

# Celebrate World Down Syndrome Day 2023 with Us!

## When is it?

World Down Syndrome Day is coming up on Tuesday, March 21! We will be celebrating this special day across all 3 campuses!

## What can I wear?

- Silly & Colorful Socks
- Providence T-shirt
- If you wear a Providence or WDSO t-shirt you can wear jeans on March 21st too!

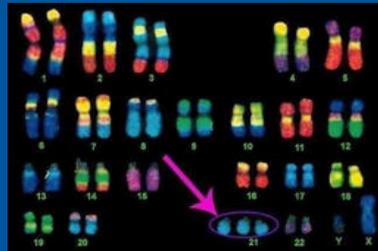


## Why we celebrate

On World Down Syndrome Day, we celebrate that God has created us all in unique and different ways AND in his image.

On World Down Syndrome Day, we celebrate by advocating for the rights, inclusion, and well-being of people with Down syndrome around the world.

## Why do we wear Silly Socks?



The picture above shows chromosomes. They kind of look like socks...right?! This is where the idea of "Rock your Socks" for WDSO comes from.

The circled one is chromosome 21. In the photo, there are three copies of this chromosome. This is Trisomy 21 (also known as Down Syndrome).



We can't wait to celebrate with you!