

Autism Spectrum Disorder - Teacher Resources Checklist

Autism Information and Diagnosis

[What are Autism Spectrum Disorders?](#)

[Screening – Autism Canada’s 4 online screening tools: Toddler, Primary, Teens & Adults](#)

[Autism Physician Handbook – Canadian Edition \(good visual of behavioral symptoms!\)](#)

Classroom Strategies & Curriculum Development

[BC Ministry of Education, Special Programs Branch – Teaching Students with Autism: A Resource Guide for Schools \(2000\)](#)

[BC Ministry of Education – Autistic Spectrum Disorder Instructional Support Planning Process \(PDF\)](#)

Social Stories - [Videos for Modeling Social Skills \(for purchase\)](#)

Visual Signs/Charts:

[Picture Exchange Communications System \(P.E.C.S.\) \(for purchase\)](#)

[Free downloadable Visual Aid for Learning PDFs](#)

Peer and Adult Role Modeling

[The Autism Acceptance Book: Being a Friend to Someone with Autism](#) (for purchase ~\$20 but Free downloadable Teachers Guide)

Positive Reinforcement for Safe and Appropriate Behaviour

Consistent Consequences for Unsafe or Inappropriate Behaviour

[Inclusion 4 Autism YouTube Video](#) (May 18/13 – raise awareness for Autistic children)

Peer Mediated Instruction:

Participation in Social Skills/Playgroups, Peer Networks, “Class Buddies” Systems, Peer Tutoring, Cooperative Learning, Modified Curriculum

Other Resources

[Videos from Autism Canada \(various topics\)](#)

[Music Therapy for Autism Spectrum Disorder](#)

[Autism Apps Searchable List on Autism Speaks](#)

[Autism Professional Training Opportunities Links \(Canada, Int’l & online\)](#)

Parent Supports

[Parents and Caregivers FAQ on Autism Assessments in BC](#)

[BC Ministry of Children and Family Development: A Parent’s Handbook: Your guide to Autism Programs](#)

[Autism Society of BC Community Groups \(support parents/families living with ASD\)](#)

[Autism Speaks Family Support Tool Kits for: Parents, Siblings, Grandparents & Friends](#)