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Autism Resources and Information

Resource Lists:

- 100-ish Books on Autism and Neurodiversity: https://notanautismmom.com/2020/07/20/autism-books/
- A Novel Mind Neurodiversity/Autism Resources: https://www.anovelmind.com/neurodiversity-resources
- AdultAutism Resources: https://www.adultautism.ie/videos
- Amazing Autistic Women: https://www.autismempowerment.org/resource-center/resources-for-females-on-the-autism-spectrum/women-on-the-spectrum/
- Autistic, Typing Bookshop: https://bookshop.org/shop/autistictyping
- Autistic People of Color Fund Resource List: https://autismandrace.com/resources/
- Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) resources (xMinds): https://xminds.org/BIPOC-Resources
- Neurodivergent Narwhal: <u>www.neurodiversitylibrary.org</u>
- Neurodiversity Hub: https://www.neurodiversityhub.org/resources
- Neurodiversity Network: https://www.neurodiversitynetwork.net/neurodiversity-101

Books:

- <u>Autistic community and the neurodiversity movement</u>: Stories from the frontline. Kapp, S. K. (2020). Springer Nature. https://link.springer.com/content/pdf/10.1007/978-981-13-8437-0.pdf
- <u>Authoring autism:</u> On rhetoric and neurological queerness. Yergeau, M. R. (2018). Duke University Press Books.
- But you don't look autistic at all. Toeps, B. (2020). (F. MacCorquodale-Smith, Trans.). Toeps Media.
- <u>Loud hands</u>: Autistic people, speaking. Autistic Self-Advocacy Network. (2012). Autistic Press.
- Neurotribes: The legacy of autism and the future of neurodiversity. Silberman, S. (2016). Avery.
- <u>Sincerely, your autistic child</u>: What people on the autism spectrum wish their parents knew about growing up, acceptance, and identity. Autistic Women and Nonbinary Network. (2021). Beacon Press.
- <u>Uniquely human</u>: Updated and expanded: A different way of seeing autism. Prizant, B. M. & Fields-Meyer, T. (2022). Simon & Schuster.

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- <u>Unmasking autism</u>: Discovering the new faces of neurodiversity. Price, D. (2022). Harmony.
- Welcome to the Autistic Community. Autistic Self-Advocacy Network (2020). Autistic Press. https://autisticadvocacy.org/2014/02/welcome-to-the-autistic-community/
- We're not broken: Changing the autism conversation. Garcia, E. (2021). Harvest.

Websites:

- Autism Inclusivity group: https://www.facebook.com/groups/199323440844846
- Autistic Self Advocacy Network: https://autisticadvocacy.org/
- Autistic Scholar blog: http://www.autisticscholar.com/
- NeuroClastic: The autism spectrum according to autistic people: https://neuroclastic.com/
- Thinking Person's Guide to Autism: https://thinkingautismguide.com/

Videos:

- "Copy & Paste" Hidden Asperger's-- Girls with Aspergers. McCann, N. (2018, December). https://youtu.be/QY2ctCuTWPw
- Ask an autistic playlist. Schaber, A. https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLAoYMFsyj_k1ApNj_QUkNgKC1R5F9bVHs
- Autism: A quick trip to my home planet. Botha, M. (2016, July). https://youtu.be/NCAErePScO0
- *Behind the mask: Autism for women and girls.* Kahle, K. (2021, November). https://youtu.be/Tbes1mm2VgM
- *Can you imagine a world where you are the minority?* Dachez, J. (2018, December). https://youtu.be/P7QX-eUil1s
- Invisible diversity: A story of undiagnosed autism. Beckwith-Fellows, C. (2017, July). https://youtu.be/cF2dhWWUyQ4
- Neurodiversity: The new normal. Coupé, C. (2021, December). https://youtu.be/WprLOcEyh6M
- *Neurodiversity the key that unlocked my world.* Wiklander, E. (2017, February). https://youtu.be/Qvvrme5WIwA
- Steve Silberman: The forgotten history of autism. (2015, June). https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= MBiP3G2Pzc
- *Unmasking the stigma behind autism in females*. Peach, E. (2022, July). https://youtu.be/7KPK5sMar5w

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- *VidCon 2019 Neurodiversity Panel.* (2019, July). https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dhIp-uRutiY
- What women with autism want you to know. Iris. (2018, November). https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NwEH9Ui4HV8
- What it's really like to have autism. Lisi, E. (2020, April). https://youtu.be/y4vurv9usYA
- Why everything you know about autism is wrong. den Houting, J. (2019, September). https://youtu.be/A1AUdaH-EPM

Written by Nonspeakers:

- <u>Leaders around me</u>: Autobiographies of autistics who type, point, and spell to communicate. Peña, E. V. (2019). Independent.
- The reason I jump: The inner voice of a thirteen-year-old boy with autism. Higashida, N. (2016). (K.A. Yoshida & D. Mitchell, Trans.). Random House Publishing Group.
- Typed Words, Loud Voices. Sequenzia, A. & Grace, E. (eds). (2017). Autonomous Press.

