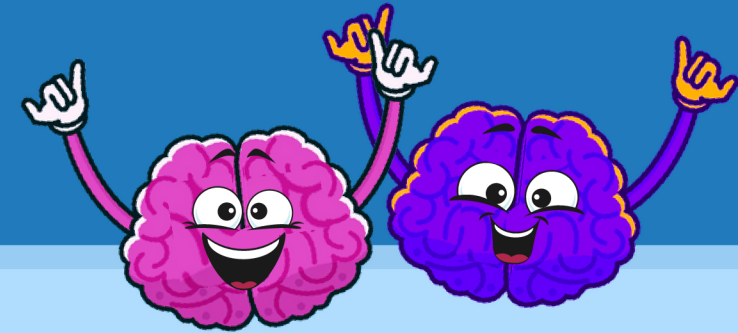


Neurodiversity Celebration Week



Colouring Posters for Primary and Secondary Schools



What are the aims of Neurodiversity Celebration Week?

Neurodiversity Celebration Week was started in 2018 with the aim of challenging stereotypes and misconceptions about neurological difference. It's all about creating inclusive environments while recognising the many skills and talents of neurodivergent individuals. Find out more at: www.neurodiversityweek.com

What's included?

A small pack of posters for pupils to colour in, with some designs also leaving space for them to come up with their own ideas.

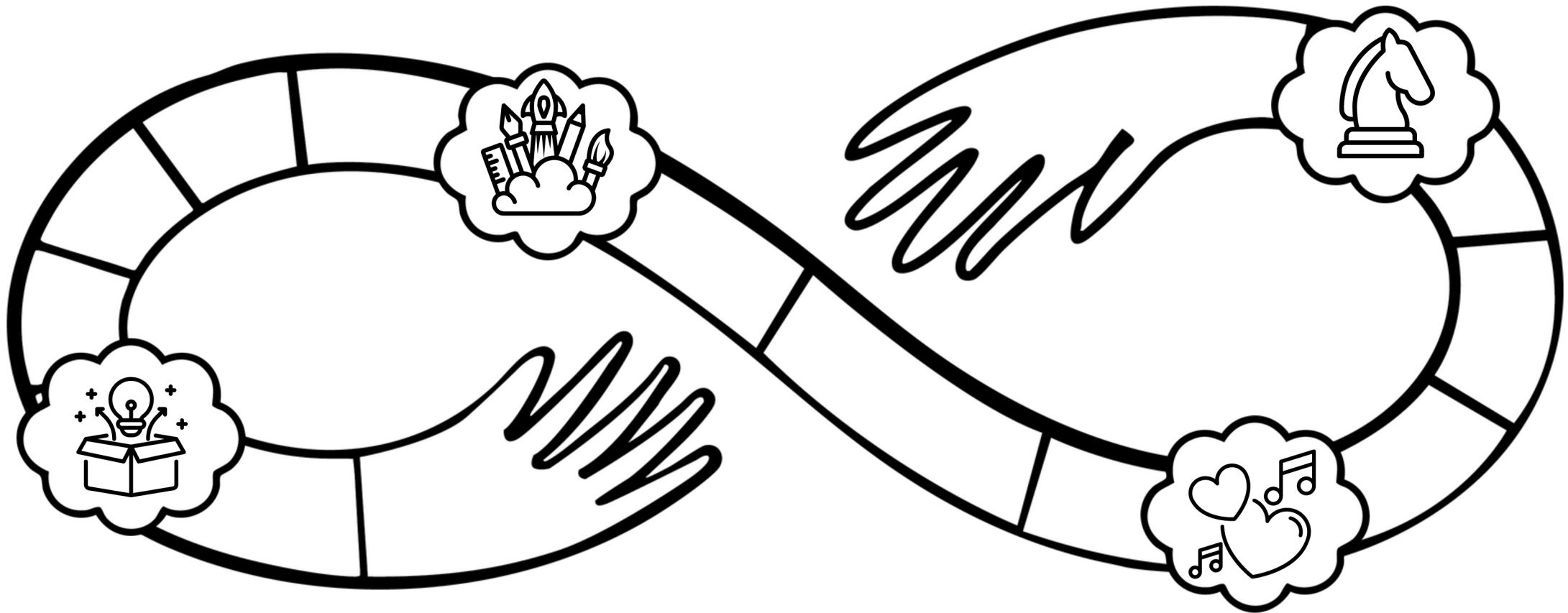
Pages 2 - 5 may be more suitable for Primary School pupils and pages 6 - 8 for older students. You could use the poster on page 7 in tandem with the character strengths tool from the VIA Institute on Character viacharacter.org

