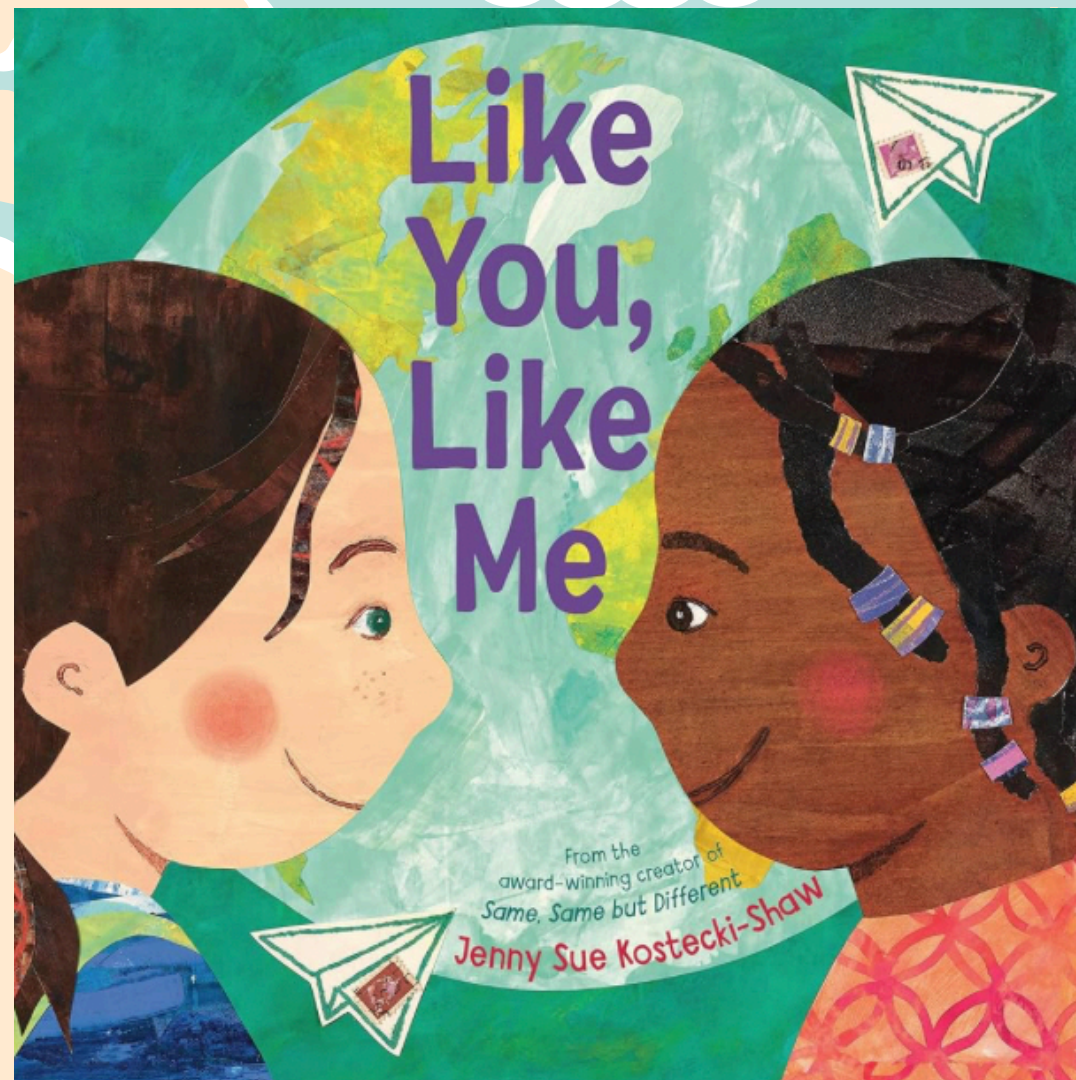




“Around the World Match-up”

LIKE YOU, LIKE ME



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Grade and Colorado Academic Standard:

Grade Level: Kindergarten

Content Area: Social Studies

Colorado Academic Standards Information:

- Standards category: Geography
- Grade level expectation: People live in different places around the world.
- Evidence outcome: Give examples of food, clothing, shelter, and how they change in different environments.

Colorado Academic Standard information retrieved from

<https://www.cde.state.co.us/apps/standards>.

View the full standards at

<https://www.cde.state.co.us/standardsandinstruction/standards>



ACTIVITY OVERVIEW:

WHOLE CLASS ACTIVITY!

