

Fair Unfair

We follow the rules of the game. We take turns.



My sister got a science book for her birthday. I got a soccer ball for my birthday.

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except Dani.

Alexandra has a lot of toys. Alfred has no toys.





Cindy had a party. She invited everyone

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Part 2

A. Read. What does the text give information about? Underline the best title.

A Global Organization Countries in the World

The Problems of the World

1. ____ The United Nations (UN) is an organization of different countries. It started in 1945, and at the start there were 51 countries. Now there are 193. That is almost every country in the world!

3. ____ Every year, the UN has important meetings. Each country sends people, called representatives, to the meetings. The leader of the UN is called the Secretary-General. They talk about important problems in the world and make decisions. All decisions are made by vote.

2. ____ The goal of the UN is to help countries get along. It tries to help all people around the world have what they need to live a good life. This makes the world fairer.

4. The UN has offices around the world. The main office is in New York in the USA. There are also offices in Vienna in Austria, Geneva in Switzerland, and Nairobi in Kenya.



B. Match the questions to the paragraphs in the text in A. Write the letter next to each paragraph.

- a) Who works for the UN?
- **b)** What is the UN?

- c) Where is the UN?
- d) What does the UN do?

C. Read, think, and choose.

The UN tries to help all people around the world have what they need to live a good life.

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What do you think people need?



food





video games



clean water



ice cream



medicine



a home



a smartphone

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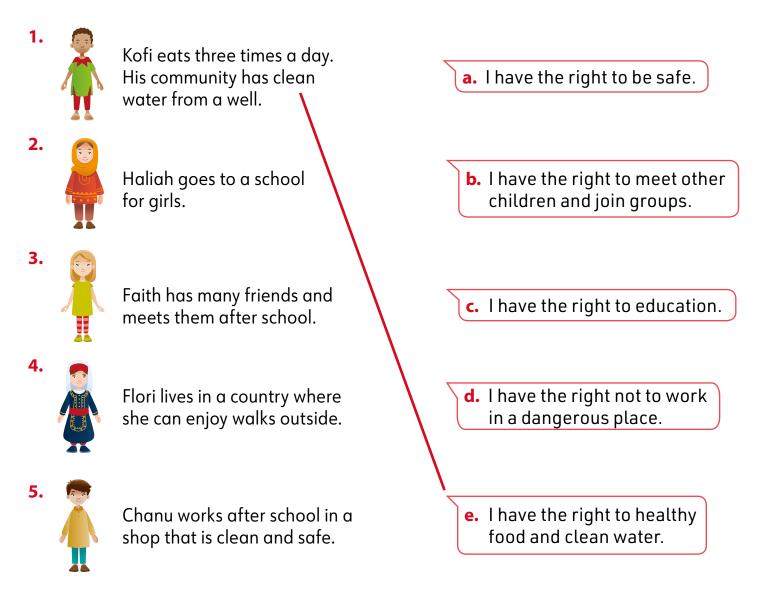
Part 3

A. Read about how the UN helps children. Underline the meaning of children's rights in the text.

The UN helps children all over the world, too. The UN believes that there are things that all children in the world can do or should have. These are called children's rights. The UN created an important document called The United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child. This document has a list of more than 40 children's rights. The UN believes that all countries should give children these rights.



B. Read. Match the children to the children's rights.



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Extension

A. Design a picture to represent one of these children's rights. Make a Rights of the Child gallery for your classroom.

I have the right to live.
I have the right to be with my family or people who care for me.
I have the right to medicine and health care.
I have the right to relax and play.
I have the right to speak my own language.
I have the right to say what I think.
I have the right to a name and a nationality.
Children with disabilities have the right to participate in their communities.

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