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Down Syndrome International (DSi) has officially designated March 21 (21/3) as World Down Syndrome Day (WDSD). This date was chosen to mark the uniqueness of Down Syndrome, caused by trisomy (3) of the 21st chromosome.

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By embracing individuals with Down Syndrome and special abilities, we can create a more accepting and supportive society for everyone. So, let's together create a single voice advocating for the rights, #inclusion and well being of the people with Down syndrome in everyday activities with the aim of improving their position in society. #WithUsNotForUs



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World Down Syndrome Day is celebrated on 21st March (21/3), representing 3 copies of the 21st chromosome present in those who have the condition.

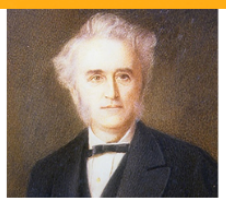


There are more than 4 million people affected with Down Syndrome worldwide.

Down Syndrome occurs naturally 1 in every 800 births, evenly among boys and girls.

People with Down's syndrome are not 'victims', 'afflicted' or 'suffering'.

Down syndrome was named after the English doctor, John Langdon Down, who was the first to categorize the common features of people with this condition in 1862.



THIS DOWN SYNDROME DAY
GET YOUR
'LOTS OF SOCKS'
ON



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