

# BLIND/VISION IMPAIRED

to be  
like me

## INTRODUCTION



Click on the photo to meet Blake. He will tell you about what it's like to be blind.



Click on this video of Blake to find out how you can be a sighted guide for someone who is blind.

## Definition and Description

### What does it mean to be blind?

People with 20/200 vision are considered to be legally blind. Only 15% of blind people are considered completely blind (unable to see light/dark.)

### How do people become blind?

While some people are born blind, most vision problems occur after an illness or as eyes age.

80% of vision problems can be cured with appropriate medical care and eye exams.