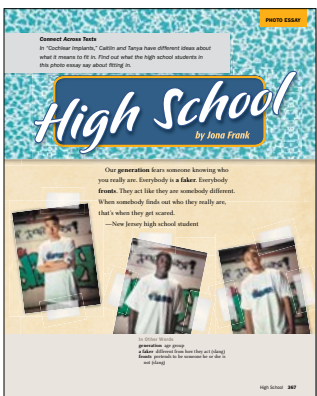


## Cochlear Implants: Two Sides of the Story

**Genre:** Persuasive Essays

The selection explains what cochlear implants are and how they work. It explains how cochlear implants can change the life of deaf people. Readers learn the views of a person who loves the ways cochlear implants change her life, and of another who believes her deafness is a gift that does not need to be changed.



## High School

**Genre:** Photo Essay

This photo essay portrays three high school students: Lydia, Roberto, and Chris. Each one has a different viewpoint about what it means to fit in. The essay includes their ideas about this topic along with a photograph of each.