



Back to School & At Home Learning Resources



Our friend Tommy, a high school senior at MICDS, held a fundraiser to benefit DSAGSL. With the money raised, he purchased backpacks and school supplies for our young members with Down syndrome! Backpacks include notebooks, folders, markers, face masks, hand sanitizer, and more! We still have some to give out to families. If you'd like a backpack with supplies inside including hand sanitizer, masks, markers, and more, please email abigail@dsagsl.org. Thank you Tommy for your generosity and kindness!

For Students

[DSAGSL YouTube Video on Social Distancing](#)

[DSAGSL YouTube Video on The Importance of Wearing a Mask](#)

[Going Gack to School Social Story](#)

[Wearing a Mask Social Story](#)

For Parents

[Back to School Tips from Very Well Family](#)

DSAGSL Video on [How to Choose the Perfect Mask for Your Loved One](#)

Need help with those school day routines? Check this DSAGSL Video Workshop on [How to Make Your Own Visual Schedule](#)

And check out this tutorial on [Using Mini-Schedules and Visual Checklists](#)

[Education and the IEP Process](#)

[Missouri Parents Act](#)

[Family Advocacy and Community Training](#)

On August 28, the recording IEP law goes into effect. . You MUST NOTIFY THE SCHOOL AT LEAST 24HRS IN ADVANCE and let them know you will be recording. This can be done with a very brief email or letter. [Here is a template you can use](#). You can also see a [YouTube video here](#) about the new law.



Learning at Home

[Preparing Yourself, Your Family and Your Home for Online Learning Webinar](#)

[Strategies to Make Online Learning More Successful](#)

[Tips for Parents Developing Home School Routines](#)



For Educators

[DSAGSL Educator Resources](#)

[Learning and the Classroom](#)

[Inclusive Strategies for the General Education Teacher](#)

[Common Strengths and Challenges](#)

[Facts About Down Syndrome](#)

[Language Guidelines](#)

[Simple Answers to Kids Questions](#)

[My Inclusion ABC's](#)

[Growth Mindset and Inclusion](#)

[Brighten Up a Student's Day](#)

[Books About Down Syndrome or that Feature a Main Character with Down Syndrome](#) *(includes books for grades pre-k through 12)*



The Maren Fund

The Maren Fund works with students with Down syndrome of all ages and uses the Learning Program, an evidence-based program created to educate parents on "how" their child with Down syndrome learns. *"We believe in the academic ability of individuals with disabilities and we support parents, children, and young adults in their educational journey throughout life"*

The Registration Deadline has been extended but will be closing soon so sign up today!

<https://www.marenfund.org/>