Underrepresented Genders & Sexualities:

- Amy Gravino: https://www.amygravino.com/
- <u>Autism in heels:</u> The untold story of a female life on the spectrum. O'Toole, J. C. (2018). Skyhorse.
- Autistic Girls Network: https://autisticgirlsnetwork.org/
- <u>Autistic Women/non-binary support group | LGBTQIA+:</u> https://www.facebook.com/groups/2511027439174891/
- Autism Women and Non-Binary Network: https://autismwomensnetwork.org/
- <u>Autistic women support group</u> | LGBTQ+ inclusive | safe place: https://www.facebook.com/groups/1944262575825340/
- Nerdy, shy, and socially inappropriate: A user guide to an Asperger life. Kim, C. (2014). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- Queerly autistic: The ultimate guide for LGBTQIA+ teens on the spectrum. Ekins, E. (2021). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- <u>Supporting transgender autistic youth and adults</u>: A guide for professionals and families. Gratton, F. V. (2019). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- The autism-friendly guide to periods. Steward, R. (2019). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- The awesome autistic guide for trans teens. Purkis, Y. (2022). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.

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- The spectrum girl's survival guide. Castellon, S. (2020). Jessica Kingley Publishers.
- <u>Trans and autistic</u>: Stories from life at the intersection. Adams, N. & Liang, B. (2020). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- <u>Uncomfortable labels: My life as a gay autistic trans woman. Dale, L. K. (2019). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.</u>

Underrepresented Races & Ethnicities:

- <u>A letter to black and indigenous autistic teens</u>. Neuroclastic AferalWolfChild. (2022). https://neuroclastic.com/a-letter-to-black-and-indigenous-autistic-teens/
- Afrotistic. Omeiza, K. A. (2022). I'm Heard.
- All the weight of our dreams: On living racialized autism. Onaiwu, M. G. & Autism Women's Network. (2017). DragonBee Press.
- Aprender a quererme. https://www.aprenderaquererme.com/
- <u>Autinelle. https://laurenmelissaellzey.com/</u>
- Autism in black. https://www.autisminblack.org
- <u>Autism in Latin American communities</u>. Whalen, K. (2021). https://awnnetwork.org/autism-in-latin-american-communities/
- Autistic, typing. https://www.facebook.com/AutisticTyping/
- Black madness: Mad blackness. Pickens, T. A. (2019). Duke University Press
- Come Meet Drayden. Young-Askew, D. (2020). Independent.
- Fidgets and Fries. https://www.facebook.com/fidgetsandfries
- Joy Johnson MEd, MS, BCBA, LBA. https://joyfjohnson.com/
- Kayla Smith. https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1FEfn93reBHUXMp0zr9gyg
- Neurodivergencia Latina. https://neurolatino.wordpress.com/
- Nigh Functioning Autism. https://nighfunctioningautism.com/
- The Color of Autism. https://thecolorofautism.org/
- The Black Autist. https://blackautist.wordpress.com/
- Tyla Grant. https://www.youtube.com/tylagrant
- What is Police Violence?: A plain language booklet about anti-Black racism, police violence, and what you can do to stop it. Autistic Self Advocacy Network.
 https://autisticadvocacy.org/policy/toolkits/police/?fbclid=IwAR1JZXOeTf11TnGoOo58
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Teens

- Diary of a young naturalist. McAnulty, D. (2020). Generic.
- <u>M is for autism</u>. Martin, V. & Students of Limpsfield Grange. (2015). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- Moojag and the Auticode secret. McMorran, N. E. (2020). Spondylux Press.
- On the edge of gone. Duyvis, C. (2020). Amulet Paperbacks.
- Shake it up!: How to be young, autistic, and make an impact. Hansen, Q. (2022). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- The awesome autistic go-to guide: A practical handbook for autistic teens and tweens. Purkis, Y. & Masterman, T. (2020). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.

