

**BE THE CHANGE**

**YOU** *wish to see*

**in the world**

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**AUTISM ANSWERS MISSION IS TO CREATE SOLUTIONS TO THE CHALLENGES FACING CHILDREN ON THE AUTISM SPECTRUM AND THEIR FAMILIES THROUGH:**

- RAISING THE AWARENESS OF AUTISM
- STRENGTHENING CHILDREN AND PARENTAL RIGHTS
- FINDING GLOBAL EDUCATION AND MEDICAL SOLUTIONS
- INCREASING “DIVERSITY & INCLUSION” FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES THAT ARE DISADVANTAGED SOCIALLY AND ECONOMICALLY

# **WE NEED YOUR HELP TODAY**

**HELP AUTISM ANSWERS PROVIDE SOLUTIONS AND ANSWERS TO CHILDREN,  
AND THEIR FAMILIES LIVING WITH AN AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER  
BY BECOMING A SPONSOR IN SUPPORT OF AUTISM ANSWERS MISSION AND INITIATIVES.**

**YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS WILL HELP RAISE THE AWARENESS OF AUTISM AND BRING MUCH NEEDED CHANGE TO THE  
WAY CHILDREN AND FAMILIES ACCESS EDUCATION, RECREATION, HOUSING AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES.**

**WE THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR SUPPORT!  
BLESSINGS & MIRACLES**



# BELLA T-SHIRTS

IN RECOGNITION OF

WORLD AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH

Available in White or Black



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**UNISEX T-SHIRT**  
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“WE MAKE A LIVING BY WHAT  
WE GET, BUT WE MAKE A LIFE  
BY WHAT WE GIVE.”

-WINSTON CHURCHILL

# HOW CAN YOU MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

BECOME A SPONSOR BY PURCHASING SOME OF OUR PROMOTIONAL ITEMS OR  
SUPPORT OUR MISSION THROUGH YOUR COMPANY'S CORPORATE GIVING PROGRAM !

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ONE IN PLACE WE CAN HELP TO ESTABLISH ONE!

GIVING THROUGH PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS IS AN EASY AND CONVENIENT WAY FOR EMPLOYEES TO  
HAVE COLLECTIVE IMPACT ON THE LIVES OF INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES LIVING WITH AUTISM.

**ALL CONTRIBUTIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE**

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**RAISING AWARENESS**  
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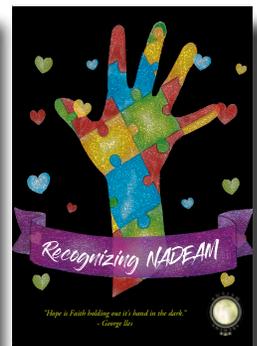
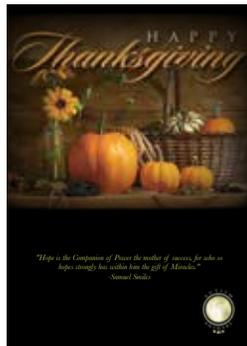
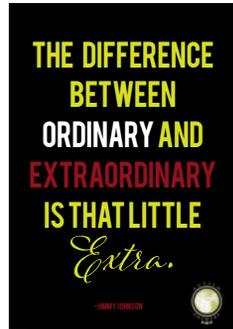
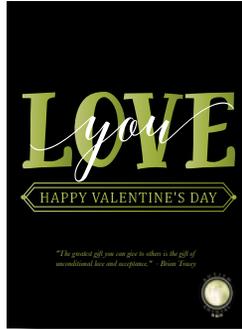
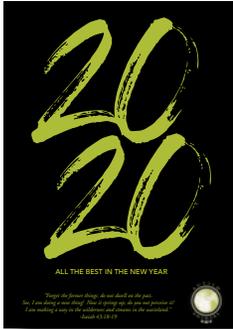
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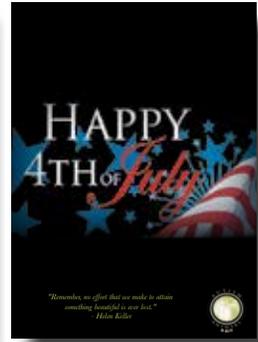
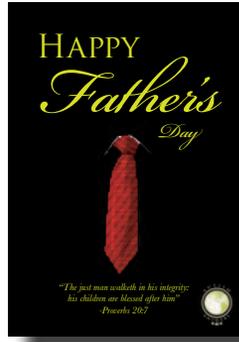
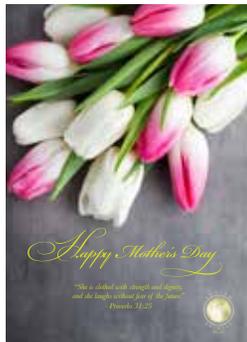
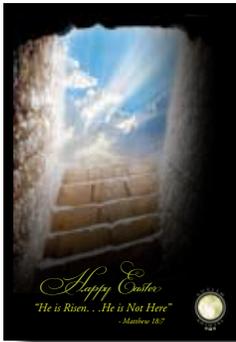
AT THE END OF  
THE DAY IT'S NOT  
ABOUT WHAT YOU HAVE  
OR EVEN WHAT YOU'VE  
ACCOMPLISHED... IT'S  
ABOUT WHO YOU'VE  
LIFTED UP, WHO YOU'VE  
MADE BETTER. IT'S  
ABOUT WHAT YOU'VE  
GIVEN BACK.

