



Penguin Power

Grades K-2

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Demonstrating similarities among children of different races
using animal fantasy.

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Cast of Characters

- : Black & White Penguins A
(2-10)
- : Black & White penguins B
(2-10)
- : Purple Penguins (1-5)

*(scene opens with black and white penguins
lounging in the sun. Group A downstage R, Group B
is downstage L. In 30 seconds a group of purple
penguins enters from upstage L and proceeds to
center stage)*

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS A

Look, purple penguins!

(they point as they say lines)

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS B

Why are you purple?

PURPLE PENGUIN

What's wrong with purple?

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS A

Well nothing is wrong with purple, for a hat.

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS B

Or sunglasses, or a shirt.

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS A

How did you get purple anyway?

PURPLE PENGUIN

We were born purple. It's just a color.

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS A

Can you swim?

PURPLE PENGUIN

Of course we can!

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS B

Do you like to eat fish?

PURPLE PENGUIN

Of course we do!

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS A

Do you like to work and play together in a big group?

PURPLE PENGUIN

Yes!

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BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS B

Well you are just like our community. Come on and do some penguin stuff with us.

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS A

I still don't understand why they are purple.

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS B

My grandmother told me that everything in the world isn't black and white. Sometimes we need to think differently about things. Maybe this is a lesson for us to think outside of the box.

BLACK & WHITE PENGUINS A

Okay, how's this for outside the box? Let's dance penguins!

Scene ends with all penguins dancing together

OPTION: All students point to audience and say

"Remember to think outside of the box! If we can do it, you can do it!"