REACHING VIRTUALLY EVERY CHILD

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all belong

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PUZZLE PIECE PHILOSOPHY

- Each child belongs
- Each brings gifts
- Each brings challenges
- Ministry during pandemic brings gifts and challenges

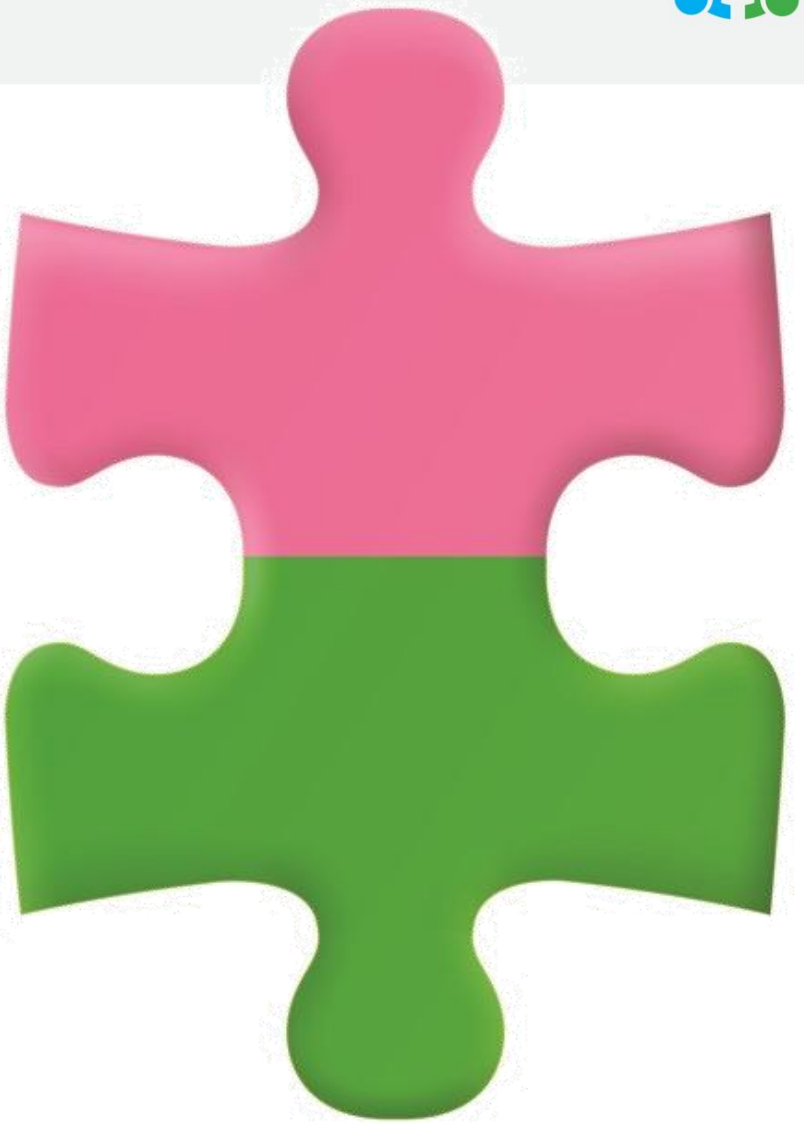
SOUND BITE SUMMARIES & STRATEGIES

PINK AREA: ATTENTION

ADHD

Nano bite overview

- Biological
- 3 types:
  1. Hyperactive
  2. Inattentive
  3. Combined
- Meds



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- Adding Structure

