

UN Convention on the Rights of the Child: Read and Match

No discrimination
Identity, name and nationality
Respect for children's view
Access to information
Protection from violence
Food, clothing and a safe home
Access to education
Rest, play, leisure, culture arts
Protection from exploitation
Everyone must know children's rights

Children have the right to give their opinion, and for adults to listen and take it seriously.

Governments must make sure that children are properly cared for and protect them from violence, abuse and neglect by anyone who looks after them.

All children have all these rights, no matter who they are, where they live, what their parents do, what language they speak, what their religion or culture is, whether they are a boy or girl, whether they have a disability, whether they are rich or poor. No child should be treated unfairly.

Children have the right to receive information that is important to their wellbeing. Adults should make sure the information they are getting is not harmful, and help them find and understand the information they need.

Children have the right to a name, and this should be officially recognized by the government. They have the right to a nationality. Children have the right to an identity – an official record of who they are.

Children should be encouraged to go to school to the highest level possible. Children's education should help them use and develop their talents and help them learn to respect other people's rights, live peacefully and protect the environment.

Children have the right to protection from work that harms them, and is bad for their health and education. Children have the right to protection from any kind of exploitation.

Children have the right to have their basic physical and mental needs met (food, clothing, a safe place to live). The government should help families and children who cannot afford this.

Children have the right to know their rights. Adults should know about these rights and help children learn about them.

Children have the right to play, rest and relax and to take part in cultural and artistic activities.