Older Children

- A boy called bat. Arnold, E. (2017). Walden Pond Press.
- A kind of spark. McNicoll, E. (2020). Knights Of.
- Anybody here seen Frenchie? Connor, L. (2022). Katherine Tegen Books.
- Anything but typical. Baskin, N. R. (2010). S&S Books for Young Readers.
- Can you see me? Scott, L. & Westcott, R. (2020). Scholastic Press.
- Get a grip, Vivy Cohen! Kapit, S. (2020). Dial Books.
- See ME: The invisible autistic boy. Petrovic, D. (2022). Independent.
- The infinite. Agbabi, P. (2023). Canongate Books.
- The many mysteries of the Finkel family. Kapit, S. (2021). Dial Books.
- <u>The secret life of Rose</u>: Inside an autistic head. Smitten, R. & Smitten, J. (2021). Independent.
- The someday birds. Pla, S. J. (2018). HarperCollins.
- The state of grace. Lucas, R. (2018). Feiwel & Friends.
- West meadows detectives series. O'Donnell, L. (2018). Owlkids.

Younger Children

- A friend for Henry. Bailey, J. (2019). Chronicle Books.
- <u>Do you want to play?</u>: Making friends with an autistic kid. Share-Strom, D. (2020). Independent.
- Benji, the bad day, and me. Pla, S. J. (2018). Lee & Low Books.



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- Happy, flappy, and me! Johnson, J. (2020). Independent.
- Juan has the jitters. Cruz, A. (2020). North Atlantic Books.
- Just right for you. Heyworth, M. (2021). Reframing Autism Ltd.
- Noah chases the wind. Worthington, M. (2015). Readleaf Lane.
- The autistic boy in the unruly body: Autism and I series. Tino, G. C. (2022). Independent.
- The brain forest. Menon, S. (2022). Onwards and Upwards Psychology.
- Too Sticky!: Sensory issues with autism. Malia, J. (2020). Albert Whitman & Company.
- We're Amazing, 1 2 3! A story about friendship and autism (Sesame Street). Kimmelman, L. (2017). Golden Books. (in Spanish: Somos Maravillosos ;1 2 3!)
- Why Johnny doesn't flap: NT is OK! Morton, C. & Morton, G. (2015). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.

Parents:

- <u>Start here</u>: A guide for parents of autistic kids. Autistic Self-Advocacy Network (2021). Autistic Press. https://autisticadvocacy.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/booklet-interior-4.1.pdf
- Autism: How to raise a happy autistic child. Hewitson, J. (2018). Spring.
- Avoiding anxiety in autistic children: A guide for autistic wellbeing. Beardon, L. (2020). Sheldon Press.
- <u>Beyond behaviours</u>: Using brain science and compassion to understand and solve children's behavioural challenges. Delahooke, M. (2020). Hachette UK.
- <u>I will die on this hill</u>: Autistic adults, autism parents, and the children who deserve a better world. Ashburn, M. & Edwards, J. (2023). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- Parenting Autistic Children with Love & Acceptance: https://autloveaccept.wordpress.com/

Clinicians & Educators:

- <u>Autism</u>: A new introduction to psychological theory and current debate. Fletcher-Watson, S. & Happe, F. (2019). Routledge.
- <u>Connecting with the autism spectrum</u>: How to talk, how to listen, and why you shouldn't call it high-functioning. Vormer, C. R. (2020). Rockridge Press.
- <u>Hacking deficit thinking</u>: 8 reframes that will change the way you think about strength-based practices and equity in schools. McClure, B. & Reed, K. (2022). Times 10 Publications.



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- <u>Inclusive education for autistic children</u>. Wood, R. (2019). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- Judy Endow, LCSW. http://www.judyendow.com/
- <u>Learning About Neurodiversity at School</u> (LEANS). <u>https://www.ed.ac.uk/salvesen-research/leans</u>
- <u>Learning from autistic teachers</u>. Wood, R., Crane, L., & Happe, F. (2022). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.
- <u>Neurodiversity affirmative therapists</u>: <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/2219847184963504/</u>
- The guide to good mental health on the autism spectrum. Purkis, Y., Goodall, E., & Nugent, J. (2016). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.

Niche Content:

- <u>Law and neurodiversity</u>: Youth with autism and the juvenile justice systems in Canada and the United States. Baker, D. L. (2020). University of British Columbia Press.
- <u>The PDA paradox</u>: The highs and lows of my life on a little-known part of the autism spectrum. Thompson, H. (2019). Jessica Kingsley Publishers.