

UNCRC Rights Respecting School

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MAKING RIGHTS REAL

Articles of the Month

Making Rights Happen - Articles 1, 4, and 41 are linked together. These rights ensure that all children are given the support they need to develop and reach their potential and are protected from harm. Governments across the world have signed up to the CRC and have promised to make the rights within the CRC a reality for children in their country and a number of articles specifically mention what governments must do to make rights

happen.



BEST LAW FOR CHILDREN APPLIES

Looking Ahead...

This month the RRS ambassadors will decide on a winner of the whole school competition to find a mascot for Rights Respecting Schools. Watch this space!

They will also be designing lanyards for the ambassadors to be easily identifiable throughout the school

The will continue to raise awareness of Rights across the school and link the articles to our school Vision, Values and Aims.

Last Month's Learning...

Linked to our Article of the Month, article 23 , the Primary 7s decided to recite the poem "Mine" by Koli Kohli at the end of term service. You can read more about Koli's life here. https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/stori es-53749629



Mine

I have a dream; please don't influence it, It belongs to me. I have a delicate heart; please don't break it, It belongs to me. I have peace of mind; please don't disturb it, It belongs to me. I have to follow a path; please don't obstruct it, It belongs to me. I have an amazing life; please let me live it, It belongs to me. I have a choice; please don't choose for me, It belongs to me.

I have freedom; please don't capture me, It belongs to me. I have incredible feelings; please don't hurt me, They belong to me. I have a lot of love; please don't hate me, Love is mine to share. I'm on my material journey; don't follow me It won't be fair. So... I have a dream; it's my dream to be **free.**