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- Being understanding

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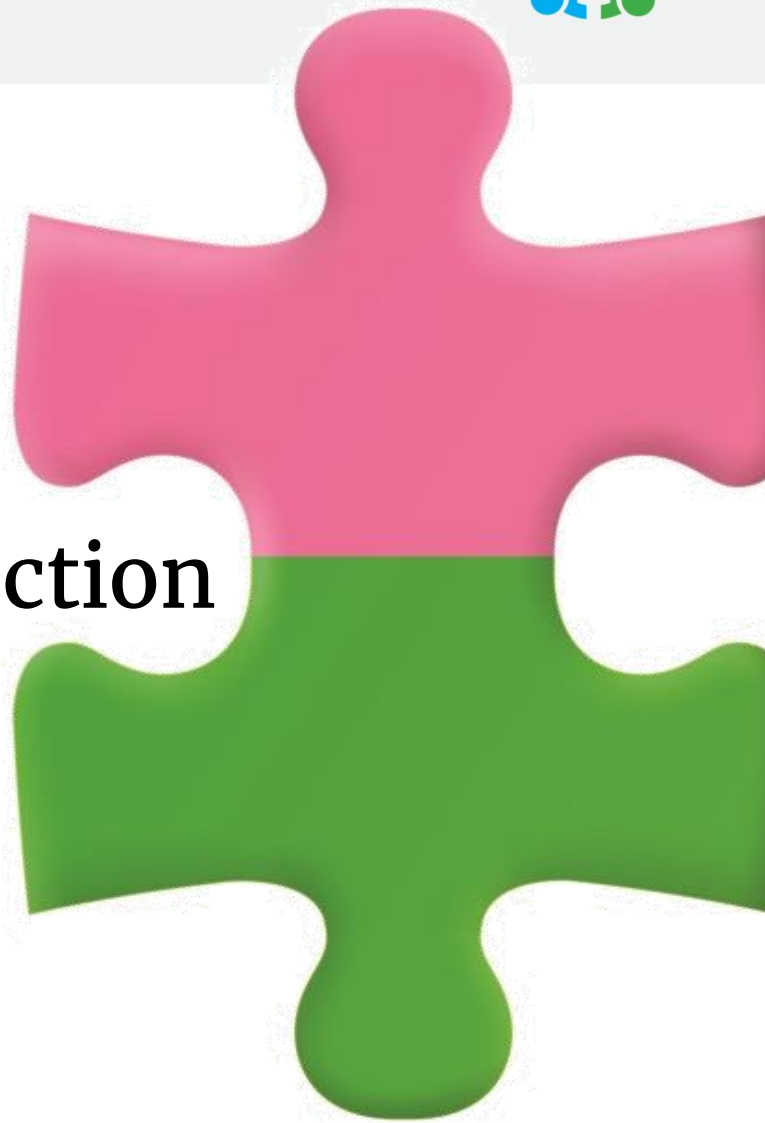
- Choices to empower and engage

PINK AREA: A SET OF THINGS

Autism Spectrum Disorder

Nano bite overview

- 6 areas of difference
  1. Social Cognition
  2. Language Understanding and Production
  3. Repetitive Themes and Behaviors
  4. Desire for Sameness
  5. Perspective-taking
  6. Sensory Areas



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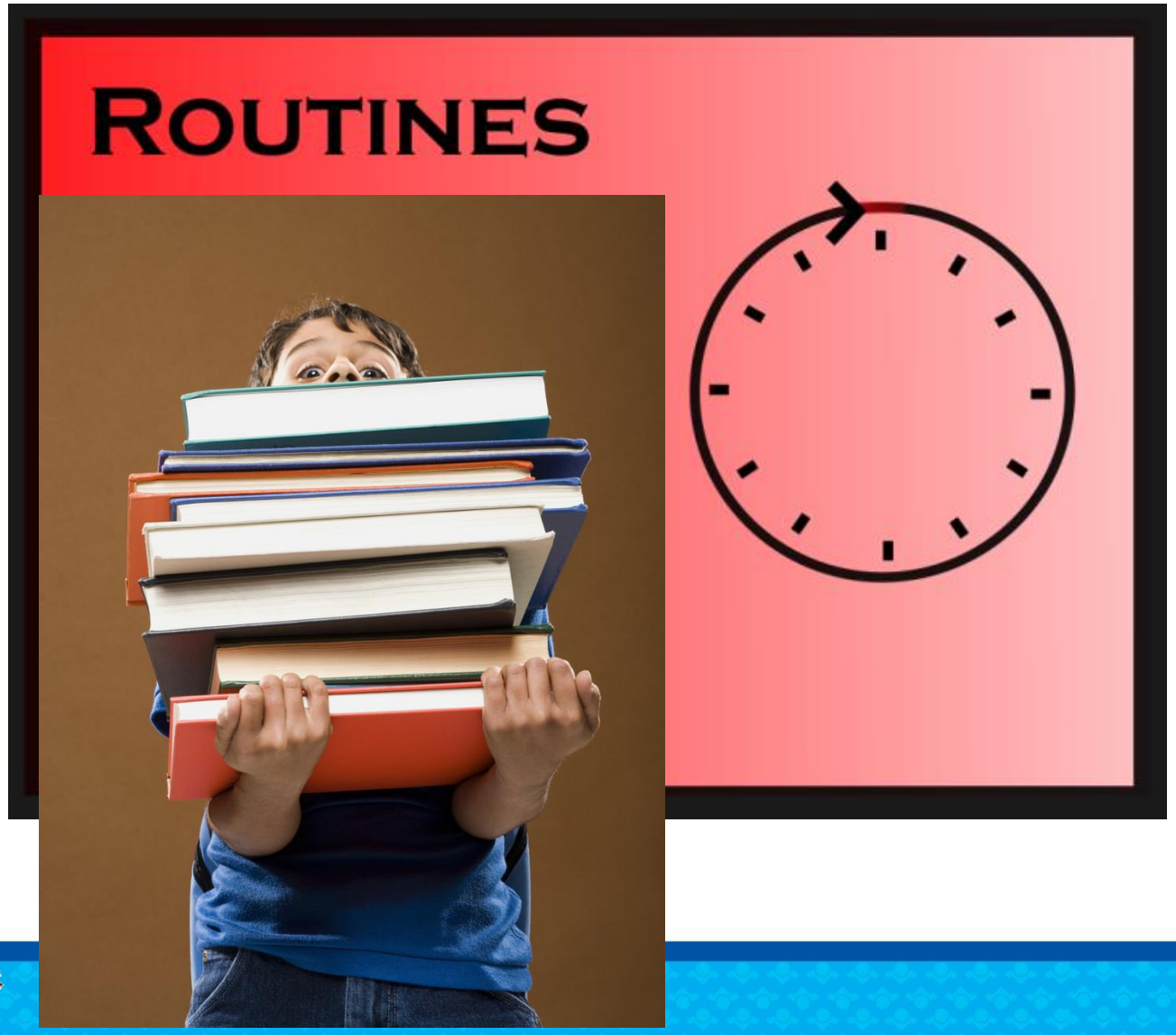
Routines

