

UN Convention on the Rights of the Child

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Information Sheet

This double-sided information sheet.

UNCRC Symbol Cards

A set of A4 cards with one of the articles and its corresponding symbol on each card.

On the back of each card is a text description of the article. This can be used as a reminder for the facilitator, or as a tool for children and young people to develop their literacy skills.

An additional set of cards, each with one of the four themes of the UNCRC: Survival, Development, Participation and Protection.

Poster

A poster of the four themes of the UNCRC: Survival, Development, Participation and Protection.



www.cypcs.org.uk



www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk



www.childcomwales.org.uk

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About Symbols

Symbols are images which are used to support text, making the meaning clearer and easier to understand. They provide a visual representation of a concept. Symbol Sets are comprehensive collections of images that give greater support than clip art or icons. Symbol Sets often follow a schematic structure, or set of design 'rules', that help the reader independently grow their own vocabulary.



Symbols can provide support in many ways...

Independence and participation

Symbols aid understanding which can increase involvement, choice and confidence.

Creativity and self-expression

Writing letters, stories and expressing opinions.

Communication

Symbol communication books and devices can help people make choices and express themselves.

Literacy and learning

Symbols can support the curriculum for children that struggle with text.

Access to information

All of us need accessible information and this should be presented in such a way that the reader can understand and use.

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