



AUTISM AWARENESS

**IT'S OKAY
TO BE DIFFERENT!**

This week we are celebrating Autism and differences

- We are all different. We all need help with some things and are talented at other things. Talk to your partner about something you need help with, and something you are talented at.



People with Autism might get distracted by things they see, hear, feel, or smell.

They might need help to concentrate.



[VIDEO: Can you make it to the end? \(Youtube Link\)](#)



Watch the video and think about how the boy is feeling.

People with Autism might have a special interest.
They might know lots about something.



Susan Boyle, Singer



Dan Aykroyd, Actor



Satoshi Tajiri,
Creator of Pokémon



Temple Grandin,
Professor and Author

All of these successful
people have Autism.

Today we are going to explore how the things we can hear, touch, smell or see might distract us.



Think about how it might feel to try to learn new things, whilst coping with these distractions.



We will also make a decoration to show others what our own special interests are.