## The Littlest Dragon – Reading Guide

Author: Susan Quinn Illustrator: Ag Jatkowska Themes: self-esteem, confidence, friendship, individuality, cooperation, interdependence

Lesson/Notes: Everyone is made differently and given unique talents and gifts.

## **Discussion Questions**

- Was the Littlest Dragon a real dragon? (Yes, he was just different from the others.)
- At the beginning, how did the Littlest Dragon feel about being different?
- How was Little Bird a good friend?
- How did the Littlest Dragon help the others?
- Did the Littlest Dragon become big and strong like the others? (No)
- Was he still able to help them? (Yes)

## **Activity: Super Strengths**

Supplies: construction paper, markers

- Help child identify his/her own strengths (skills, positive character traits).
- Encourage child to draw him/herself as "Super (child's name)" and write child's "super powers" (strengths) around the drawing.

