

It means understanding that each individual is unique, and recognising our individual differences.

Human Rights Act 1998Article 1

All human beings are born free and equal in dignity and rights. They are endowed with reason and conscience and should act towards one another in a spirit of brotherhood.



Some of your human rights include:

- Freedom from torture and very cruel treatment (Article 3)
- The right to liberty and security (Article 5)
- The right to have your own thoughts, religion and beliefs (Article 9)
- The right to privacy and family life (Article 8)

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- Freedom of expression and opinions (Article 10)
- The right to meet people and gather in public places (Article 11)

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The right to an education (Article 2 of Protocol 1)

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The right to vote in elections once you reach the voting age (Article 3 of Protocol 1)

Who do you think this is?







My twin sister loved wearing odd socks





She wears them walking down the street...



.. and she wears them walking around at home!



Sometimes they make her walk a little funny.

Move out my way!

Sometimes her socks make her say funny things.



Sometimes people laugh at my sister and her odd socks

They don't understand her or the things she says



How shocking!



People laughed at me too saying there goes odd socks sister!!

So one day I tore up and hid all her socks!



Mum cried.

"What have you done to your sister's socks?" she' said But at that moment my sister came in.

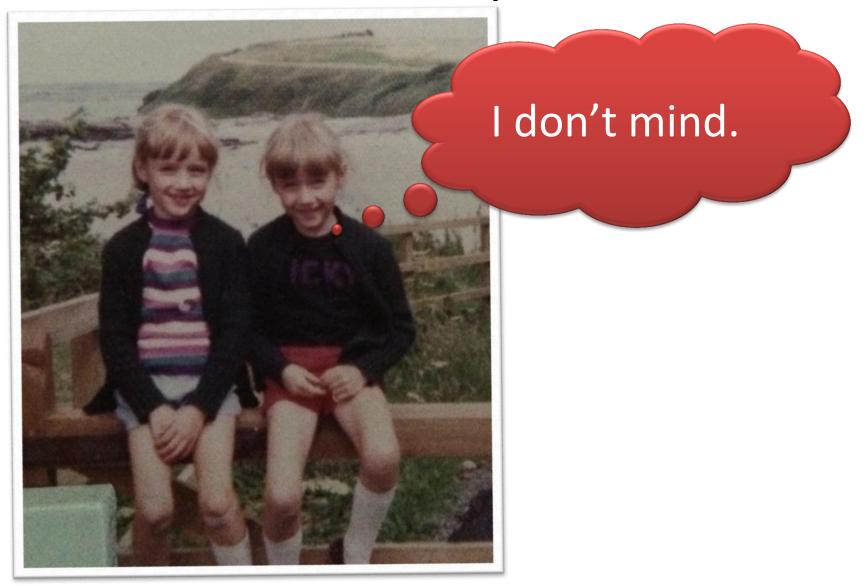
She looked at the torn up socks. She looked at my mum crying.

She looked at me.

She didn't say anything she just gave me a great big hug



Then she said in a quiet voice...





My sister still wears odd socks at school.

...and she's the head teacher now!!



She still wears them walking down the street.



But you know what? I don't mind. They don't know what it's like having a sister with odd socks.







