General Resources About Autism and Gardening

5 Books For Kids About Autism:

1. **My Brother Charlie** (1-5) by Holly Robinson Peete, read aloud with visuals: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CxdxMw1OvTw
2. **A Friend Like Simon** (K-3) by Kate Gaynor, read aloud with visuals: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hiHVabACUSM
3. **The Girl Who Thought In Pictures: The Story of Dr. Temple Grandin** (K-5) by Julia Finley Mosca, read aloud with visuals: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6wgBarZ5ytE
4. **Hello, My Name Is Max and I Have Autism: An Insight Into the Autistic Mind** by Max Miller (K-7)
5. **Tacos Anyone?** by Marvie Ellis and Jenny Loehr (Bilingual book, K-1)

Other Resources About Autism:

1. What Does it Feel like to Have Autism? Interview: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1CNY6BbtgS8
2. Sesame Street and Autism, See Amazing in Everyone: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RuV8AddbXls
3. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y6g8QHWkKZU
4. Young people with autism explain stimming: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fexHcGqKlUQ
5. Young people with autism explain meltdowns: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zseDI1V-BqU

6 Books About Gardening

1. **Lola Plants a Garden** (Pre-K - K) by Anna McQuinn, read aloud with visuals: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OC7qurRN37A
2. **Compost Stew: An A to Z Recipe for the Earth** (K-2) by Mary McKenna Siddals, read aloud with visuals: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mQvzuliEsB4
3. **The Ugly Vegetables** (K-3) by Grace Lin, read aloud with visuals: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3rbKEKul8Ik
4. **Up in the Garden and Down in the Dirt** (K-3) by Kate Messner, read aloud with visuals: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w5qhb1Jpow4
5. **From Seed to Plant** by Gail Gibbons (K-3), read aloud with visuals: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rb7n_B8kzNY
6. **Secrets of the Garden: Food Chains and the Food Web in Our Backyard** by Kathleen Weidner Zoehfeld (K-3)