

Let's Get it Right for Children and Young People in Wales



A challenge for your pupils!

Win a laptop computer
or a mini-camcorder



Twenty years ago the world's nations signed the **United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC)** to improve the lives of children and young people everywhere.

Since then many things have improved, but there is still much more work to do to get things right.

To mark this 20th anniversary, the Welsh Assembly Government has launched an action plan – based on the UNCRC – to make further progress towards its goals.

That includes:

- Getting rid of child poverty
- Improving children and young people's learning achievements
- Ensuring they have healthy lives and can play regularly and in safety
- Allowing them to express their views
- Stopping unfair treatment and all forms of bullying
- Protecting children and young people who are refugees
- Helping children and young people in deprived areas



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Young Wales

To launch the Action Plan, we're inviting children and young people in Wales to put forward ideas for making any of these proposals a reality.

We want to know what your pupils think could be done to make life easier, safer and more enjoyable for children and young people in Wales over the next 20 years.

We're looking for **ideas** expressed in:

- A drawing or painting with a caption
- A poem of two verses
- A photo or photo collage with a caption

The best entry in each of Wales' four regions will win a Flip Digital Camcorder. And the best of these four will win a laptop computer for their school. Our judging panel will include young people.

It doesn't matter what format the children choose for their entry. What's important is the idea and how well it's presented.

When children have completed their entries the school should send them to **Let's Get it Right, c/o Working Word PR, 9th Floor South Gate House, Wood Street, Cardiff CF10 1EW**, accompanied by the tear off form provided. Alternatively you can scan entries and email them to info@workingwordpr.com

The closing date is Friday 15th January 2010 with results in February 2010 and prizes presented in March 2010.

Winning entries will be posted on the website www.uncrcletsgetitright.co.uk
(Please visit this website for competition rules)

For more information on the UNCRC visit www.unicef.org/crc



Entry form

Let's get it Right for Children and Young People in Wales

Name of pupil entering: _____ Date of birth: _____

Name and Address of School: _____

Name of teacher contact: _____

Telephone number of teacher: _____

E-mail address of teacher: _____

Description of entry: **Poem** **Picture** **Montage** *(please circle as appropriate)*

I have read and understood the rules of the competition *(tick box)*

Signature of teacher: _____

Print name: _____