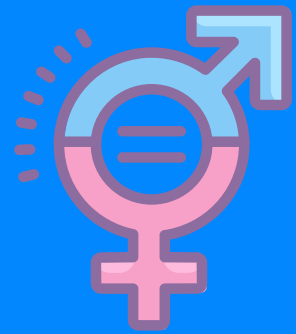


LET'S TALK ABOUT *Human Rights*



WHAT IS THE HUMAN RIGHTS?

According to the Equality and Human Rights Commission, Human rights are the basic rights and freedoms that belong to every person in the world, from birth until death. They apply regardless of where you are from, what you believe, or how you choose to live your life. They can never be taken away, although they can sometimes be restricted – for example, if a person breaks the law, or in the interests of national security. These basic rights are based on shared values like dignity, fairness, equality, respect, and independence. These values are defined and protected by law.

WHAT ARE THEY FOR?

They serve to establish international standards and parameters of civilized life applicable at all levels of society, based on the most fundamental, universal and inherent conditions that every person has and needs.



ORGANIZATIONS

The main institutions that protect Human Rights

1. Amnesty International
2. Transparency International
3. Ombudsman
4. United Nations Human Rights Council
5. United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)
6. United Nations Development Program (UNDP)
7. Human Rights Watch
8. Human Rights Without Frontiers (HRWF)
9. United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)
10. International Labor Organization (ILO)

TREATIES & LAW

- Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
- American Convention on Human Rights
- European Convention on Human Rights
- Charter of the United Nations.
- International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights.
- International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights
- Convention on the Rights of the Child
- Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment
- Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women
- International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination
- Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities



WHO ARE HUMAN RIGHTS FOR?

Human rights are to protect all human beings regardless of belief, religion, sexual orientation, culture, nationality and differences.



RESOURCES:

- HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION : <https://www.equalityhumanrights.com/en/human-rights/what-are-human-rights>

YOU KNOW...



CESAR CHAVES

Employed nonviolent means to bring attention to the plight of farmworkers and formed both the National Farm Workers Association, which later became United Farm Workers in USA

FRANCIA ELENA MÁRQUEZ

is an environmental, feminist and human rights activist from Colombia. She is noted for her fight against illegal mining, in 2018 she was awarded the Goldman Environmental Award.



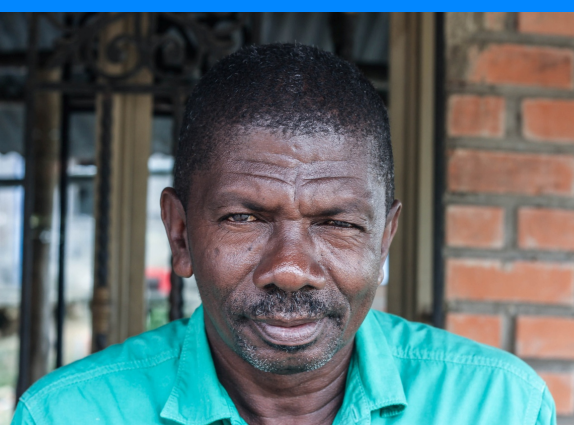
MARTIN LUTHER KING

Was an American pastor and activist who fought for the civil rights of African Americans



TEMÍSTOCLES MACHADO

Was a Colombian social leader and defender of the rights of the Afro-descendant population. n pastor and activist who fought for the civil rights of African Americans



MATILDE HIDALGO DE PROCEL

Was the first woman to have access to the right to vote in Latin America , after that millions of woman can vote in Latin America



KASHA JACQUELINE NABAGESERA



is a Ugandan LGBT activist, founder and executive director of Freedom and Roam Uganda, an LGBT rights group, the country's only lesbian group



WHAT YOU CAN DO?..



Find out who you buy your clothes, food, etc



RESEARCH YOUR NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES



Don't let anyone discriminate against you



Support human rights organizations either financially or by volunteering

JOINING CAMPAIGNS IN DEFENSE OF RIGHT TO EDUCATION



HELP RAISE AWARENESS AMONG YOUR FRIENDS SO THAT THEY DO NOT DISCRIMINATE AGAINST OTHERS, DON'T PLAY ALONG IF THEY ARE DISCRIMINATING

Report any act that violates your rights