6 Ideas for celebrating in school

1. Host a student entrepreneur fair or rainbow cupcake sale and raise money for a charity championing neurodiversity.
2. Create a facts and myths board about ADHD, autism, DLD, dyspraxia, dyslexia, Tourette's (or any other neurodivergence) and ask pupils to pin statements on either side to create a display.
3. Invite inspirational neurodivergent speakers to present an assembly. Some might be former students!
4. Ask older students to build their own character strengths profile using this free tool from the VIA Institute on Character, then make a poster illustrating their key attributes: viacharacter.org
5. Ask students to dress in rainbow colours or wear footwear of their choice to represent how we all think differently.
6. Choose a class book to read that has a neurodivergent main character e.g. *Percy Jackson and The Lightning Thief*.

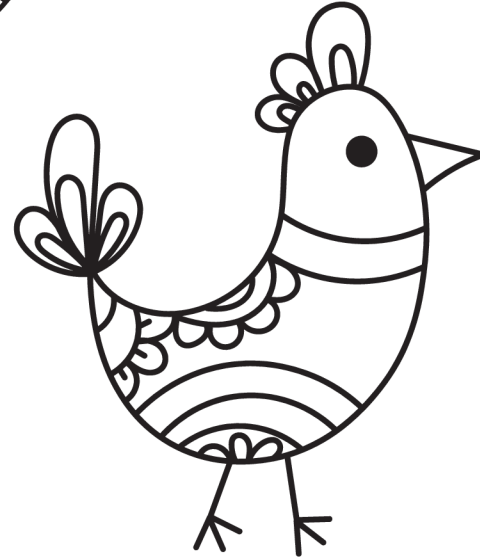
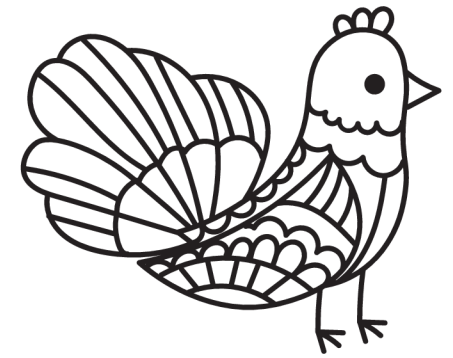
It costs me nothing to be kind

