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Middle Grade Books Featuring People with Disabilities

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Title	Author(s)	Topic(s)
A Bird Will Soar	Myers, Alison Green	Autism spectrum
A Kind of Spark	McNicholl, Elle	Autism spectrum
Air	Roe, Monica	Spine abnormalities, Wheelchair
Bat and the End of Everything	Arnold, Elana K.	Autism spectrum
Bat and the Waiting Game (Boy Called Bat, #2)	Arnold, Elena K.	Autism spectrum
Because of the Rabbit	Lord, Cynthia	ADHD
Born Just Right	Jordan Reeves	Limb difference
Button Pusher	Page, Tyler	ADHD
Buzzing	Samuel Sattin	OCD
Caleb and Kit	Vrabel, Beth	Cystic Fibrosis
Can You See Me?	Scott, Libby & Rebecca Westcott	Autism spectrum
Charlie and Frog (Charlie and Frog #1)	Kane, Karen	Deafness
Chester and Gus	McGovern, Cammie	Autism spectrum
Differently Abled	Bolden, Deonte'	Multiple disabilities
Each Tiny Spark	Cartaya, Pablo	
Eliza Bing is (Not) a Star (Eliza Bing #2)	Van Vleet, Carmella	ADHD
Every Shiny Thing	Cordelia Jensen & Morrison, Laurie	Autism spectrum
Figure It Out, Henri Weldon	Tantia S Davis	Learning Disability
Focused	Alyson Gerber	ADHD

Funny, You Don't Look Autistic: A Comedian's Guide to Life on the Spectrum	McCreary, Michael	Autism spectrum
Get a Grip, Vivy Cohen!	Kapit, Sarah	Autism Spectrum
Good Different	Meg Eden Kuyatt	Autism
Help! My Feelings Are Too Big!: Making Sense of Yourself and the World After a Difficult Start in Life - for Children with Attachment Issues	Aspden, K. L.	Mental health
Hummingbird	Lloyd, Natalie	Bone Disease, Wheelchair
I Don't Like Reading	Clark, Lisabeth	Dyslexia
Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus	Bowling, Dusti	Tourette's, limb difference
Kiki Kallira Breaks a Kingdom	Mandanna, Sangu	Anxiety
Lights Camera Disaster	Dionne, Erin	ADHD, Anxiety
Lila and Hadley	Keplinger, Kody	Blindness
Living with Viola	Fung, Rosena	Anxiety
Macy McMillan and the Rainbow Goddess	Green, Shari	Deafness
Many Mysteries of the Finkel Family	Kapit, Sarah	Autism spectrum
Marshmallow & Jordan	Chau, Alina	Wheelchair
Mascot	John, Antony	Wheelchair
Max and the Millions	Montgomery, Ross	Hearing loss
Me and Sam-Sam Handle the Apocalypse	Vaught, Susan	Autism spectrum
Momentous Events in the Life of a Cactus	Bowling, Dusti	Tourette Syndrome, Limb difference
My Life in the Fish Tank	Dee, Barbara	Mental health
No Matter the Distance	Cindy Baldwin	Cystic fibrosis
Not If I Can Help It	Mackler, Carolyn	Sensory Processing Disorder
Ojja-wojja: A Horror-Mystery, or Whatever, The	Magdalene Visaggio	Autism
Out of My Heart	Draper, Sharon M.	Cerebral Palsy
Perfect Mistake, A	Melanie Conklin	ADHD
Planet Earth is Blue	Pantelakos, Nicole	Autism spectrum
Real	Cujec, Carol	Neurodiversity
Real Friends	Hale, Shannon	OCD
Roll With It	Sumner, Jamie	Cerebral Palsy
Say It Out Loud	Varnes, Allison	Stuttering
Self-Control to the Rescue!: Super Powers to Help Kids Through the Tough Stuff in Everyday Life	Brukner, Lauren	Emotional regulation
Shadow Crosser	Cervantes, J. C.	Mobility
Show Me a Sign	Lezotte, Ann Clare	Deafness

Sidetracked	Asher, Diana	Learning disability, ADHD
Slug Days	Leach, Sarah	Autism spectrum
Small Things	Tregonnig, Mel	Mental health
Snow Lane	Angelini, Josie	Dyslexia
Something Bad Happened: A Kid's Guide to Coping with Events in the News	Huebner, Dawn	Mental health
Song for a Whale	Kelly, Lynne	Deafness
Squint	Chad Morris & Brown, Shelly	Sight loss
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Stuntboy, In the Meantime	Reynolds, Jason	Mental Health
Sunnyside Plaza	Simon, Scott	Mental Disabilities
Superstar	Davis, Mandy	Autism spectrum
Thanks a Lot, Universe	Lucas, Chad	Mental Health
The Best at It	Pancholy, Maulik	
The Case of The Berry Burglars	O'Donell, Liam	Autism spectrum, ADHD
The Chance to Fly	Stroker, Ali	Wheelchair
The Distance Between Me and the Cherry Tree	Peretti, Paola	Blindness
The Ostrich and Other Lost Things	Hautala, Beth	Autism spectrum
The Science of Being Angry	Melleby, Nicole	Mental Health
The Someday Birds	Pla, Sally	Autism spectrum, OCD
The Truth as Told by Mason Buttle	Connor, Leslie	Learning disability
The World Ends in April	McAnulty, Stacy	Blindness, Depression
Tornado Brain	Patrick, Cat	Neurodivergent
Tune It Out	Sumner, Jamie	Sensory Processing Disorder
Unstoppable: Women with Disabilities	Wolfe, Helen	Multiple disabilities
We Can Sign!: An Essential Illustrated Guide to American Sign Language for Kids	Adams, Tara	ASL
What Stars Are Made Of	Allen, Sarah	Turner's Syndrome
Wink	Harrell, Rob	Cancer
Woodpecker Girl	Lui, Chingyen	Cerebral Palsy
Year My Life Went Down the Toilet, The	Jake Maia Arlow	Crohn's Disease
You Be You!: The Kid's Guide to Gender, Sexuality, and Family	Branfman, Jonathan	Gender identity
You Don't Know Everything, Jilly P	Gino, Alex	Deafness

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