



CARIBBEAN CHILD RESEARCH CONFERENCE 2019

ESSAY AND POSTER COMPETITION FOR PRIMARY LEVEL CHILDREN (Eastern Caribbean)



You are invited to...

EITHER: Choose one article of the Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC) and explain why this right is important for children in your country

OR: Draw a poster illustrating the importance of one of the rights in the CRC to children in your country

Some questions to answer could be:

- How would it help children in your country if this right was fully adhered to and protected?
- What can we do to make sure this right is protected?

Who Can Enter? All currently enrolled primary school students aged 8–12 years are invited to submit an essay or poster for the annual competition of the Caribbean Child Research Conference. Students **must** still be enrolled at the primary school level at the time of the conference in November 2019.

A child friendly version of the CRC is available at: -
<https://www.unicef.org/rightsite/files/uncrcchildfriendlylanguage.pdf>.



Elaboration of the CRC and their specific targets and indicators may be found online at
<https://www.ohchr.org/en/professionalinterest/pages/crc.aspx>

RULES: Essays should be no more than **750 words**. All submissions must be written/drawn by children themselves with original content.

PLAGIARISM (USING SOMEONE ELSE'S WORK AS YOUR OWN) is not acceptable. The submission should have the child's full name, school, grade, teacher and teacher's contact information.

Submissions can be emailed to childconferenceresearch@gmail.com or sent to Primary Schools Essay/Poster Competition, c/o SALISES, Cave Hill Campus, The U.W.I.



Deadline for submission: October 11, 2019

Winning child to be flown to Barbados to present their award-winning work.

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* The judges reserve the right to disqualify submissions which they believe were not written by children.