













*"I can change the world by working with others to respect the rights of all children."*



Every child under eighteen years of age is entitled to the rights in the 1989 United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child.

Every child has the right to clean drinking water close to home.

Every child has the right to enough nourishing food to eat so that they can grow and thrive.

Every child has the right to a home that is safe and comfortable.

Every child has a right to obtain the highest level of health in order to lead a full and active life.

Education is the right of every child. Education should help children develop their spirituality, talents and abilities. It should also teach them to respect themselves, other people and nature.

Every child has a right to have time and somewhere safe to play. All children should be allowed to have privacy if they want to spend some time on their own.

Every child has a right to have someone to love and care for them.



Every child has a right to be protected from work that is harmful or exploitive.

Children with special needs have a right to participate fully in life with dignity.

Every child has the right to be protected from the fighting and destruction of war, and live a life of peace.

Every child has the right to an identity including a name, nationality, ethnicity, and spiritual practice.

Every child has the right to freedom of expression.

A good life lived to its full potential is the right of every child.

Every child has the right to stand together with others as agents of change in the pursuit of love and justice for all life.

*"I can stand together with other children to change the world so that all children can have the opportunity to reach their full potential. This is the way to a better future."*



"I have rights. I share these rights with all children. We stand together."

"I used to get water from the stream twice a day. The buckets were heavy and my shoulders always hurt. Now I am happy because my village has a well."

"The other day I planted many different vegetables in our garden. In a few weeks I will be able to enjoy eating the healthy food I am growing."

"My mother, my sisters and I sleep in the family hut. The men in the family sleep in an open hut where they can keep an eye on the cattle."

"Last week I went to the doctor because I had an awful cough.

She gave me some medicine that made me feel so much better. Now I can sleep at night."

"The other day I learned that all children around the world have rights, and that most countries have agreed to respect these rights. I look forward to learning more."

"You can play by making something and then you can enjoy playing with the thing you made.

There are also many fun games to play when there are lots of children to play with."

"When I feel hurt or scared I find safety in my family; they comfort and protect me."



"My hands and body used to ache after days of work making carpets. I never understood why I had to do this work. Now things are different, and I get to go to school instead."

"Physically challenged children can participate and excel in many sports. The very best disabled athletes might even compete in the world-class Paralympic Games."

"I lost three years of school because of the fighting. Now I am ten years old and I can walk peacefully to school without being scared."

"My parents chose the name Eitan for me because it means 'strong, vigorous, and well rooted'. I like this name because it makes me feel unique."

*"I can express myself through art, music or dance. I can also use words to speak out about the things that I care about or that affect me."*

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PREVIEW

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Child Quote Cards



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