher uncovers more information than he bargained for that brings everything even closer to home.

The kiss quotient by Helen Hoang. [FIC HOANG](#)

A woman with no experience in dating hires someone to help her figure it out... with results neither of them expected.

Adult Non-fiction

The book of happy, positive, and confident sex for adults on the autism spectrum... and beyond by Michael John Carley. [306.70875 C](#)

A discussion on sex, sexuality, and gender identity by and for people on the autism spectrum, complete with illustrations and guides.

Gender identity, sexuality and autism: voices from across the spectrum by Eva A. Mendes. [306.76 M](#)

People on the autism spectrum share their experiences of exploring their gender identity and sexualities. Using a research-based approach, Mendes interviews people across the spectrum to understand how their various identities come together to make them fully who they are.

Sensory: life on the spectrum: an autistic comic anthology by Kansas City, Missouri : Andrews McMeel Publishing, [2022] ©2022 contributor editor by Bes Ollerton. [616.8588 S](#)

A graphic novel collection from autistic artists sharing their lives and experiences for navigating public spaces.

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