- For activities
- For transitions



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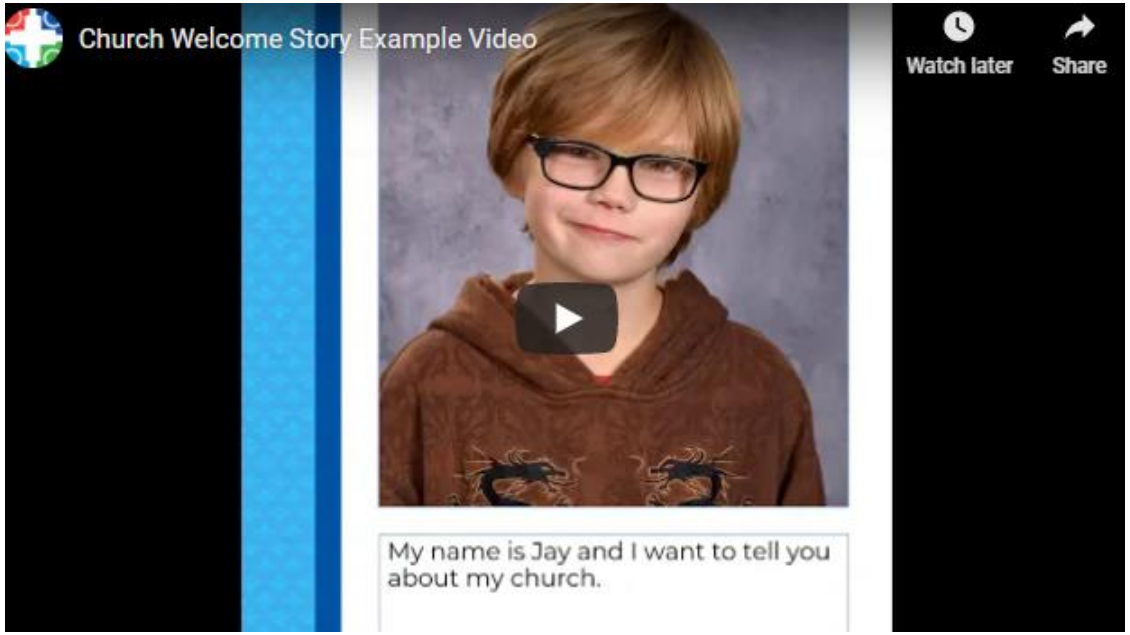
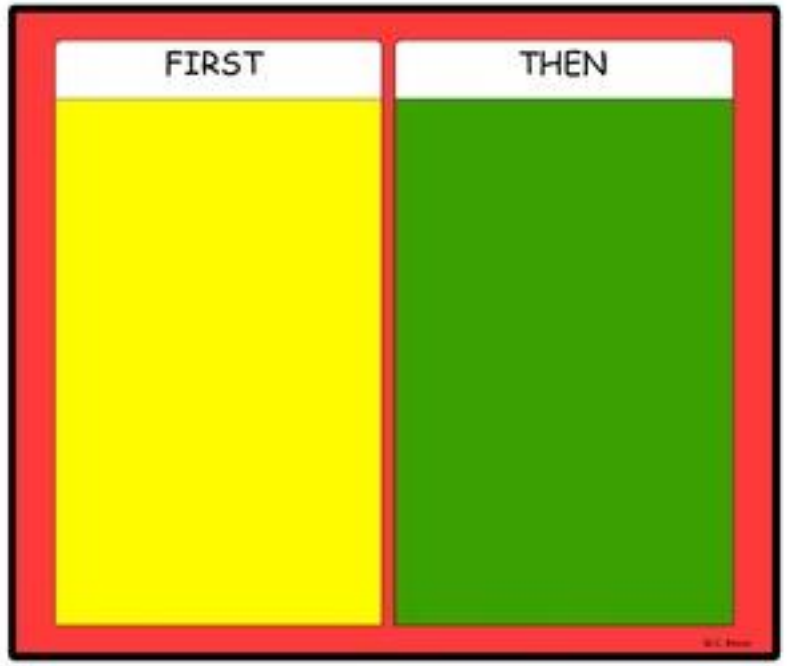
Warnings and pre-learning

