



Role Play Activity

8-10-year-old group

For this activity you get to be writers, and if you want to, even actors!

What you have to do is **write a story** with two characters. The story must include a **conversation** between your characters.

Please make sure to write your story so that:

- Your characters are good friends and go to school together.
- One of the characters has **JIA (Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis)**. In this section there is a document with information about *what JIA is* and *how it affects a person*.
- After you learn about JIA, imagine a story about a **problem** that your character has because of their condition (example: they cannot carry their bag between classes as it is too heavy).
- The conversation between the characters must be about this problem and how they can **work together to find a solution**. Ask yourself what the friend can do to help with the situation.
- To end the story, you can write how the solution the two friends find has helped the person with JIA have a better time at school.

If you want to make this project even more fun, you can ask a family member or a friend to play one of the characters, while you play the other one. You can film yourselves acting out the story and send us the video. This way you get to see your story come to life!

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