- Paddington bear

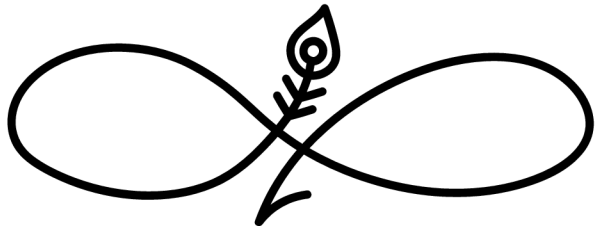


Let's Celebrate
Neurodiversity!
We grow together here

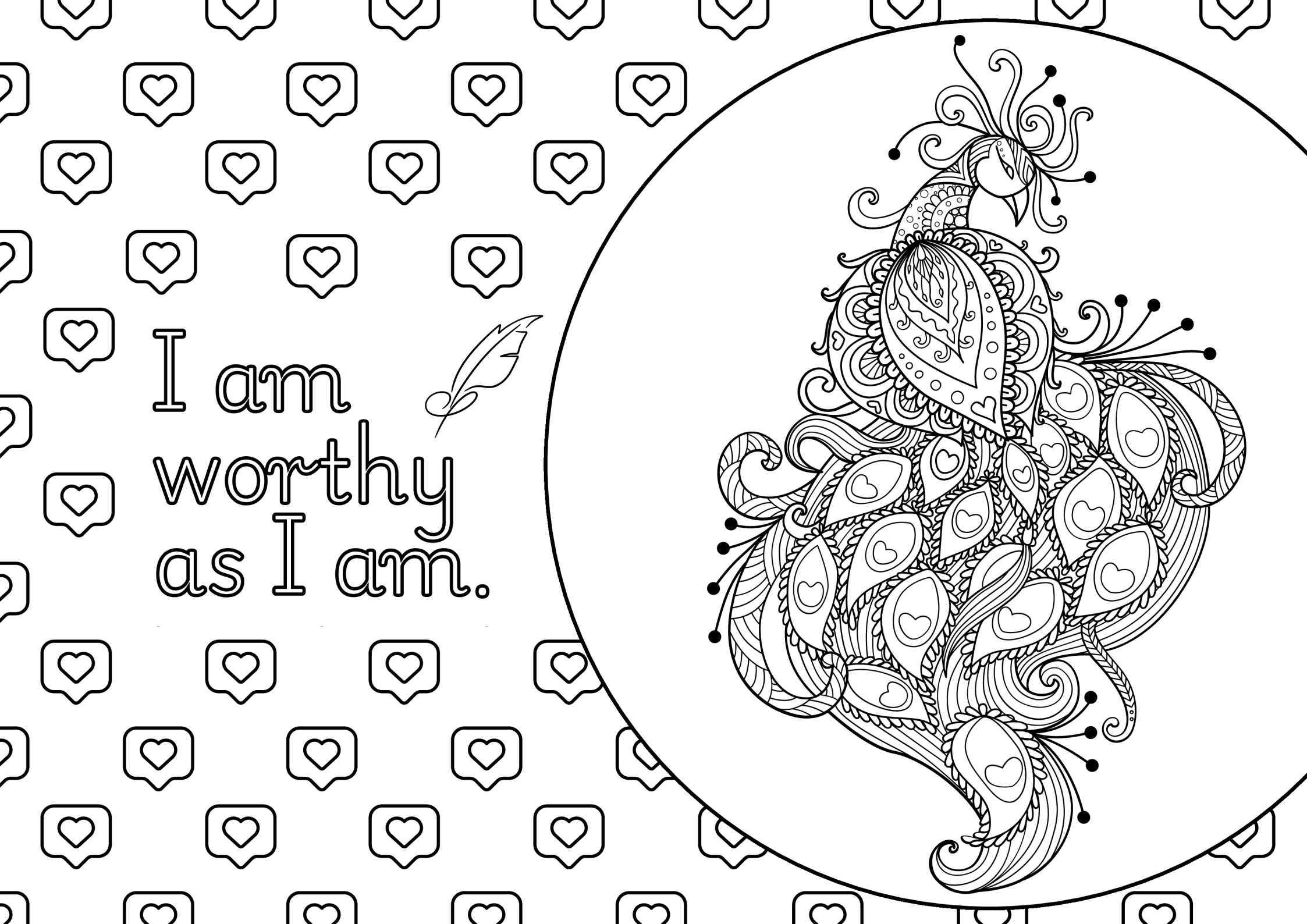
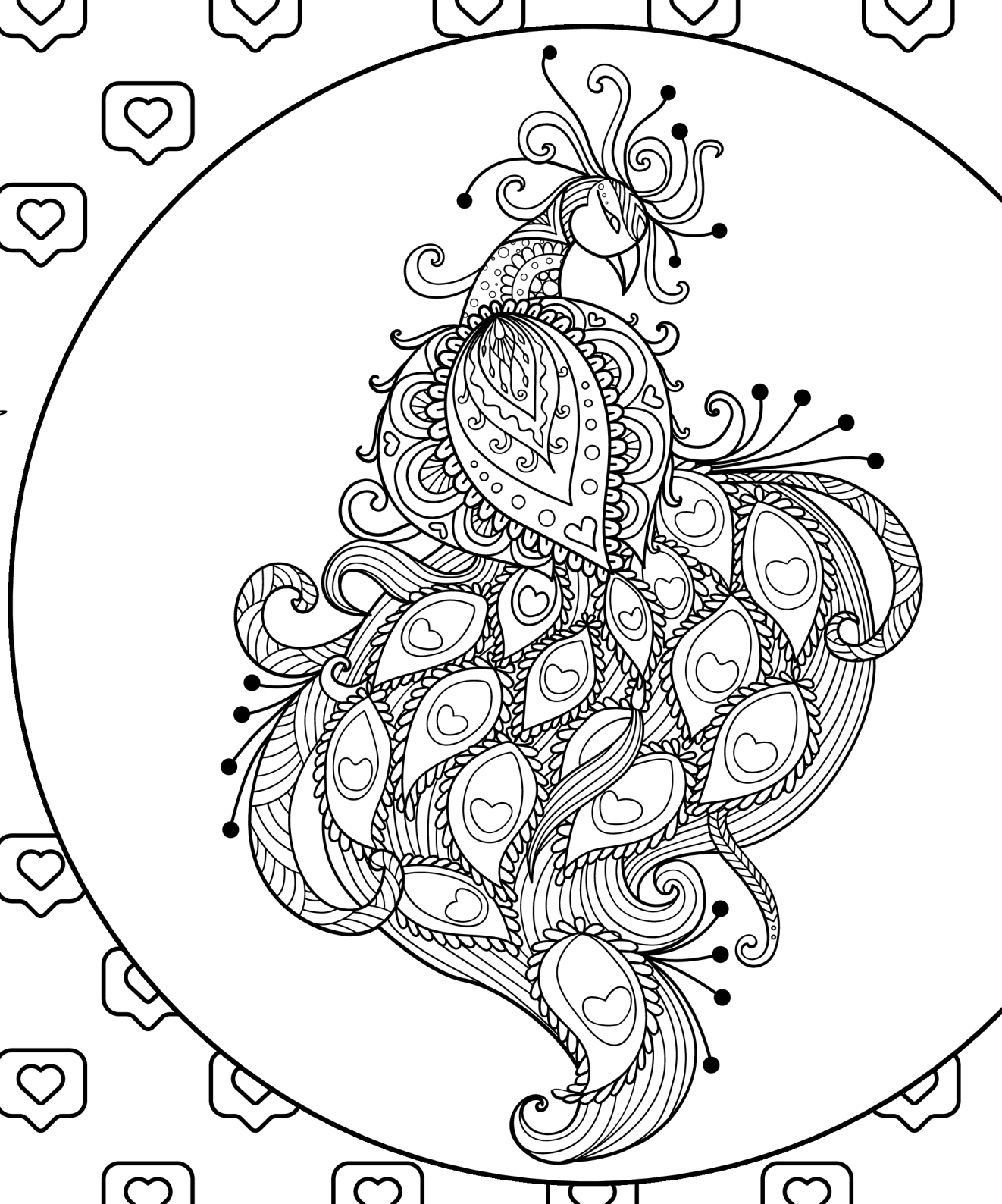




