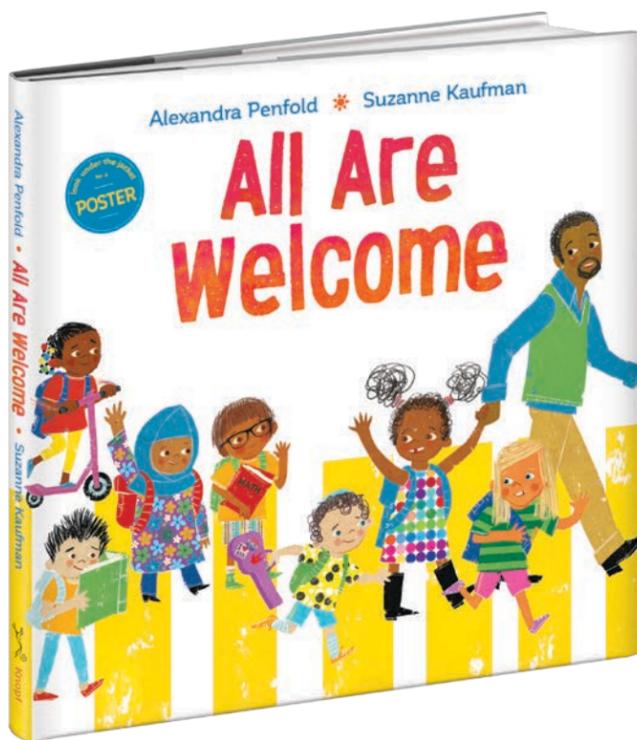




Join us for a very special
storytime reading of

All Are Welcome

by Alexandra Penfold ✨ illustrated by Suzanne Kaufman



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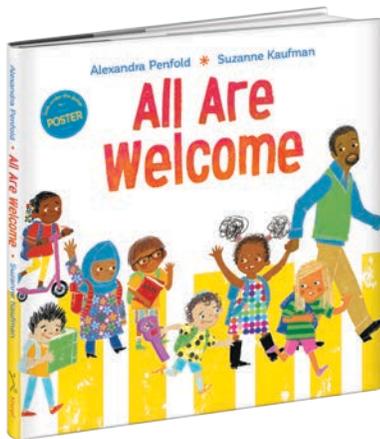
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All Year Long



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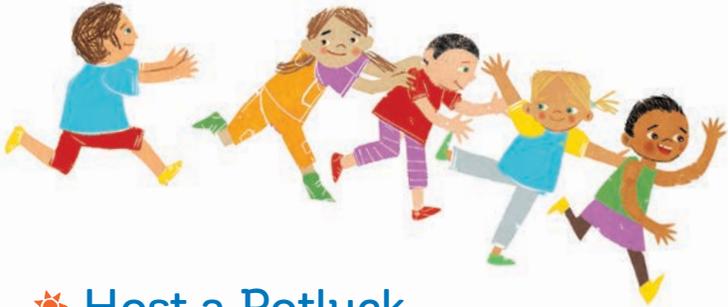
- ☀ Crafts
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- ☀ Group Activity Suggestions



Welcome Everyone to Your Classroom with These Tips and Tricks!

☀ Decorating Tips

Create a display of picture books about inclusivity—we suggest some of our favorites below. Use the window cling, poster, and calendar to make your school a welcoming environment. Create colorful paper chains with your students' names on each link and decorate your classroom.



☀ Host a Potluck

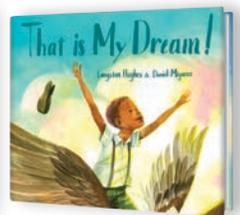
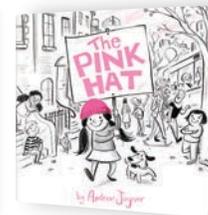
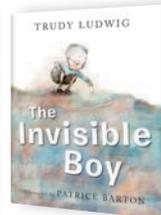
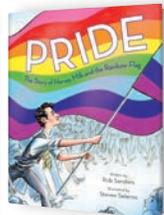
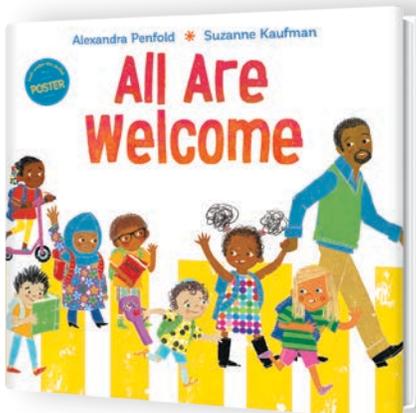
Plan a potluck lunch for your class. Have everyone bring their favorite snack or small meal from home to share. Having foods that are conscious of everyone's dietary needs can be difficult. In advance of your potluck, request an ingredient list from whoever is preparing the dish so that anyone with dietary needs can avoid it if necessary.

