## **Children's Rights**

How to implement children's rights.

We are a certified Unicef Children's Rights School - what does that implicate??



### Why become a Unicef Children's Rights school?

- We want happy children and teachers, who thrive at the school
- UNICEF offers a free concept with materiales, inspirations and a strong network.
- The children learn and work with Children's Rights
- Working with this concept we gain a common language of talking about fx. empathy and bullying.

# Visability - how can you see that we are a Children's Rights school

- We work with Children's Rights in all of the classes.
- Every year, all classes create a new class charter.
- On the basis of studies, the Rights Council prepares concrete proposals for change.

AT A RIGHTS SCHOOL, ALL STUDENTS GET KNOWLEDGE OF THEIR RIGHTS, AND THESE ARE FULFILLED IN ALL RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN THE CHILDREN THEMSELVES AND WITH ALL THE SCHOOL ADULTS.

## The four steps....

#### Knowledge

All children and adults know the Convention Know what they mean in our everyday lives Has knowledge of children around the world Has knowledge of the UN's world goals

#### Learning

We use our knowledge of rights We research at our own school and take part in an annual action plan. We use the articles to promote well-being in the school's communities.



#### Student involvement

Children and adults collaborate on how we can constantly strengthen and improve our student involvement. We secure involvement so that children experience that

they are listened to.

#### Leadership

The board and management support the project. The Rights Council is leading the entire project. All classes and teachers take responsibility and

leadership so that change succeeds

#### The six steps

Step 1: Knowledge Everyone at the school has Step 1 knowledge about Children's Kowledge Rights **Step 2: Leadership** Step 2 The council is assembled. Leader ship Step 3: Surveys Knowledge -Baseline, safety survey and Student involvement availability survey. Learning - Leadership Step 5 Step 3 Initia-Survey tion

**Step 4: The plan of action** The council conducts a plan based on the different surveys

**Step 5: The plan is initiated** The council continuously inform the rest of the school.

Trin 6: Evaluation The three surveys are repeated, and the council evaluated together with Unicef.  $\oslash$ 

The Rights Council is the steering group and works with the six steps.

Collaborates with student councils and all the school's children

Conducts surveys and an annual action plan.

The Coordinator of the Rights Council is a liaison to UNICEF.

#### Class Charter -

All classes make common goals for how the children behave and are around each other in the class.

The children choose some articles that they think are most important for their class.

The class work with how they want to fulfill each other's rights.

The charter is constantly changing in collaboration with the class teachers.



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