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not less

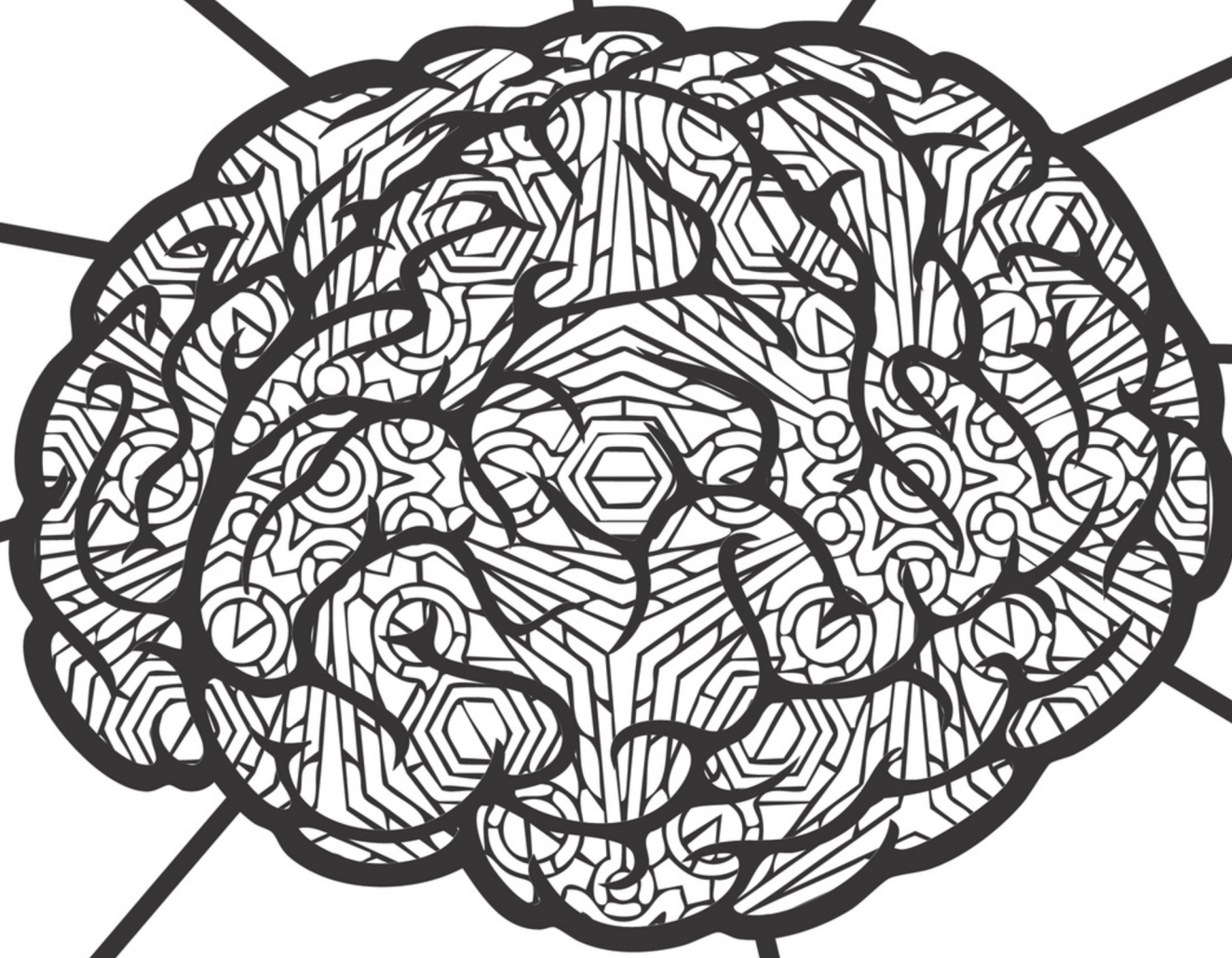


I am
worthy
as I am.