DENZEL WASHINGTON



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# 12 MONTH VARIETY POSTCARD SET

*Defining myself, as opposed to  
being defined by others,  
is one of the most*

**DIFFICULT CHALLENGES**

*I face."*

-Cand. Barack Obama, politician and lawyer

*Change will not come if we wait for some  
other person, or if we wait for some other  
time. We are the ones we've been waiting for.  
WE ARE THE CHANGE  
THAT WE SEEK.*

- Barack Obama

*Every great dream begins with  
a dreamer. Always remember,  
you have within you the  
strength, the patience, and the  
passion to reach for the stars to  
change the world.*

- Harriet Tubman

*You don't make progress by standing on the  
sidelines, whimpering and complaining. You  
make progress by implementing ideas.*

- Shirley Chisholm

*If you don't like something,  
**CHANGE IT.**  
If you can't change it,  
change your attitude.*

- MAYA ANGELOIU

*Not everything that is  
faced can be changed;  
but nothing can be  
changed until it is faced.*

- James Baldwin

DREAMS ARE LOVELY. BUT THEY ARE JUST DREAMS.  
*Fleeting, ephemeral, pretty.*  
BUT DREAMS DO NOT COME TRUE JUST BECAUSE YOU  
DREAM THEM. IT'S HARD WORK THAT MAKES THINGS  
HAPPEN. IT'S HARD WORK THAT CREATES CHANGE.

- SHONDA RHIMES

“The time is  
always **RIGHT**  
to do what is  
right.”

- Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

*We are not fighting for integration nor  
are we fighting for separation  
We are fighting for recognition as  
human beings  
\*In fact we are actually fighting for  
Rights that are even greater than civil rights  
and that is human rights*

-Malcolm X

*If you can't fly, then run, if  
you can't run then walk, if  
you can't walk then crawl, but  
whatever you do you have to  
keep moving forward.”*

- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

*The secret of life is to  
have no fear;  
it's the only way to function.*

- Stokely Carmichael

*Never*  
**BE LIMITED**  
*by other people's*  
**Limited**  
*imaginations*

- Dr. Mae Jemison

BLACK  
HISTORY  
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POSTCARD  
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# WALK FOR ANSWERS

*Providing Solutions & Answers  
Working to Ensure  
Diversity & Inclusion*

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**BRANDED COFFEE MUGS**

**MANY HOUSEHOLD'S CAN'T AFFORD TO RAISE A CHILD ON THE AUTISM SPECTRUM, WITH THE INCREASING COST OF INSURANCE, DIETARY NEEDS, COSTS OF SPECIALIZED CARE, AND LEGAL COSTS PARENTS ENCOUNTER WHEN TRYING TO FIGHT TO RETAIN THEIR PARENTAL RIGHTS FOR AN ADULT DISABLED CHILD -**

**YOUR CONTRIBUTION TODAY CAN HELP EASE THE BURDEN OF THESE SOCIALLY AND ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED FAMILIES.**



WORLD  
Autism Awareness  
MONTH

### WHAT IS AUTISM?

Autism spectrum disorder (ASD) is a developmental condition that affects communication skills, socialization, and behavior. People with ASD may struggle with social skills, but they also have unique strengths. Some people with ASD are highly skilled in math, science, and music. They are often very honest and direct in their communication. ASD is a complex condition, and there is no one-size-fits-all approach to understanding or supporting people with ASD. Some people with ASD may have co-occurring conditions, such as anxiety or depression. It's important to remember that every person with ASD is unique.

Black History Month  
www.autismawareness.org

18 MONTH DESK CALENDAR



# INCLUSION IN EDUCATION

The idea of including individuals with ASD in public education settings has its roots in disability rights, challenges to discrimination of individuals with special needs, and resulting federal legislation. Arguably, one of the most important events occurred when the Education of All Handicapped Children Act of 1975 was passed. Subsequent federal legislation passed in 1990 as the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act impacted inclusive education for students with ASD. A key component of the law is the mandate that students with special education needs, including ASD, be educated with peers in the least restrictive environment possible.

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AUTISM AWARENESS  
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APRIL



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Apr 5 World Autism Awareness Day      Apr 7 Good Friday

Apr 18 Tax Day



SEPTEMBER



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Thu 5 Labor Day

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May 24 Mother's Day  
 May 25 Memorial Day

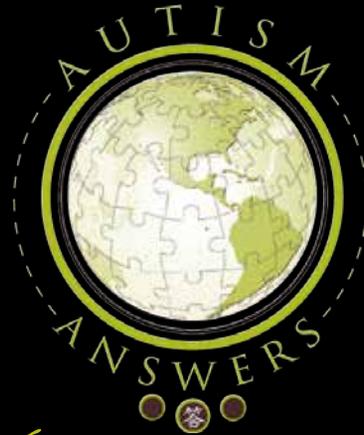
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## KNOW: STATISTICS (REPORTED JANUARY 2021)

Autism is the fastest-growing developmental disorder, and according to the latest Center for Disease Control research reports, 1 in 54 children in the United States (a 15% increase) are diagnosed with autism. Autism is also four times more common in boys than girls. It's challenging to acquire exact statistics about autism in children because many adults not diagnosed with autism in early childhood go undiagnosed into adulthood. It's estimated that there are about 3.5 million Americans living with a type of autism, but all ethnic, racial, and socioeconomic groups worldwide are impacted.

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Private Solutions and Support



*In Troubling Times...  
We Must Have Hope*

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