



Bringing the conversation about inclusion to our city's youth...

Benefits of Participating in ReelEducation **ReelAbilities: Houston Film Festival 2016**

- 1) Exposes students to the lives, stories, and talents of people with disabilities.
- 2) Gives students the opportunity to think about their own perceptions and attitudes towards individuals with disabilities.
- 3) Students learn about what it means to be inclusive of those with disabilities.
- 4) Post-screening discussions will allow students to interact with the filmmaker, protagonist, educators, or individuals with disabilities and have an open dialogue about topics addressed in the film(s).
- 5) Program enables further reflection of how individual classes and an entire school can become more inclusive communities.



How it Works

- 1) Educators review pre-selected films online and select films that they want to share with their school/grade/classroom (password provided by ReelAbilities).
- 2) Educators select dates and times (see available schedule of showings) to bring students to screenings.
- 3) Post-screening discussion facilitators provided by ReelAbilities.





Transportation to and from screenings may be provided by ReelAbilities.

Lunch or snacks for off-site screenings may be provided by ReelAbilities.

ReelEducation: Student Screenings

Dates: Thursday, Feb. 11-Friday, Feb. 12 &
Monday, February 15-Friday, February 19, 2016

Location: in your school or off-site theater.

Cost: none; transportation assistance available upon request.

Programming Options – select your preference:

- One hour film; plus, post-screening discussion with film star.
- Short film (4 min.-30 min.); plus, post-screening discussion with film star
OR alternative activity for students (TBD: adaptive sports wheelchair demonstration, national speaker leading discussion on inclusion and overcoming adversity, etc.)

ReelEducation Screening Availabilities – check all that apply:

Mon., Feb. 15:	<input type="checkbox"/>	9:00 am	<input type="checkbox"/>	1:00 pm
Tues., Feb. 16:	<input type="checkbox"/>	9:00 am	<input type="checkbox"/>	1:00 pm
Wed., Feb. 17:	<input type="checkbox"/>	9:00 am	<input type="checkbox"/>	1:00 pm
Thurs., Feb. 18:	<input type="checkbox"/>	9:00 am	<input type="checkbox"/>	1:00 pm
Fri., Feb. 19:	<input type="checkbox"/>	9:00 am	<input type="checkbox"/>	1:00 pm

Reservation Information – check all that apply:

Grade Level(s): K-2 3-5 6-8 9-12 All-School Assembly

Preference: On-site program at your school Off-site program at movie theatre

What is your school's theatre/auditorium/classroom equipped with?

ReelAbilities



FILM FESTIVAL

HOUSTON

□ DVD player

Key Collaborating Partner



Department of Neighborhoods
Mayor's Office for People with Disabilities

□ Large Screen Projector w/ Audio

Host City Organizer
jfs Alexander Institute for Inclusion

Lead Sponsors

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