



*Easy Read Edition*

# **Inclusive Meetings:** **The Autistic Self Advocacy** **Network's Community Living** **Summit**

## **Part 1: Introduction**

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## What is this toolkit?



This toolkit can help you make meetings better for autistic people.



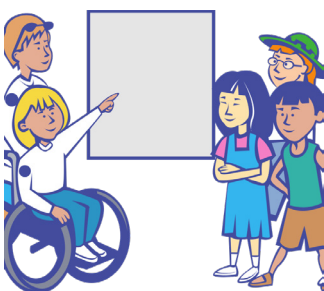
Meetings are a great tool for getting people together.



You can share ideas at meetings.



You can talk about important things.



You can work on a project.



You can make plans for action at meetings.



Sometimes, meetings can be hard for autistic people.



People might run meetings in ways that don't work for us.



We will talk about some problems autistic people have in meetings.



Then, we will talk about how you can solve these problems in your own meetings.

There are 3 parts to this toolkit.



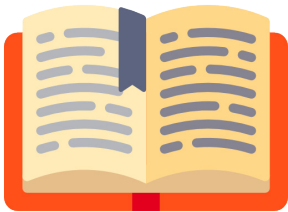
The first part is about what to do before the meeting.



The second part is about what to do during the meeting.



The third part is about what to do after the meeting.



You can start by reading the whole toolkit.



Then, you can look back at each part while you plan your meeting.

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