



## Rights Respecting Schools Newsletter

Spring 2018

The Unicef 12 Rights Respecting Children's Committee would like to share with you some of the highlights of our rights linked learning and activities this term.

Sports Relief

*Article 24*

*Article 31*

Along with many other schools up and down the country we had a "Wear your sports kit" day and held a whole school football tournament to help fund sporting activities in the UK and across the world to help children to become happier, healthier and more confident. We raised £220 which has been sent to Sports Relief!



Fairtrade Fortnight

*Article 28*

*Article 32*

Over Fairtrade Fortnight we learnt how Fairtrade works and how it has a positive impact on people's lives including enabling children being able to attend school.

We were shocked to learn that of a non Fairtrade banana costing 30p, only 3p goes to the people who work hard growing and harvesting the fruit. At the end of the fortnight we had a delicious Fairtrade breakfast in each class. Many children made brownies, rocky roads and biscuits with Fairtrade produce. Please take a look at our learning display when you next come into school!



### Muslim ( Year 3) Hindu (Year 4) and workshops

Year 3 and 4 children took part in religious themed work. **Article 14** Parents came in and shared their beliefs through stories and music. Year 3 learnt about the Islamic faith through a story and Year 4 ended the day dressing up to re-enact a Hindu wedding

### Safer Internet Week 2018

**Article 16**

**Article 19**

The focus this year was to use the internet positively. Children learnt that they have to take responsibility for what they say and post on social media and how easy it is for pictures and words to be misinterpreted and cause upset to others. We discussed what was and was not acceptable and how bad choices on social media can cause difficult issues. The school will be offering Internet Safety workshops for parents to help support their children on social media in the summer term.

### Red Hand Campaign

**Article 38**

Year 6 children contributed to the “Red Hand Campaign” which promotes awareness regarding children being recruited to fight and take on roles in wars and conflict.

Following a whole school assembly introducing the campaign, Year 6 joined the appeal targeted at world leaders and created their own Red Hand slogans to send to the campaign.

For further information see:

<https://www.unicef.org.uk/rights-respecting-schools/>

<https://www.child-soldiers.org/red-hand-day-campaign>

***Unicef 12 wish you all a Happy Easter!***