☀ Games to Play

Play games that everyone can participate in. The game Look Up, Look Down is a great way to make sure that everyone is involved. Have children stand in a large circle. Once the circle is formed, all the players have to look at the ground. When the moderator says "Look up!" the players have to look up and immediately look at another person in the circle. If the person they are looking at is also looking at them, they get to high-five and leave the circle. Other alternatives are Duck, Duck, Goose; Ring Around the Rosie; and Simon Says.



More books to read at your **ALL ARE WELCOME** storytime!



Introduce Yourself!

Fill out the spaces below to let everyone in the room get to know what makes you so special! Share with the rest of the group so you can all get to know one another and appreciate your differences.

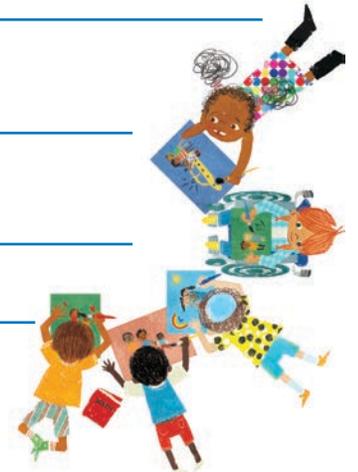
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☀ Age: _____

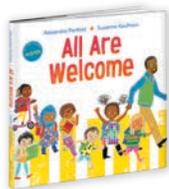
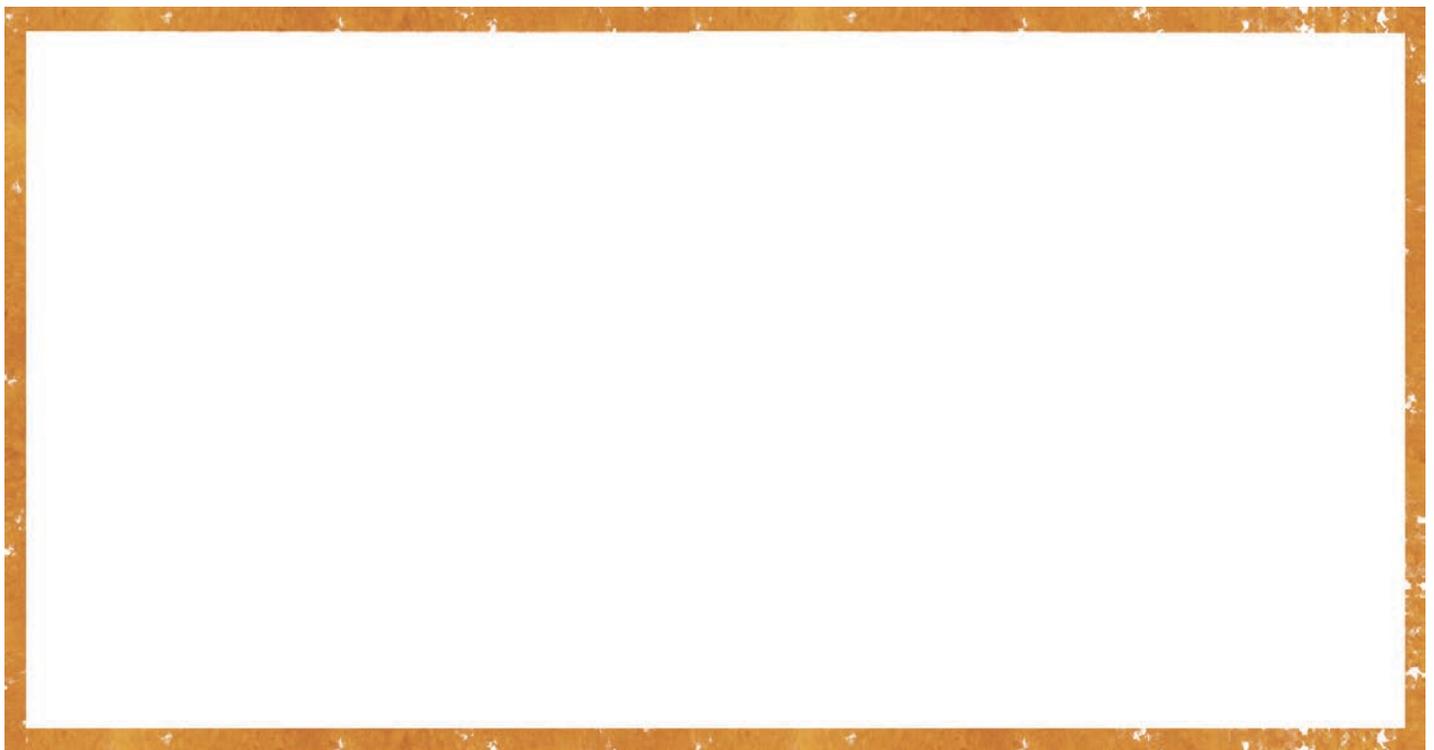
☀ Favorite food: _____

