**Guidance for training**

**Context -** The Children’s Commissioner for Wales’ Office has worked with teachers in the EAS consortia area to pilot training sessions around the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) and the role of Children’s Commissioner for Wales, which they can cascade to staff.

**Why deliver this training?** A Children’s Rights Approach to education will safeguard the long-term needs of children and young people and will develop healthy and confident individuals who can learn and thrive. Implementing this approach also provides meaningful opportunities for children and young people to participate as ethical, informed citizens in their communities.

**Who is it aimed at?** This training is designed for primary and secondary teachers to peer lead in staff twilight/training sessions and is based on a presentation with links to resources and videos. This includes practical activities, examples from other schools and time to reflect on links to the Four Purposes and Areas of Learning.

**How long does it take?** It has been designed as two one-hour sessions, which can be delivered separately or put together to be one two-hour session.

**What do you need?** Access to Powerpoint and audio, time to download linked resources and to prepare any resources. Based on feedback from our pilot it was suggested that senior management endorse this training so that it is supported as a whole school approach.

See our [Top Tips](https://www.childcomwales.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/TopTips_English.pdf) and [resources](https://www.childcomwales.org.uk/resources/) to help embed the UNCRC across the school.