- If-Then schedule
- Welcome Story





CHURCH WELCOME STORY

For Jay W.

My name is Jay and I want to tell you about my church.

Here is a picture of my church. It is called Northpoint Assembly of God.

Sometimes I stay with my family when I am at church and sometimes, I go to a room for all of us in junior church. Here is a picture of the room where I can be with my friends.

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Keeping language common

- Say what you want the child to do
- Literally
- If I didn't see it, you didn't say it!

PINK AREA: HIGHER ORDER THINKING

Intellectual disability

Nano bite overview

- Developmental difference
  - By birth
  - By accident, illness, injury

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Assistance

- Buddies
- Assistants
- Adaptations

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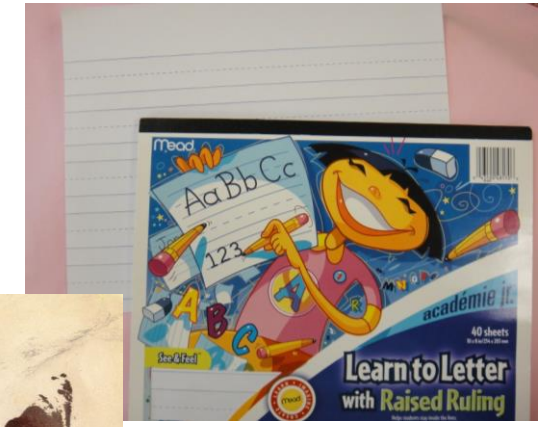
Defining goals

- What's the same and what's different
- "Finished"



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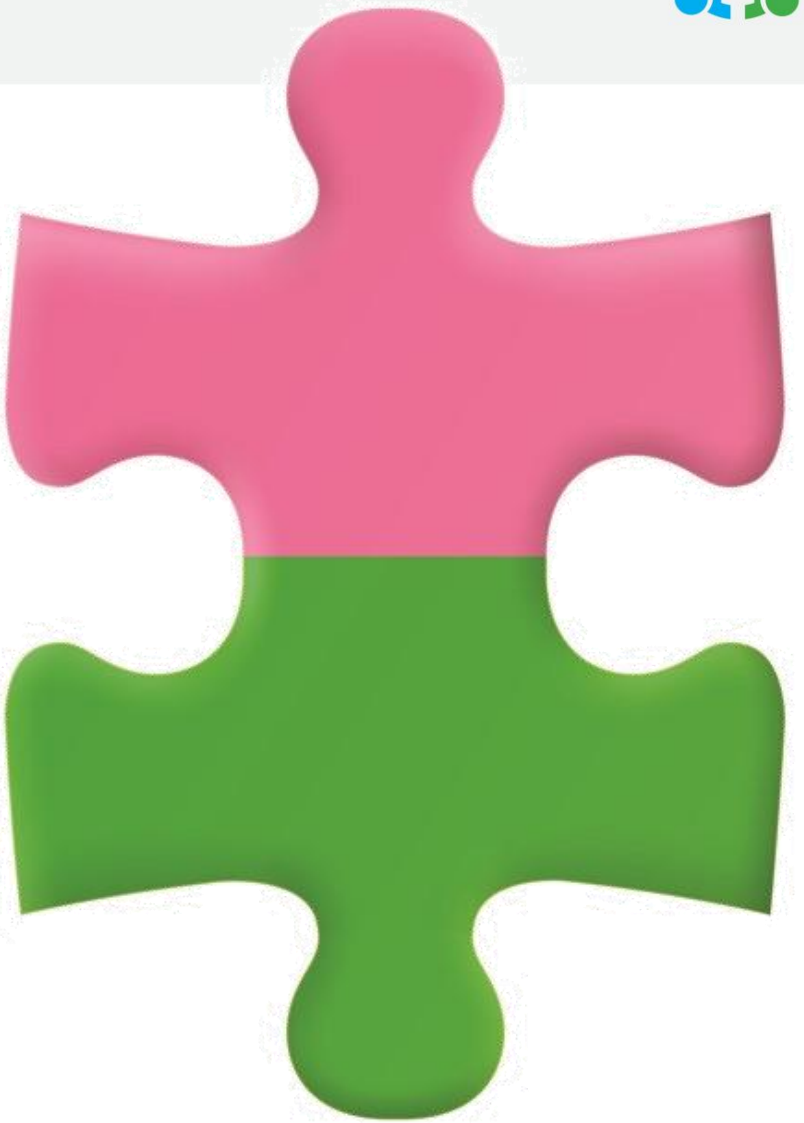
Nonverbals

