

The Name Jar

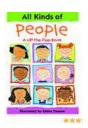
Yangsook Choi

This is an empathetic story that aims to encourage children to appreciate themselves and others and not to feel the need to hide their cultural heritage. The Name Jar tells the tale of Unhei, a young girl who is anxious when she moves from Korea to a new school in America. Too afraid to tell the class her name, Unhei decides that she will choose a new name for herself the following week. But on the day of her name choosing, Unhei is encouraged by the kindness of her new friends and she chooses to keep her own Korean name, Unhei, proudly teaching everybody how to everyone pronounce it properly.



One Day, So Many Ways Laura Hall & Loris Lora

Every moment of every day there are children all around the world sharing common experiences in a diversity of ways. From waking up and travelling to school to enjoying snack time and play time, there are hundreds of different ways to go about the same routines. With clear and colourful illustrations and easy-to-read text, this is a wonderful non-fiction text to make available for KS1. Readers will be surprised by the amazing diversity displayed by children around the world completing familiar tasks that are part of their own daily routines.



All Kinds of People

Emma Damon

A lift-the-flap information text that celebrates the diversity of people from all around the world. This fun, interactive picture book shows that people come in all shapes and sizes and that variation between humans is something to celebrate.



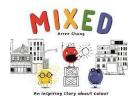
JUST ASK! BE DIFFERENT, BE BRAVE, AND BE

YOU begins with a direct address from kid Sonia, telling readers that she and her friends are planting a garden. She talks about all the different plants that make a garden special, relates the garden to differences between kids, and tells readers that when they're curious about someone else, it's OK to ask them questions. Sonia then introduces her difference/condition (diabetes), and then 11 other kids introduce their own unique "powers" -- from courage to self-calming practices to knowing almost everything about one topic. Each character contributes to the garden project in a unique way that plays to their strengths. The ending concludes on an empowering note.



Love makes a family

Whether you have two mums, two dads, one parent, or one of each, there's one thing that makes a family a family... and that's LOVE



Mixed

In the beginning there were just three colours: red, yellow and blue. Reds were the loudest, Yellows were the brightest and Blues were the coolest but they all lived harmoniously together... Until the day a renegade Red decides that 'Reds are the best!' and the colours divide to live in separate parts of the city.

When a cool Blue and a bright Yellow fall in love and create little Green, a completely new colour, will it be greeted with disapproval by the rest of the colour-world or might it serve as a blueprint for the restoration of harmonious cooperation?

A funny, vibrantly illustrated, allegorical tale that celebrates individual differences and talents and has an inspiring message about understanding, acceptance and peaceful co-existence.

A handful of buttons: Picture book about family diversity

by Carmen Parets Luque

• The Color Thief: A CHILDREN'S PICTURE BOOK ABOUT DIVERSITY

by M.S. Boyd and Meghan Alexander

• Gerald Wants to Wear Pink: a children's picture book about diversity and kindness

by Becci Murray

• The Smeds and the Smoos

by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler

• Families, Families, Families! by Suzanne Lang and Max Lang

Lovely by Jess Hong