



DREAM BIG!

ARTS ENRICHMENT PROGRAM



VIDEO 7

**A Dream Big Read Aloud
A World Together**

By Sonia Manzano

Caregiver Resource Guide

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Program Description

The overall theme of Dream Big: Awesomely You, Cool Together is about celebrating the diversity, perseverance, and uniqueness within all of us, the similarities we all share, and the magnificent potential we have as a group when we are together dreaming big.

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Join Bronx Children’s Museum Program Manager Dejá Santiago as she introduces Sonia Manzano, Bronx native and former *Sesame Street* actor. Sonia will read her newest children’s book, *A World Together* and talk about the power of photography.

Video Link: <https://www.bronxchildrensmuseum.org/db2o-worldtogether>

Age/Grade: 7+ years old; 2nd-3rd Grades

Vocabulary

Photograph	An image taken with a camera
Culture	The beliefs, customs, arts, etc., of a particular group

Tips for Success

- Watch the film on your own before showing it to children; identify any words or images that may require additional information or explanation.
- Stop the video or replay certain moments to allow for questions or comments from the children.

Before You Watch...

- Group Discussion Questions: Choose a few questions from the list below to ask your children. Keeping your questions open-ended will get your children speaking more and allow them to express themselves more than a simple “yes or no” question. Offer your own answer to the question as a way to model conversation!
 - What makes you YOU? How are you different or similar to other kids your age?
 - If you could take a photograph that shows who you are, or that shows your community, what photograph would you take? Why?

After You Watch...

- Want to learn more about Sonia Manzano? Watch [Let’s Meet Sonia Manzano!](#)
- Group Discussion Questions: Select a few questions to ask children about their experiences listening to the read-aloud.

- What was your favorite photograph in *A World Together*? Why?
- What are some similarities between yourself and the children in the book? What are some differences?
- What are your big dreams for the future?
- Pre-order a copy of *A World Together* through your favorite local bookstore. We recommend Boogie Down Books or Bronx Bound Books.

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