



R for RESPECT

Suggestions for integrating in family discussions

- Find a space to hang the R in your home (kitchen, family, car)
- Make more R's for other rooms or for family and friends
- Discuss Respect as a family, especially when a situation occurs that reminders are needed
- Read books that foster kindness, respect and empathy * see list of recommended literature provided by It's OK to be Different
- Volunteer in the community as a family
Suggested organizations: Monmouth Day Care Center
Holiday Express
Red Bank Senior Center
Lunch Break

We can promote Respect all year long!

It's OK to be Different

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Suggested Literature

for teaching kindness, respect, and empathy

PreK - 2nd Grade

Sneetches, Dr. Seuss

Stick and Stone, Beth Ferry

It's OK to be Different, Todd Parr

The Rainbow Fish, Marcus Pfister

Elmer, David McKee

Mean Jean, Recess Queen, Alexis O'Neill

William's Doll, Charlotte Zolotow

Chrysanthemum, Kevin Henkes

My Princess Boy, Cheryl Kilodavis

One, Kathryn Otashi

Chester's Way, Kevin Henkes

3rd - 4th Grade

Say Something, Peggy Moss

Just Ask, Sonia Sotomayor

Mrs. Katz and Tush, Patricia Polacco

Teammates, Peter Golenbock

She Persisted, 13 Women Who Changed the World, Chelsea Clinton

Family Resource

Actions Speak Loudest: Keeping Our Promise for a Better World, Edited by Robert McKinnon

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