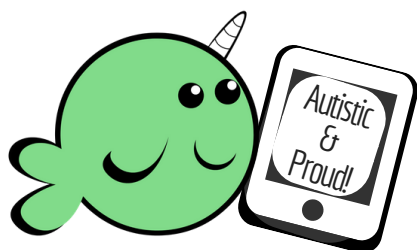


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MANY AUTISTIC PEOPLE PREFER
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AUTISM IMPACTS THE WAY WE SEE, EXPERIENCE AND
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IT CANNOT BE SEPARATED FROM WHO WE ARE AS PEOPLE.
CALLING OURSELVES AUTISTIC IS A DECLARATION OF PRIDE!



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