

# **“Declaration of the Right of the Child”**

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## **COMPREHENSION**

1. List what is protected for children in this document.
2. Who is most responsible for the welfare of children?
3. List the rights guaranteed to all children in this document.
4. Why did the U.N. decide children needed this protection?
5. Is it a children's right to play?

## **VOCABULARY**

6. Define *entitled*.
7. Define *enactment*.
8. Define *compulsory*.

## **ANALYZE the TEXT**

9. Write a summary of the main idea of this document.
10. What is most likely the goal of this document?

11. *The child shall enjoy special protection, and shall be given opportunities and facilities, by law and by other means, to enable him to develop... in conditions of freedom and dignity. In the enactment of laws for this purpose, the best interested of the child shall be the paramount consideration.*

Paraphrase this quote.

12. Which children are protected by this document?

### **CRAFT and STRUCTURE**

13. What is the purpose of the first paragraph?

14. Why do they list the principles?

15. Does this document describe each protected right in a separate paragraph?

### **WORD STUDY**

16. Define the root *-puls-*.

17. Define *impulse*.

### **LANGUAGE**

18. Explain a pronoun in the nominative case. Give some examples.

19. List pronouns in the objective case.

20. Which pronoun would replace Erika in this sentence? *“Erika’s shoe fell off at the playground.”*