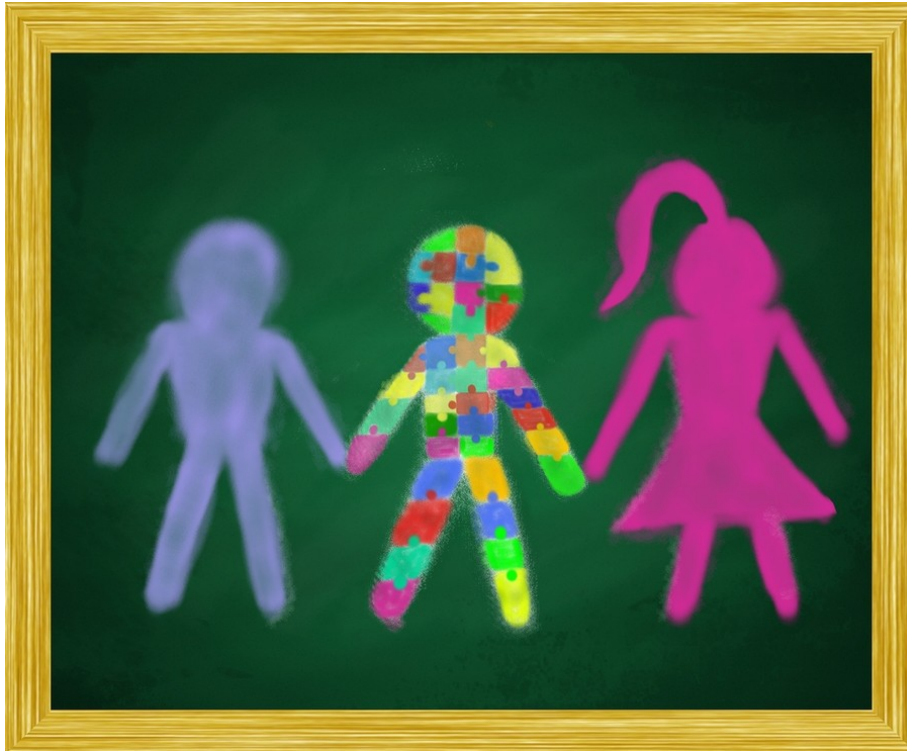


Autism Inclusiveness

“Educating Children about Autism in an Inclusive Classroom”



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As more studies are published on ASD, educators are constantly trying to discover best practices for teaching students who have Autism and for including those students in the general education classroom. Inclusive education means that every child has the opportunity to learn with their peers and all children are welcomed into the school and classroom. The research from this article and many others has shown that students in general education are able to help teach social skills, something that students with ASD struggle to learn, amongst other things. As someone who has taught Austistic Support and has experience with general education inclusion, I know just how important this is. When I taught AS, my students were regularly included in general education for specials, and social studies and science. During these times, the general education students showed so much compassion for my students.

They always volunteered to help, to explain directions, and to include them in social activities. I know this made my students happy, and helped them to learn. It also made the students in general education more empathetic, compassionate, and educated on people who were different!! I still try to create opportunities for inclusion in my classrooms at Agora.