Description: The teacher will either project or present a hard copy map of the world. Then, students will match photos of place-based items/concepts to the two main characters (from Like You, Like Me) and where they live on the map. The teacher will explain each item/concept and why they correspond to that character and their culture.





MATERIALS NEEDED:

- Cut-outs of photos of the objects or experiences in each girl's life
- Images of each character
- Velcro dots/tape
- Hard copy map/projected map

Examples of objects or experiences in each girl's life that connect to the book:

- Frangipani flowers
- Feathers
- Seashells picture
- Pine Trees

Link to print out objects/images:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1HZPMp9Fa69H2M66Pu9ra3UsQkKpko-2aK8Q9Uo6R4DQ/edit?usp=sharing>



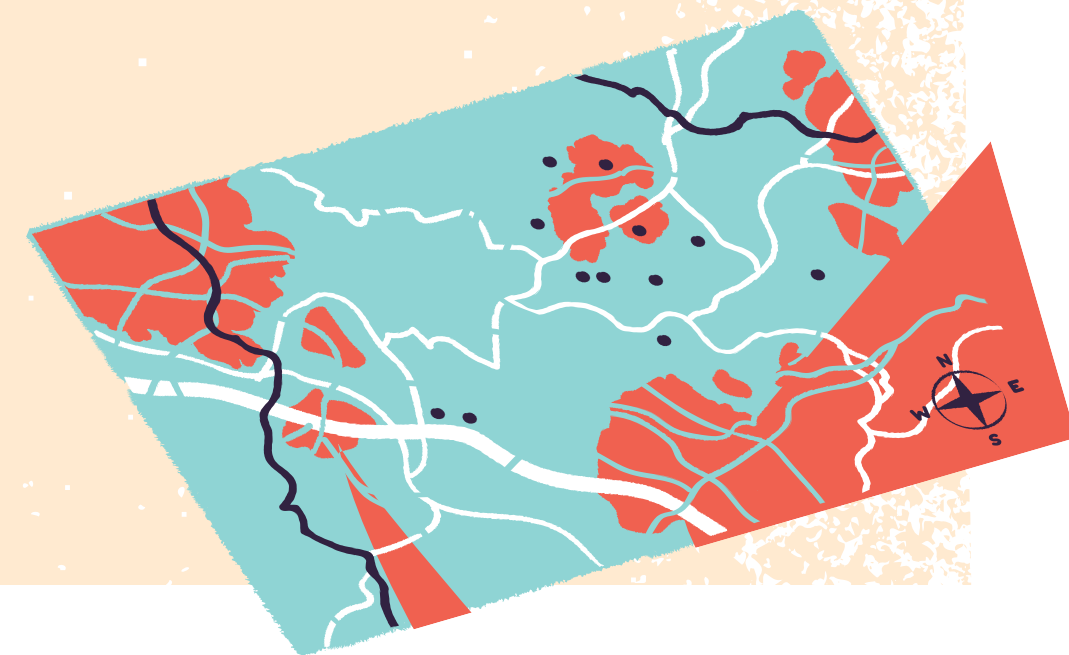
DIRECTIONS (FOR INTRODUCTION):



- Today, we will be learning more about Tulsi and Vanessa from Like You, Like Me.
- We are going to be learning about how people live in different places around the world.
- We will be matching photos to Tulsi and Vanessa on the map.
- Each item represents part of their life.

DIRECTIONS (FOR ACTIVITY):

- Read Like You, Like Me as a class.
- Display world map to students.
- Put pictures of characters next to their corresponding countries.
- Compile the cut out photos of place-based items/concepts and describe them to students.
- Ask students which character it matches with and stick place-based items/concepts next to character.
- Explain why the items match with the character.
- Repeat with other pictures/items.



DIRECTIONS (FOR WRAP UP):

- As you can see, people live all around the world and have different cultures that are special to them and make them who they are.
- Tulsi and Vanessa may live far apart, but they are still connected to each other.



ADDITIONAL SUGGESTIONS

SHOW & TELL

Ask students about their culture/background (Example: Students collect objects around them and bring them to class --> students can share how they relate to them personally.)



ADD A SENSORY COMPONENT

Create another activity based on “sensory” details in the book, and have all the place-based items/concepts such as feathers, seashells, or frangipani flowers. The students can share how each of the objects feels.



We also hope you can join us on
Saturday, November 9 at the
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Jenny Sue Kosteck-Shaw and
hear more about Like You, Like
Me in-person...along with other
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