

Lesson Plan

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Human Rights and diplomacy

Activity One

In pairs discuss how it feels to be in a country where you do not speak the native language. Make notes about your feelings, share and compare with others in the class.

Activity Two

Imagine what it would be like to live in a war zone, design a shelter.

Discuss with your class why people become refugees, and their daily needs in that situation?

Activity Three

As a group think about the list of 30 Human Rights and give an example of a right that might be important to you with a brief explanation why.

Activity Four

As a group complete a vocabulary list. The words should be suitable for a poster design on Human Rights

Examples are: Dignity, Education, Equality, Food, Freedom, Home, and Religion

Activity Five

Prepare a short speech telling everyone about Human Rights Day on 10 December.

Think carefully about the vocabulary you use and the message you want to send.

If you prefer you can draw a picture of the rights and freedoms that are important to you.

Power point Example

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Let's discuss...

- Human Rights
- The organisation The United Nations statement The Universal Declaration of Human Rights is a global marker of how people should be treated. Formed with 30 rights including statements about unfair detainment and the right to a bed and food, it's an inspiration to us to become a valuable advocate for tolerance and peace. Get to know your Human Rights and take responsibility to protect ourselves and our peers.
- Complete Activity One

Let's discuss....

- Diplomacy
- Diplomacy is defined as the skill for dealing with people effectively in a positive way including foreign relations with other countries. When you negotiate or broker a deal between two parties who are angry this is an example of a time where you have shown diplomacy.
- The United Nations with its headquarters in New York is the largest diplomatic organisation.
- Complete Activity Two.

Let's think...

- Rules and laws help keep the balance between our rights and the rights of others, think about what might be in the list of Human Rights. For example Privacy and Freedom.
- Complete Activity Three.
- Complete Activity Four