

How do people who are differently abled use their senses?

Braille, sign language, hearing aids, guide dogs

Year 1: Animals including humans.

Louis Braille, inventor of Braille alphabet.



Key Vocabulary

Mammal	A group of animals that give birth to live young; are warm-blooded and are often covered in hair or fur.
Survive	To stay alive.
Senses	Our senses help us see, hear, feel, smell and taste. This way, we learn about the world around us.
Sight	We see using our eyes.
Shiny/ dull	
Hearing	We hear using our ears.
Touch	We touch using our skin, often our hands.
Rough/smooth	
Hard/soft	
Smell (sweet/spicy/bitter)	We smell using our nose
Taste	We taste using our mouth (in particular our tongue).

Key Knowledge:
 Humans are a type of animal.
 Human bodies have many different parts - these all help us to do different things.
 Animals including humans have 5 senses that help them to survive.
 Our senses help us find food and water.

Our senses help us stay away from danger.
 We see using our eyes.
 We hear using our ears.
 We smell using our nose.
 We taste using our mouth.
 Because our senses are so important, we have to protect them.

Working Scientifically

	Fruit & vegetable market: using senses to sort items based on how they feel and look. Involves observing closely.
	Scent Challenge: identify smells and classify them in different ways, e.g. bitter/ sweet and strong/ mild; food or non-food
	Are the oldest children in the class/ school the tallest?
	How have our bodies changed since we were born? CCL with PSHE

Protect your eyes...



Protect your ears...

