

M12 Exercise “Children rights”

The teacher asks students to read the following list about children rights and to explain which conditions are necessary in enforcing them (e.g. the right to receive an education implies the need for a family to bring you up and a school near home; the right to food implies having access to food).

In order to spark discussion, the teacher asks students the following questions: To what extent do you think the rights on the list are respected in your particular case? To what extent do you think those rights are present at school? In the rest of the country? In the rest of the world?

1. Right to express yourself and for adults to take what you say seriously (art.12)
2. The rights and duties of the parents and, when applicable, legal guardians, to provide direction to the child in the exercise of his or her right in a manner consistent with the evolving capacities of the child (art.14)
3. Right to choose your friends (art.15)
4. Right to be protected from all kinds of violence (art.19)
5. Right to a clean environment (art.24)
6. Right of every child to a standard of living adequate for the child’s physical, mental, spiritual, moral and social development (art.27)
7. In those states in which ethnic, religious or linguistic minorities or persons of indigenous origin exist, a child belonging to such a minority or who is indigenous shall not be denied the right, in community with other members of his or her group, to enjoy his or her own culture, to profess and practice his or her own religion, or to use his or her own language. (art.30)



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