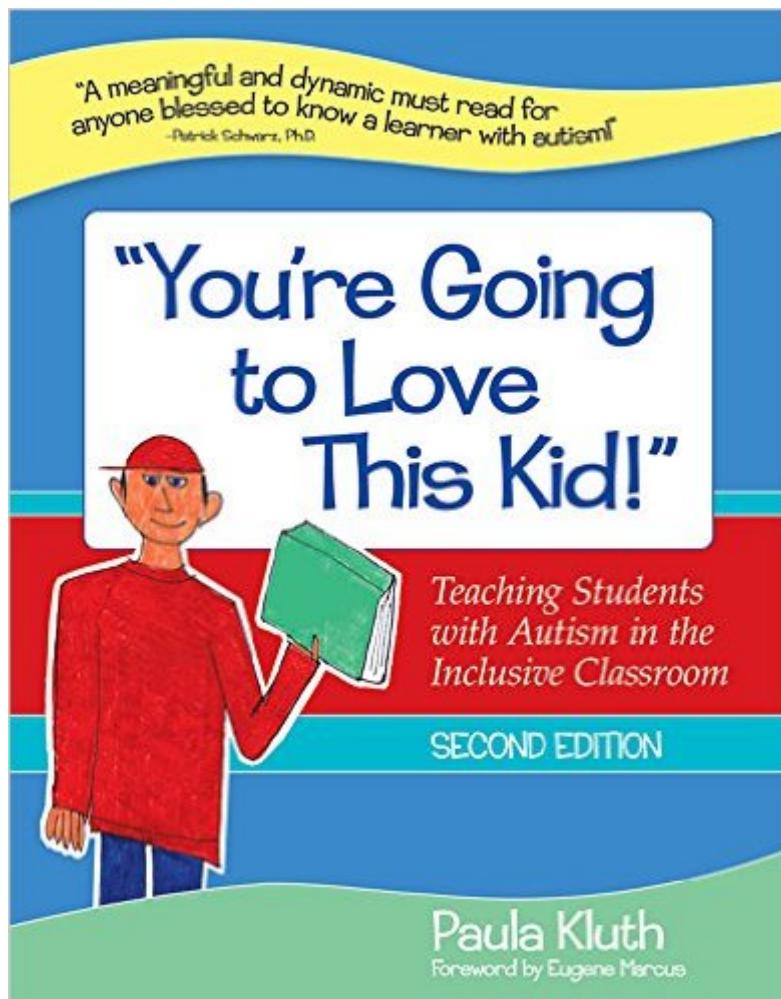


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# "You're Going To Love This Kid!": Teaching Students With Autism In The Inclusive Classroom, Second Edition



## Synopsis

Thousands of educators have turned to "You're Going to Love This Kid!" for fresh ways to welcome and teach students with autism and now the book teachers trust is fully revised and more practical than ever! Gathering feedback from teachers across the country during her popular workshops, autism expert Paula Kluth targeted this second edition to the specific needs of today's primary- and secondary-school educators. Still packed with the ready-to-use tips and strategies that teachers are looking for, the new edition gives readers: dozens of NEW photocopiable forms, checklists, and planning tools that make it easy for teachers to implement the suggested strategies (see box) photos of curricular adaptations, sensory supports, and classroom scenes thoroughly revised and updated chapters on today's hottest topics: improving literacy, implementing positive behavior support, and collaborating effectively with families larger 8.5 x 11 format, so the book is easier to read and photocopy study guide with challenging discussion questions for each chapter-perfect for pre- and inservice professional development and book clubs new ideas throughout the book based on the latest research on autism, inclusion, literacy, and behavior Readers will also get updates on all of the other topics covered in the first edition, including fostering friendships, building communication skills, planning challenging and multidimensional lessons, and adapting the curriculum and the physical environment. And with the new first-person stories from people with autism and their teachers and parents, readers will have a better understanding of students on the spectrum and how to include them successfully. A book teachers will keep forever for creative ideas and inspiration, this new edition of "You're Going to Love This Kid!" is the ultimate practical guide to including students with autism, teaching them effectively and sensitively, and appreciating the gifts they bring to the classroom.

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Calling All Teachers: If you're only going to buy one book to help you work with kids on the Autism Spectrum, this is the one to buy! It will change the way you think about kids on the spectrum and help you, step-by-step to reach each one of these unique individuals and help them to learn their way. Instead of looking at autism in a deficit mode, you will learn to identify and embrace the differences these kids bring to the classroom. In addition to providing current and positive information, this book presents many practical examples and tips to use today in your inclusive classroom. I bought this book to help me, as a teacher, help my students. It is the best, along with any of the other Paula Kluth books. After reading this book, she will become your new best hero.

This is the best book written for individuals who either live with or teach children with autism. Kluth is empathetic, realistic, and supportive in her approach to teaching and working with children with disabilities. Many books are written as 'us' and 'them', but Kluth is able to overcome the misconceptions and misunderstandings of the abilities of children with differences. If you are a teacher - buy this book, and read it! If you are a parent - buy this book, and read it and then give it to your child's teacher!

Great for introducing new teachers to teaching children with Autism or as a professional development tool to expand current teachers thinking in the field. I found the strategies helpful and I liked some of the planning tools that are included. I think this is a great book to recommend to parents who want to learn what education should look like for their child with autism. It is so positive and uplifting.

I was required to purchase this book for a mandatory credential authorization class on autism. The state is requiring that all SPED teachers get 6 additional authorizations on our teaching credentials. I was just glad this book was affordable and relevant. It is an easy read and most is current for today's special education classroom. I do recommend it if you need a refresher on autism or ASD.

This book is very clearly written and has many applications in and out of the classroom. It covers

innumerable topics in easy to understand language. The index is handy when looking for specific information or topics. I highly recommend it. You're Going to Love This Kid! 2e

As an inclusion teacher this book has provided numerous strategies that are working for my prekindergarten student. The positive tone if the book is both encouraging and empowering. Also, The potential reasons for frustrations and upsets are well written and helpful for the parents as they learn to accept their child as a unique blessing in their lives.

An excellent reference book for teachers that are looking to begin or improve their collaborative inclusive work with grade level partners, school staff, students and families.

Great tips for differentiation, the book is geared towards working with kids with Autism but the book is also useful for any kind of differentiation you need to do.

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