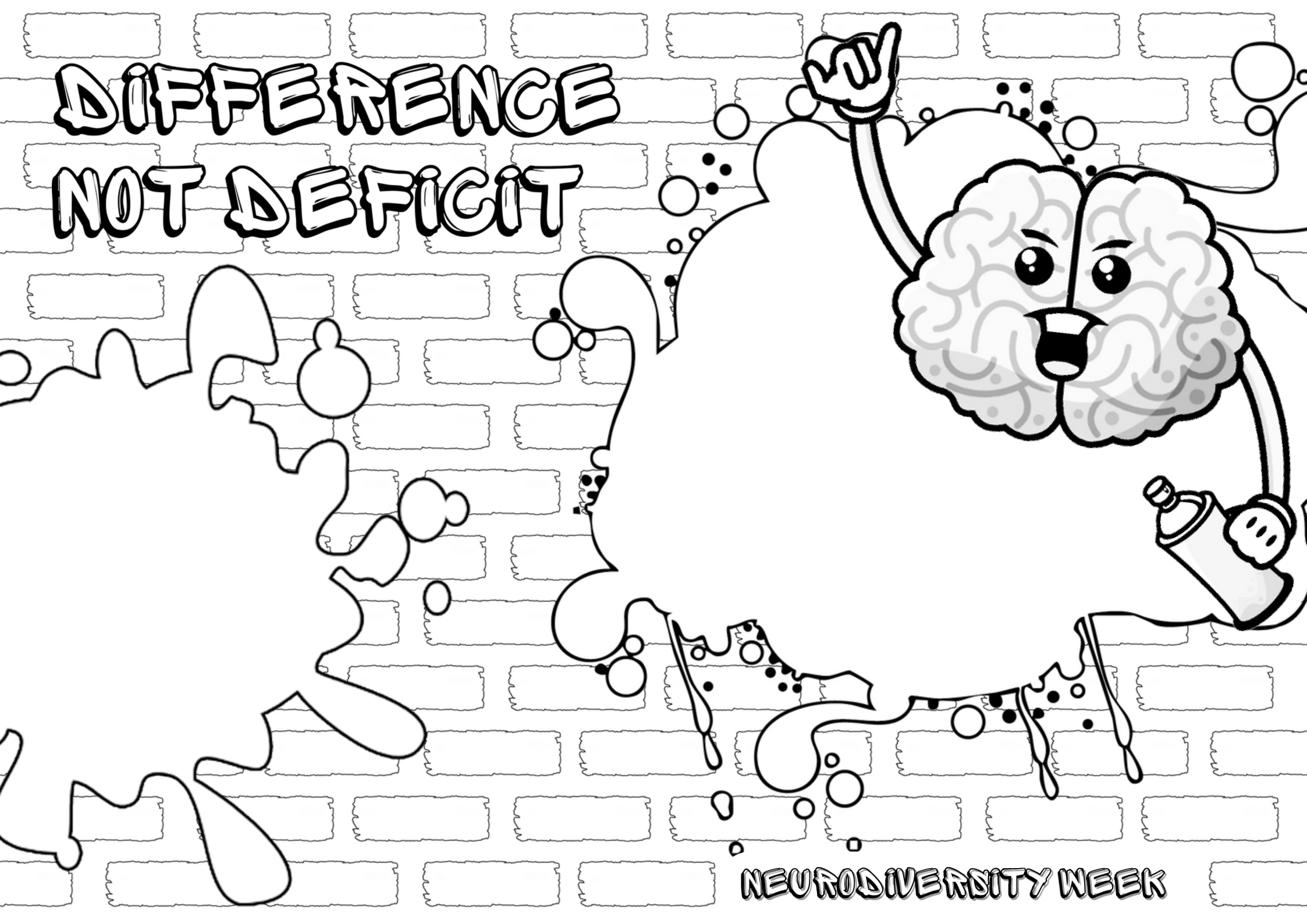


MY INCREDIBLE BRAIN

What are my strengths?



**DIFFERENCE
NOT DEFICIT**



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