



# Hi! I'm Jessica

I am nearly 8 years old and I need a very special family.

Could it be you?



Jessica has been with her foster carers for 3 years. She has been diagnosed as being on the autistic spectrum and attends a school for children with special needs. Her verbal communication is limited but, with the support from her carers and the school, Jessica is making steady progress.

Jessica has a very good appetite and especially enjoys lunch times. At school, she has a packed lunch and sits at the table to eat, without support. Crisps, yoghurt and raisins are some of her favourite foods. Jessica tends not to sit and eat meals with people she is not familiar with.

Jessica is very good on the computer and especially loves watching CBeebies .



Jessica loves books..... and the playground!



Jessica loves adult attention. She is an affectionate child with a funny sense of humour.



Jessica has grown attached to her foster carers and will require patience and empathy during the move to her new family. Introductions need to be planned with sufficient time for Jessica to get used to her new family. She does not adjust too well when her routines are disturbed.



## Are you the right family?

We would consider any family who can give Jessica the understanding and care that she needs. Financial support could be available. Would you like to know more about Jessica? If the answer is 'yes' or even 'maybe' please ring Christabel on 020 7520 2881.

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