



# JANELLE FENWICK

## Speech-Language Pathologist Neurodiversity Advocate

I am a passionate speech-language pathologist who specializes in working with neurodivergent individuals. I advocate for building inclusive and supportive spaces for all with a focus on honoring individual differences and treating children with respect. I develop trainings and resources for parents, educators, administrators, and other professionals interested in supporting neurodivergent learners.

## Contact



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## Education

### ● UNC - Chapel Hill

Graduation: May 2010

Master of Science in Speech and  
Hearing Sciences

### ● Bloomsburg University, PA

Graduation: May 2008

Bachelor of Science in Speech  
and Hearing Sciences

## Licensure

- Certificate of Clinical Competence in Speech-Language Pathology (CCC-SLP) - *American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA)*

- North Carolina Speech-Language Pathology License - #9445

## References

Available upon request

## Experience Summary

### ● Express Yourself, NC

Owner/Speech-Language Pathologist

2015 - Present

- Specialize in providing inclusion-based neurodiversity-affirming speech and language support
- Advocate for increased understanding of communication differences and individual needs
- Create neurodiversity-affirming parent and classroom resources
- Develop and lead workshops and trainings for school staff and other professionals
- Provide consultative services to area schools to support increased professional development and consideration when building inclusive spaces
- Organize and lead a book club bringing together neurodiversity affirming SLPs for collaboration and continued study

### ● All Neurotypes

Co-Founder

Jan 2022 - Feb 2023

- Co-founded All Neurotypes, an organization dedicated to celebrating neurodiversity through building supportive spaces and resources
- Designed a low-cost summer camp program with an emphasis on providing an affirming camp environment to children who otherwise would not have access to positive camp experiences
- Designed and delivered training for camp volunteers to ensure they utilized inclusive, strengths-based, and affirming approaches when working with campers

## Presentations

- Presenter, "Neurodiversity and Emotional Regulation: Rethinking how we teach emotions, regulation and problems," at North Carolina Speech-Hearing-Language Association Neurodiversity Summit
- Presenter, "Autistic Communication," at Camp Royall
- Presenter, "Autistic Play is FUNctional," at North Carolina Speech-Hearing-Language Association
- Consultant/Presenter, "Intro to Neurodiversity: Creating Neurodiversity-Affirming School Environments," at Ephesus Elementary
- Consultant/Presenter, "Intro to Neurodiversity" and "Challenging Behaviors' and Emotional Regulation," at Hyde County Public Schools