# One of Us

## **RIF EXTENSION ACTIVITIES FOR EDUCATORS**

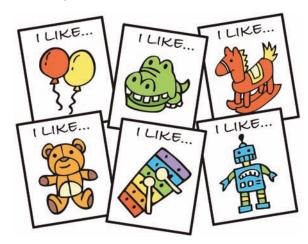
### **CREATIVE WRITING (2ND-3RD GRADE)**

Pick a character from the story. Retell the story from this character's point of view. What is your character thinking when Roberta walks in? What does your character see during the day? How does your character interact with Roberta?



## **CREATIVE WRITING (1ST-3RD GRADE)**

Choose a friend. Write a letter to your friend saying why you like him or her. How is your friend like you? How is your friend different? Be descriptive!



#### **CLASS BOOK (K-1ST GRADE)**

Create a class book to get students involved in celebrating differences. Have each student illustrate a page. Possible themes include:

I like..., Our Favorite Foods, Our Families, Our Favorite Games, Favorite Places.



## **GUESS WHO? (2ND GRADE)**

Have your students write down 3 interesting things about themselves on an index card. Read one card out loud and have students guess who wrote it. This can go on for several days until every card is read. Students will learn about each other and practice deductive reasoning!



#### SERVICE PROJECT (K-3RD GRADE)

Create school survival kits for new students. Brainstorm what you might need to help you get through the first days at your school as a new student. Have students create the list, collect items and assemble the kits. Include "welcome" cards or letters.



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