

Reading

- 1** Read the text and then match the sentence halves.

What are human rights and children's rights?

- The Universal Declaration of Human Rights sets out the rights of every global citizen, such as the right to a free education, the right to healthcare and the right to be protected against being kept as a slave.
- The Convention on the Rights of the Child sets out the rights of every child in the world, such as the right to be protected against the effects of war and the right to live with a family who cares for you.

What are the responsibilities of a global citizen?

- A global citizen is someone who accepts the responsibilities set down by the United Nations.
- A global citizen cares about other people and treats them with respect, whether those people live in our own neighbourhood or on the other side of the world.
- A global citizen faces challenges at home, at school, in their home country and in the larger world: local, national and world issues, poverty, discrimination, access to clean water, access to education and world peace.
- A global citizen works together with other global citizens to find solutions to these challenges.

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| 1 A global citizen accepts ... | a ... about others. |
| 2 A global citizen faces ... | b ... a list of rules that includes the right to a free education. |
| 3 Global citizens care ... | c ... the United Nations' responsibilities. |
| 4 Global challenges include ... | d ... the Convention on the Rights of the Child. |
| 5 The Universal Declaration of Human Rights is ... | e ... many different challenges. |
| 6 Rights for children are written in ... | f ... access to clean water. |