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# **Empowering the Next Generation of Inclusivity Champions**

The Rick Hansen Foundation School Program (RHFSP) is inspired by Rick's belief in the power of youth and their ability to change the world. RHFSP raises awareness, challenges perceptions, and changes attitudes, through a variety of lessons and activities, empowering youth to take action on important issues.



# **99% of educators**

report they intend to use RHFSP resources again and recommend them to other educators\* \*2019-2020 end-of-year-survey results

# **Educating Youth at Every Age**

RHFSP toolkits are designed for youth from K-12 and include age-appropriate lessons and activities for every grade level. Free, bilingual, and connected to provincial curriculum, our resources are:

- Ready-to-use
- Developed by educators, for educators
- Grounded in Universal Design for Learning and incorporate Differentiated Instruction Strategies

#### Learn more: RickHansen.com/Schools

### Little Lessons, Big Impact

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic and the new reality of how education is being delivered, RHFSP pivoted quickly by launching Little Big Lessons, a collection of bite-sized activities designed for students participating in home-based learning. These little lessons deliver big impact on the themes of accessibility, inclusion, and diversity.

#### Explore these lessons: RickHansen.com/LittleBigLessons



# Bringing the Man In Motion World Tour to Life

Join Rick Hansen on his historic journey around the world with this online mapping platform. RHFSP partnered with GHM Academy to deliver these interactive activities, which are designed to make learning easy and fun, with geography, math, and weather quizzes based on the epic Man In Motion World Tour. Students can work through activities themselves, or educators can create classrooms and assign activities to their students and review their work within the platform.

#### Available through: RickHansen.com/LittleBigLessons

### **RHF** Ambassadors Add a Face to Disability

RHF Ambassadors are a dynamic group of people with disabilities. Through their inspiring personal stories of overcoming barriers, Ambassadors bring a face to disability, allowing students the opportunity to practice empathy and compassion, and learn to recognize and break down physical barriers to access in order to promote inclusion. For the 2020-2021 school year, RHF Ambassador presentations will be presented virtually.

#### Book your presentation: RickHansen.com/Ambassadors



youth reached via RHF Ambassador presentations in communities across Canada in 2019-2020.

# **Personalized Support for Educators**

RHFSP has a team of dedicated Senior Regional Coordinators available to answer your questions or offer suggestions on how to use materials, book Ambassador presentations, or deliver professional development workshops to your school or district.



For more information on how to adopt Rick Hansen Foundation School Program resources into your schools, please contact: Jacqueline Beaudry, Sr. Regional Coordinator, BC, AB, SK and YT e: jbeaudry@rickhansen.com c: 778-231-8602