- Story apron
- Speech button
- Devices

PINK AREA: PHYSICAL MOVEMENT

Physical disability

Nano bite overview



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Doing it yourself!

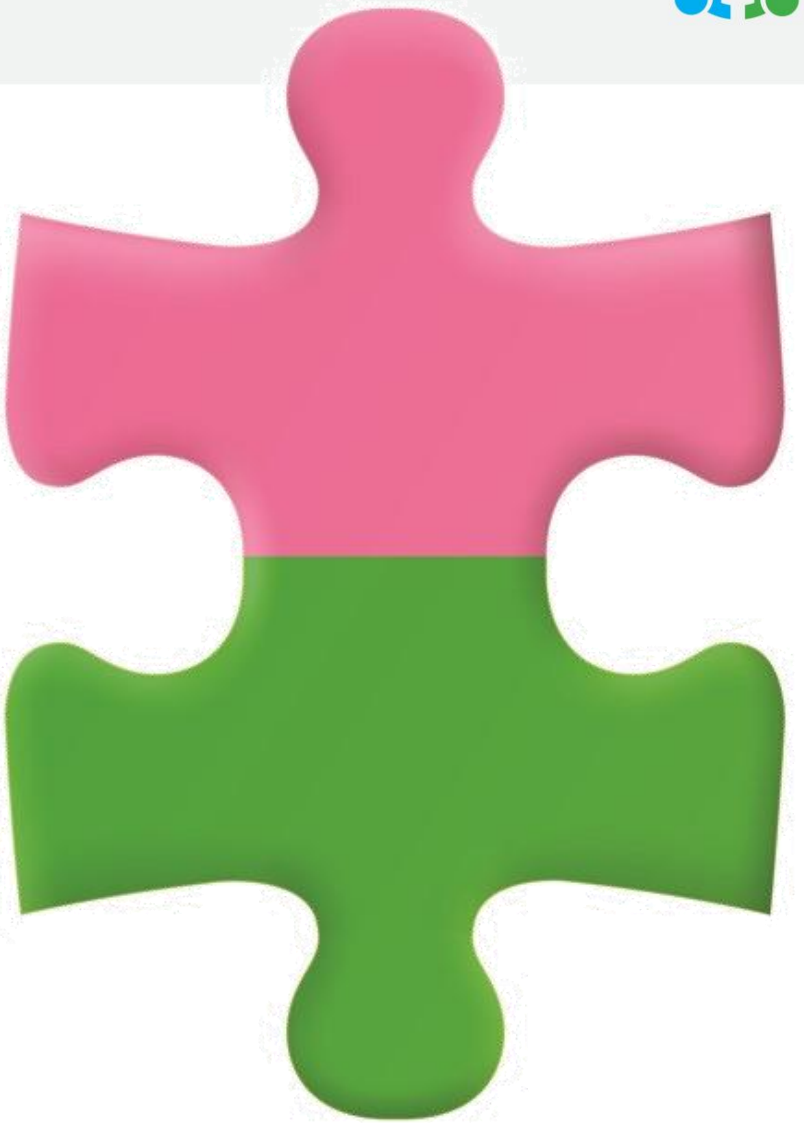
- Mobility, accessibility test
- Grips & weights

PINK AREA: TECHNOLOGY?

The great equalizer

Some tools to try

- Accessibility features: cc, resizing
- Representing kids with varied abilities
- Technology–disability



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