

World Day Against Child Labour

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Education plays a major role in providing children with life skills and future job opportunities. Children who are in school are less likely to fall victims of child labour. ILO

Resources

Key Documents

- Declaration of the Rights of the Child ([http://undocs.org/A/RES/1386%20\(XIV\)](http://undocs.org/A/RES/1386%20(XIV))) (A/RES/1386 (XIV), 20 November 1959)
- Convention on the Rights of the Child (<https://documents-dds-ny.un.org/doc/RESOLUTION/GEN/NR0/547/84/img/NR054784.pdf?OpenElement>)
 - Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography (CRC-OPSC) (<http://www.ohchr.org/Documents/ProfessionalInterest/crc-sale.pdf>)
 - Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the involvement of children in armed conflict (CRC-OPAC) (<http://www.ohchr.org/Documents/ProfessionalInterest/crc-conflict.pdf>)
- ILO Convention No. 138 on the minimum age for admission to employment (http://www.ilo.org/dyn/normlex/en/f?p=1000:12100:0::NO::P12100_ILO_CODE:C138) (1973)
 - Recommendation No.146 (http://www.ilo.org/dyn/normlex/en/f?p=NORMLEXPUB:12100:0::NO:12100:P12100_INSTRUMENT_ID:312484:NO)
- ILO Convention No. 182 concerning the prohibition and immediate action for the elimination of the worst forms of child Labour (http://www.ilo.org/dyn/normlex/en/f?p=NORMLEXPUB:12100:0::NO::P12100_ILO_CODE:C182) (1999)
 - Recommendation No.190 (http://www.ilo.org/dyn/normlex/en/f?p=NORMLEXPUB:12100:0::NO:12100:P12100_INSTRUMENT_ID:312528:NO)
- ILO Convention No. 189 concerning decent work for domestic workers (http://www.ilo.org/dyn/normlex/en/f?p=1000:12100:0::NO::P12100_ILO_CODE:C189) (2011)
 - Recommendation No.201 (http://www.ilo.org/dyn/normlex/en/f?p=NORMLEXPUB:12100:0::NO:12100:P12100_INSTRUMENT_ID:2551502:NO)
- A World Fit for Children (<http://undocs.org/A/RES/S-27/2>) (A/RES/S-27/2, 10 May 2002)

Other Documents

- United Nations World Youth Report (<https://www.un.org/development/desa/youth/world-youth-report.html>)
- Secretary-General's Reports (https://digitalibrary.un.org/search?In=en&p=245%3A%22child+labour%22+Secretary-General&f=action_search=Search&rm=&In=en&sf=year&so=d&rg=50&c=United+Nations+Digital+Library+System&of=hb&fti=0&ftc_1=Reports&fti=0&ftc_1=Reports)
- General Assembly Documents (https://digitalibrary.un.org/search?In=en&p=child+labour&f=rm=&In=en&sf=year&so=d&rg=50&c=United+Nations+Digital+Library+System&of=hb&fti=0&ftc_1=Documents+and+Publications&ftc_2=General+Assembly&fti=0&ftc_1=Documents+and+Publications&In=en&cc=Resource+Type&p=child+labour&f=action_search=Search&c=Documents+and+Publications&c=Maps)
- All Documents related to the subject (https://digitalibrary.un.org/search?In=en&cc=Resource+Type&p=child+labour&f=action_search=Search&c=Documents+and+Publications&c=Maps)

United Nations System

- International Labour Organization (ILO)
 - 100 years of ILO action to tackle child labour" (https://www.ilo.org/wcmsp5/groups/public/@ed_norm/@ipecc/documents/presentation/wcms_689974.pdf)
 - National child labour survey reports (<https://www.ilo.org/topics/child-labour#publications>)
 - eLearning tools on child labour (<https://www.ilo.org/ipecc/informationresources/elearning/lang-en/index.htm>)
 - Child labour and educational disadvantage - A review by UN Special Envoy on Global Education, Gordon Brown (http://educationenvoy.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/10/child_labour_and_education_UK.pdf)
 - Child labour and education: progress, challenges and future directions (http://www.ilo.org/ipecc/informationresources/WCMS_IPEC_PUB_26435/lang-en/index.htm)
 - IV Global Conference on the Sustained Eradication of Child Labour (Buenos Aires, November 2017) (<https://www.ilo.org/ipecc/Campaignandadvocacy/BuenosAiresConference/lang-en/index.htm>)
 - The Hague Global Child Labour Conference (May 2010) (<http://www.ilo.org/ipecc/Campaignandadvocacy/GlobalChildLabourConference/lang-en/index.htm>)
 - International Programme on the Elimination of Child Labour (IPEC) (<http://www.ilo.org/ipecc/programme/lang-en/index.htm>)
 - Child labour standards (<https://www.ilo.org/topics/child-labour#ils>)
 - Youth employment (<http://www.ilo.org/global/topics/youth-employment/lang-en/index.htm>)
 - Tackling Child Labour: From commitment to action (<http://www.ilo.org/ipeccinfo/product/download.do?type=document&id=20136>)
- United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)
 - Data: Child Labour (<https://data.unicef.org/topic/child-protection/child-labour/>)
- United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)
 - Education transforms lives (<https://www.unesco.org/en/education>)
- Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)
 - Child Labour in Agriculture (<http://www.fao.org/childlabouragriculture/en/>)

Campaign Material for the 2024 Observance



(<https://trello.com/b/29v5IL96/world-day-against-child-labour-2023>)

Download Campaign Materials (<https://trello.com/b/Tv7nvWwq/world-day-against-child-labour-2024>).

Related Observances

- International Year for the Elimination of Child Labour (2021-2022) (<https://endchildlabour2021.org/>)
- International Year of Youth (2010-2011) (<https://social.un.org/youthyear/>)
- World Day of Social Justice (20 February) (<https://www.un.org/en/observances/social-justice-day/>)
- International Day of Families (15 May) (<https://www.un.org/en/observances/international-day-of-families/>)
- International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression (4 June) (<https://www.un.org/en/observances/child-victim-day/>)
- International Youth Day (12 August) (<https://www.un.org/en/observances/youth-day/>)
- International Day for the Eradication of Poverty (17 October) (<https://www.un.org/en/observances/day-for-eradicating-poverty/>)
- World Children's Day (20 November) (<https://www.un.org/en/observances/world-childrens-day/>)

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