

Welcome back to BuildAbility with The Cobblestone Collective and Minecraft Education.

This is an exciting time! This BuildAbility world is brand new. You're probably like what's going on. So we're gonna really talk about our co-taught lessons and what co-taught lessons are.

With Cobblestone, this means that someone from our team is going to come virtually into your classroom, very similar to what we're doing, Dan and I right now with this, and we're going to walk you through these lessons. So you don't actually have to do any learning and any facilitating, we will be doing the facilitating allowing you can actually assess and take a look at your students. So Dan, you know, tell them, tell them a little bit more about what we're actually going to do in these co-taught lessons.

We're gonna walk you through how to get started with Minecraft in terms of movements, and getting orientated with the controls. Then we're going to walk you into the actual world itself.

We're going to take you through five different barriers. We're going to learn about those five different accessibility barriers.

After that, we're going to go and look at some of the challenges faced in a few separate areas inside this world. We're going to talk with NPCs (non-player characters) about the different challenges that they face in regard to their disabilities.

There are a lot of these worlds to explore and there are a lot of different characters to explore and interact with, to see those specific kinds of challenges that they face. We will start by exploring a schoolyard and some of the challenges that are faced by students in that environment.

These lessons are about an hour in length. And they're Pause & Play! You come in, you listen to us, you pause anytime to explore and then come back. We also have some questions to interact with the students and we give shoutouts all lesson long. The first lesson is on Global Accessibility Awareness Day on May 19 where everyone is learning together.

Then for lesson #2, we've differentiated for different grades bands. You can click on those links to see where grades 2-4, grades 4-6 and grades 6-8.

Let's have some fun with Cobblestone and the Minecraft Education BuildAbility world. It's going to be an exciting time.

Thank you so much for being here. We have one more video to talk about Educator Guides and the lesson plans that kind of go with this. And you can get started with this right away. We'll see you over on that one.