☀ I was born: _____

☀ I like to: _____



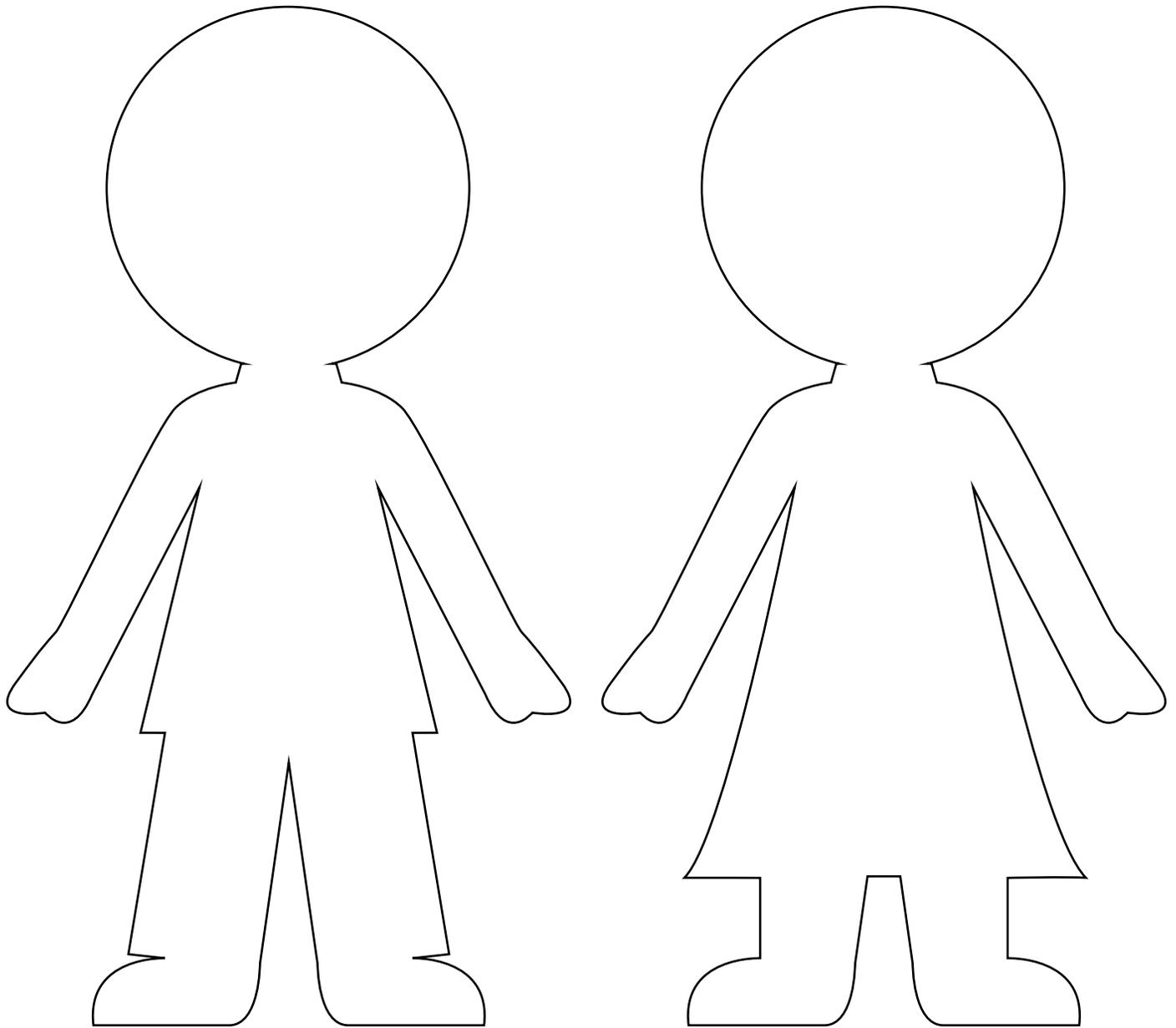
Drawing of My Family:



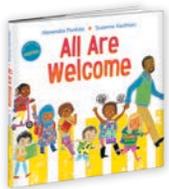
Make a **Welcome** Chain!

