
Community Corner

Thank you to everyone who submitted ideas, artwork and poems to share with us! Our first community corner piece is a poem submitted by Jen Streisand:

The Alphabet in Braille

The alphabet in Braille is keen on my mind, as my fingers wind from page to page.

Tactile reading — well, just the idea is divine.

The activity is good exercise for my mind, but gives my eyes a welcome rest, like a siesta.

Some letters stand tall, like the “L,” while other letters, like the “S,” dance with their squiggly shapes.

Single letters are easier to master than those that come in pairs, or groups of three or four:

The dynamic of one is always simpler than the group.

**I don’t know how far the road will take me, but I like the route.
Yes, I like the route.**

Jen is currently learning braille with Hadley, finding it “both challenging and enjoyable.” Thank you, Jen, for sharing!

If you would like to share with your Hadley community, please email your submission to joan@hadley.edu or call 847.784.2751.

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