## YOU BE YOU!: the KID’s GUIDE TO GENDER, SEXUALITY, AND FAMILY



Juvenile

## Book Summary:

Teaches children, ages 5+ (per publisher's notation), about alternate gender
ideologies, sexualities, discrimination, and other topics.

## Summary of Concerns:

This book contains explicit alternate gender ideologies; non-sexual nudity; inexplicit sexual activities; and alternate sexualities.

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## Content

15 The illustration on the bottom of the page depicts a nude man and woman. They are shown in a frontal view. The man's internal reproductive organs are shown. The woman's internal reproductive organs are shown, and her breasts are exposed.
16 The illustration on the bottom of the page depicts three nude individuals in a frontal view. The nude male and female described above are depicted flanking another individual shown with both female and male internal reproductive organs.
See Figure 1.
18 The illustration on the bottom of the page depicts a nude man in a frontal view, holding a shirt on a hanger and a football. His penis and scrotum are depicted inexplicitly. A nude woman is standing next to him in a frontal view. Her right breast is exposed. She is holding high heels in her right hand and a dress in her other hand.
22 So, whether you have a male body, a female body, or an intersex body, you might see yourself as a boy, a girl, or a different gender, like genderqueer or gender non-binary.

The illustration on this page depicts a young man wearing a jacket and long pants, looking at his reflection in a mirror. The reflection shows a woman with long hair, red jacket, and yellow skirt.
23 If your gender identity doesn't match the sex you were assigned at birth, you're called transgender.

The illustration on this page depicts a young woman and a young man sitting down, painting portraits of themselves. The young woman is painting a picture of herself as a man. The young man is painting himself as a woman.
24 And some people don't identify as either boys or girls. Many people who feel this way identify as gender non-binary, genderqueer, gender nonconforming, or genderfluid.

The illustration on the top of the page depicts a young boy holding a male symbol. The image on the top-middle of the page depicts a nude young boy in a frontal view. His genitalia are inexplicitly depicted. The illustration on the top-right side of the page depicts a young girl holding a "male-female combined" symbol.
The illustration on the bottom-left side of the page depicts a young girl holding a female symbol. The illustration on the bottom-middle of the page depicts a nude young girl from a frontal view with her budding breasts exposed. The illustration on the bottom-right side of the page depicts a young boy holding a "male-female combined" symbol.
See Figure 2.
25 The illustration on this page depicts three individuals. The one on the right is holding a "non-binary" symbol. The individual in the middle is holding a "female" symbol. And the individual on the right is holding an "intersex" symbol.

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| 226 | People transition by going to the doctor for special medicine called hormone <br> treatment, and sometimes also for surgery. <br> The illustration on the left side of the page depicts a young woman looking into a <br> mirror. The reflection in the mirror is that of a man with facial hair and a flat <br> chest. |
| 29 | Some asexual people do have romantic emotional relationships, but don't feel <br> interested in physical actions like kissing. |
| 31 | People who are attracted to their own gender are called gay. |
| 33 | People who feel this way are called bisexual or pansexual. |
| 41 | The illustration on this page depicts two men sitting up in bed reading a book to <br> two young girls. |
| 48 | Sometimes transphobic bullying even comes from the police and the government! <br> The illustration on this page depicts a young man standing beside a young man <br> with long hair, t-shirt and skirt. A man, colored red on the left side of them is <br> saying, "IS THAT A BOY OR A GIRL?!" A man, colored red on the right side is <br> saying, "EW! IS THAT A MAN IN A DRESS?!" |
| 49 | ...in some American states there are laws blocking genderqueer, transgender, and <br> intersex people from using the bathroom of the gender they identify with. |
| 51 | ..it's still legal to fire someone from their job or kick them out of their house for <br> being gay, lesbian, bisexual, pansexual, or asexual. Plus, in some schools, teachers <br> can be fired just for saying that it's okay to be gay, and okay to be transgender. |
| 74 | We believe the world can be a kinder place if more of us start learning these <br> social justice ideas as children-... |

These body parts are shaped by the chromosomes you inherit from your parents. Chromosomes are like building guides. They're inside every cell of your body, and they tell your body how to grow. The $X$ and $Y$ chromosomes decide what sex parts you'll have. Most people with $X Y$ chromosomes have male parts, and most people with $X X$ chromosomes have female parts.

But actually, not everyone is born with a body that fits these expectations of male or female. Some people have a mix of male and female parts, like a vagina and testes. Some people with $X Y$ chromosomes have female parts, and some people with $X X$ chromosomes have male parts. Some people also have $X X X$ or $X X Y$ chromosomes.


Figure 1

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Figure 2
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