Photocopy this page as many times as necessary. Invite your students to draw their families on the outlines below. Then glue or staple together the hands, and add to your Welcome Chain.

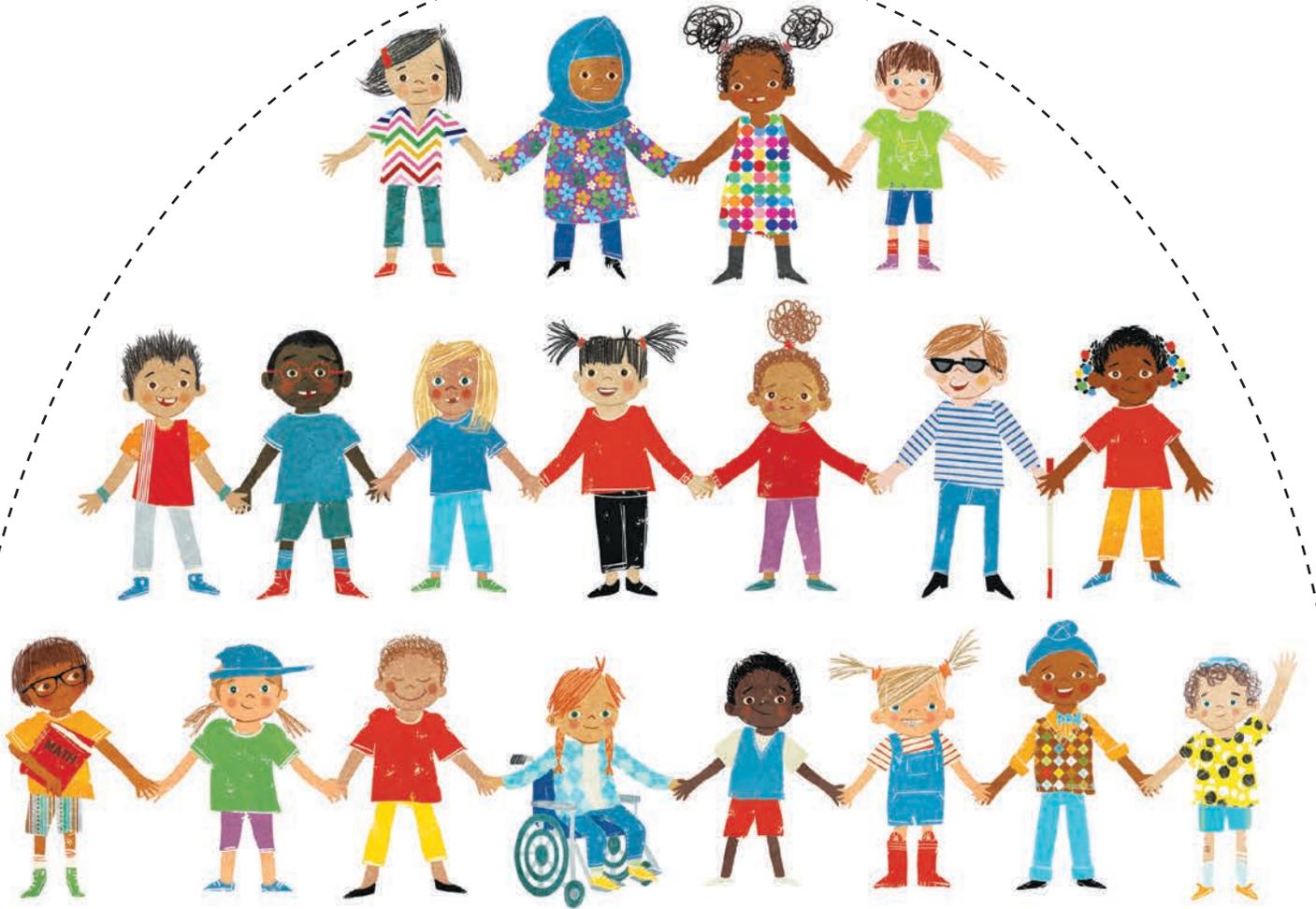
Have students write their names on the back so that visitors can see who each link belongs to!



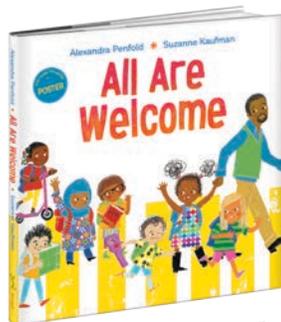
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You have a place here.
You have a space here.

You are welcome here.

