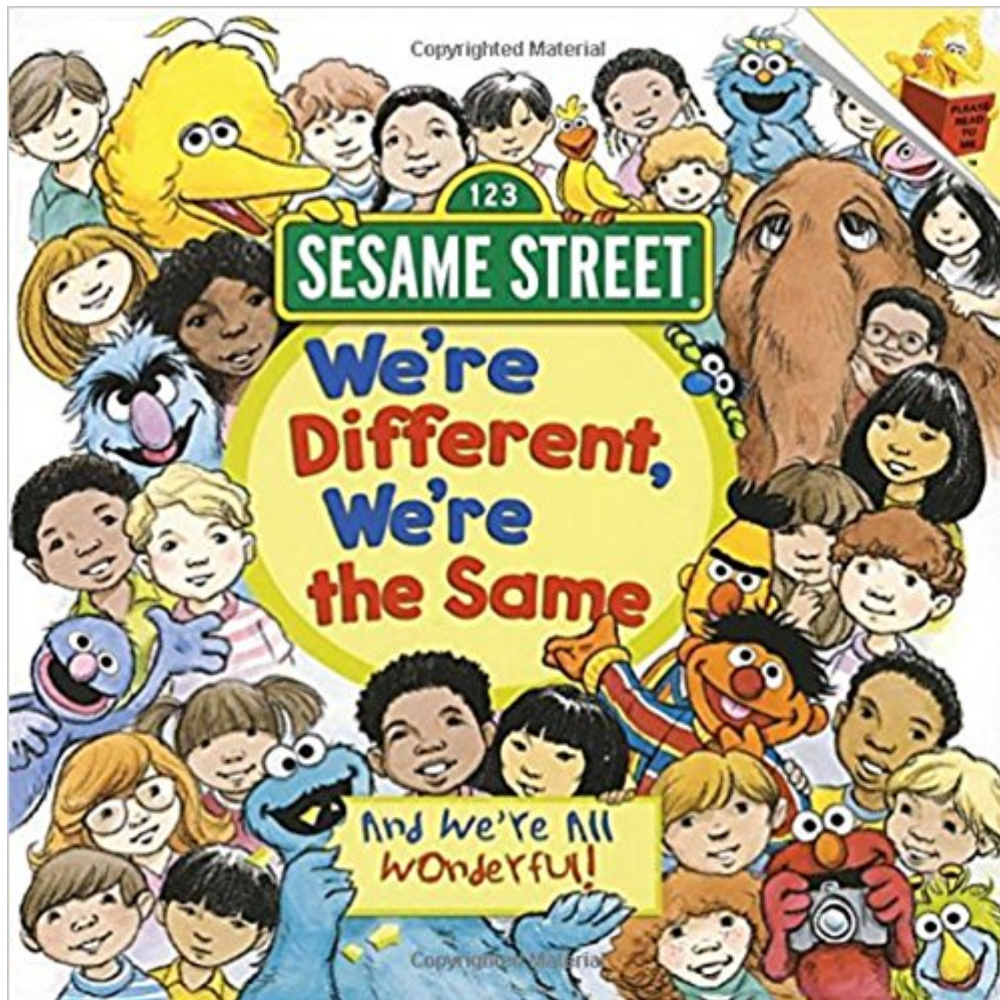


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# We're Different, We're The Same (Sesame Street) (Pictureback(R))



## Synopsis

Who better than Sesame Street to teach us that we may all look different on the outsideâ "but it's important to remember that deep down, we are all very much alike. We all have the same needs, desires, and feelings. Elmo and his Sesame Street friends help teach toddlers and the adults in their lives that everyone is the same on the inside, and it's our differences that make this wonderful world, which is home to us all, an interestingâ "and specialâ "place. This enduring, colorful, and charmingly illustrated book offers an easy, enjoyable way to learn about differencesâ "and what truly matters. It is an engaging read for toddlers and adults alike.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 3 - 7 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 2

## Customer Reviews

Jim Henson's Sesame Street Muppets cavort cheerfully with people of all sizes, shapes and ethnicities in this rather humdrum effort to show the ways in which all people are the same, despite obvious physical differences. On alternate spreads, drawings imitating photos zero in on variations on noses, hair, mouths, skin, eyes and bodies, all "different" from one another. A turn of the page reveals all of the owners of these body parts interacting, alongside several lines of sing-song verse explaining how our noses, hair, etc., are "the same." Some of the rhymes are silly or forced; part of

the explanation of skin reads: "Muscles and bones are wrapped inside it. / We all have blood and skin to hide it!" Even the affable Sesame Street gang can't enliven this mundane treatment of a significant subject. Ages 4-8. Copyright 1992 Reed Business Information, Inc.

Great book, a very basic start to teaching children that differences in appearance so not separate us.

Great book to teach kids how our differences make us awesome. Has a page for how our \_\_\_\_ is different with close ups of illustrated examples of the varieties of that feature (including Sesame Street characters). Then the next page shows how, in the big picture, all our \_\_\_\_ is really the same. For example, it has a page of "Our noses are different" with at least a dozen pictures of different noses. Then the next page has a big illustration of people outside with "Our noses are the same. They help us breathe, smell, sniff, and sneeze" (or some such...don't have it with me right now). I love that I can point out the particular features that are like my son's or mine or his dad's (we are a transracial family). The end talks about how boring things would be if we were all the same. Great book.

This is a great book for toddlers starring the Sesame Street characters about race and difference. It emphasizes that although we have different types of hair/skin/noses, etc. they all do the same things.

My nice enjoys books a LOT. She understands this book and likes the characters and people.

My kids love reading this book and it teaches good morals.

My son loves this book - age 3. Great diversity and inclusion book to teach kids early.

Having grown up on Sesame Street, I wanted to share some of that messaging with my nephew, who is mixed-race. Both he and his mom enjoyed reading the book together, and it led to some good discussions about him and his friends -- their similarities and differences.

Great for our preschool

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