

# ***CHILDREN'S RIGHTS***

World Children's Rights Day is celebrated on November 20 each year. The date chosen coincides with the day on which the UN General Assembly adopted the Declaration of the Rights of the Child, in 1959, and the Convention on the Rights of the Child, in 1989.



# ***THE 10 FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS OF CHILDREN***

## **1. CHILDREN'S RIGHT TO PLAY**

**All children have the right to play and have fun.**

## **2. CHILDREN'S RIGHT TO FOOD**

**All children have the right to food and adequate nutrition.**

## **3. CHILDREN'S RIGHT TO HAVE A HOME**

**All children have the right to have a home, where they can protect themselves from the cold and where they can live with their family. In addition to being a protected place, it must be a home where the child can live with understanding, tolerance, friendship, love and protection.**

## **4. CHILDREN'S RIGHT TO HEALTH**

**It is one of the fundamental rights that every child should have access to. The right to health is a compendium of physical, mental and social well-being, and even more so in children, who are more vulnerable to disease.**

## **5. CHILDREN'S RIGHT TO EDUCATION**

**All children have the right to education, regardless of gender, religion, nationality and any other condition. The state must do everything possible to ensure children's access to education.**

## **6. THE RIGHT TO LIFE OF CHILDREN AND TO HAVE A FAMILY**

**The child, for the full the development of his personality, needs love and understanding. Growing up under the responsibility of their parents and in an atmosphere of affection and moral and material security.**

## **7. RIGHT TO HAVE A NATIONALITY**

**From birth, the child has the right to have a name and a surname. All children must be registered immediately after their birth, has parents are required to inform the baby's name, surname and date of birth.**

## **8. CHILDREN'S RIGHT TO EQUALITY**

**The right of children to equality, without distinction of race, religion or nationality. This is to ensure that all children are treated equally, regardless of their origin and whether they are in the country they are in, or have any skin color.**

## 9. CHILDREN'S RIGHT TO EXPRESS THEIR OPINION

The Convention on the Rights of the Child recognizes in Articles 12 and 13 the right of children to express their opinion and their freedom of expression. Because children should express opinions freely just like adults.

## 10. CHILDREN'S RIGHT NOT TO WORK

The child must be protected from all forms of neglect, cruelty and exploitation. He will not be subject to any type of trafficking and the child should not be allowed to work before an appropriate minimum age.



**i 10 diritti dei bambini**

# ***THE RIGHTS OF CHILDREN IN ITALY AND IN THE WORLD: THE THREAT OF COVID-19***

**The COVID-19 pandemic is having a huge impact on the rights of children around the world. Without borders, the virus is undermining the future of children by putting in difficulty those families who are already struggling to survive. The forecasts are alarming, the total number of children living below the poverty line could exceed 700 million. Many families have in fact suffered the economic effects of the pandemic and therefore cannot afford the most basic things such as food, water and care. Beyond this, access to education is increasingly overshadowed by denying one of the rights of children. Poverty is also increasing in Italy and the lack of adequate education opportunities threatens the very foundations of our country. Even before COVID, there were over one million children in absolute poverty.**



# ***THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AND THE SDGS***

**Protecting the rights of everyone, even the smallest, is the only way to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), among which, however, we find two objectives (3 and 4) focused precisely on the it to health and education for children and young people. It is essential to spread a culture of protection and to involve children from an early age.**

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**4** ISTRUZIONE  
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