

all of these action items could also be implemented within the classroom setting

Individuals

Recognize and prepare for teachable moments

Educate self about different cultures

Step outside comfort zones

Model positive behaviors

Listen to our children

Love yourself

Use "Social Stories"

Answer a question with a question

Try different foods

Share your story

Mix paint or play-doh to represent different skin colors

Learn about minority history

Learn about the history of systemic racism

Be a role model for your kids

o outside your comfort zone

Be visible in the community at diverse events

Gain perspective from other people's experiences

Reading more - educate self

Attend festivals

Open door/mind

Open conversations, be curious, listen

Invite guests into class to initiate conversations with children

Learn about local ethnic festivals - help put them on, volunteer

Speak up

Educate self about local racial history Check your privilege

Willing to be in conversation, even if challenging

Read about equity issues from trusted sources

Educate yourself - read a book, research multiple sides of an issues

Tell a different story

Stay curious and ask open ended questions with children

Take advantage of teachable moments

(break them down)

Being intellectually curious and studying other cultures/perspectives

Immerse yourself in other cultures Staying informed of local/world issues and events

Ask questions and listen to the answers Get out of your comfort zone

Expand your social circle

Family

Discuss individuals and cultures that we meet on a daily basis

Put family in different cultural places, events, situations

Be real with our own children about race, history and current events

Have tough conversations

Listen to different types of music/TV

Try new foods

Have more diverse books at home

Use "social stories"

Answer a question with a question

Be more involved with cultural events Be supportive of schools with a social justice curriculum

Know someone from a different culture

Listen to different radio stations

Get to know the families you work with (on a deeper level)

Speak up more within your own family

Schools that include diversity

Educate your children with diverse experiences

Watch what media is in front of your kids

Support people of color in the community

Explore own cultural heritage and identity

Visit multi-cultural festivals

Different music

Speak up

Eat together: try a taco truck, Daddy D's, Chuey's Food truck

Travel

Community

Make sure libraries and schools have diverse books

Vote in local elections

Attend events like this

Show up/Speak up

Be aware of community barriers

Join and support non-profits that work on racial reconciliation

Ask questions

Know the culture of the community

This forum “talk”

Organize events

Help replicate “Different Together”

Equity Cafes – local focus

Text alerts

Offer rides to the polls for minority groups

Faith communities/support

Make a list business owned by people of color in the community

Informed voting

Educational opportunities for children around diversity

Support businesses owned/operated by minorities

Social Stores

Answer a question with a question

Learning and talking about different cultures

Exposure to different resources

Parent Engagement

Get involved

Go to cultural events

Start your own group conversations with friends

Be aware of cultural events in your community

Sign up for text alerts about community events

Advocate for events supporting Latino families during ICE raids