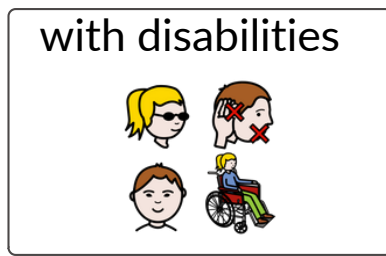
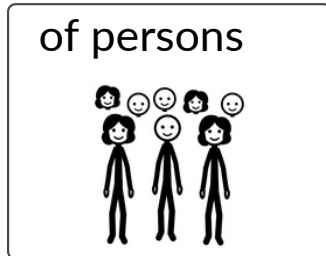




The UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

DO YOU KNOW YOUR RIGHTS?

**Augmentative and Alternative Communication
version**



What is



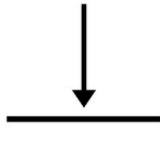
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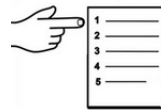
A convention



is



a list of rules



and rights



Countries



that sign



the Convention




promise




to respect it



What are



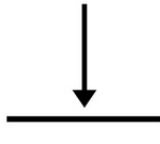
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Rights



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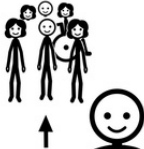
to get along



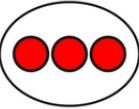
well




with others




All



people



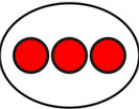
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must



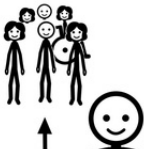
respect



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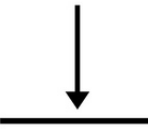
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Why




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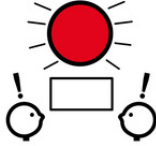
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Convention

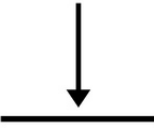


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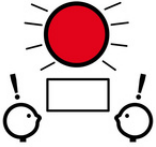


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It is



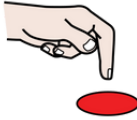
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
because



it is obligatory



to respect




everyone's




rights




and the rules



that are written



in the convention



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Do you know



your



rights



You have



the right



to travel



and visit



places



you like



You have



the right



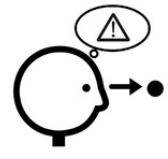
to know



everything



that interests you



by using



the Internet



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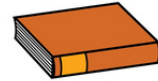
reading



newspapers

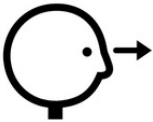


and books



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watching



television



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listening to



the radio



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By law



you



have



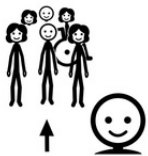
the same



rights



of all people



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You have



the right



to own property



,

manage



money



,

borrow



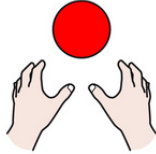
money



and no one



can take



your house



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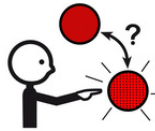
You have



the right



to choose what to do



and if you need help



you can ask for



the help



of a support administrator

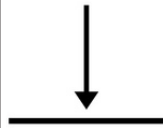


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A support administrator



is



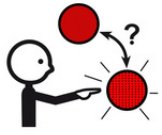
a person



that the Judge



appoints



to help you



For example



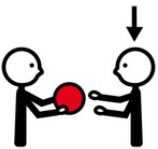
the support administrator



can help you



to get



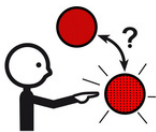
money



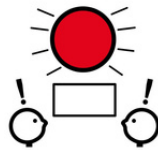
out of the bank



or to make decisions



that are important



No one



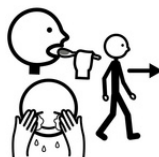
can hurt you



You do not have to



do anything



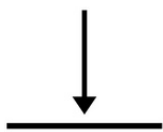
that makes you feel bad



or annoys you



If there is



a problem



you have



the right



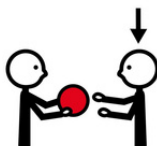
to ask for



help



and get



help



You have the right to live with other people

in a place that you like





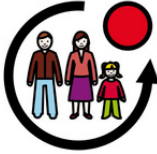
You have the right to go where you want

If you need help to get around





you have the right to get help

You are free to have and express your own ideas





You have the right to have your own space





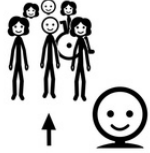
and your own things that only you can use





and that no one else can take without your permission

You have the right to go to school with everyone else

You have the right to choose what to study

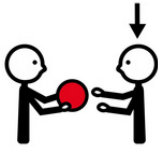
You have



the right



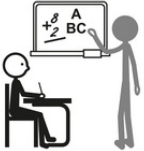
to get



help



to learn



how to do things



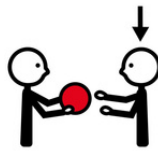
for yourself



For example



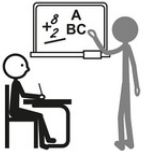
you can get



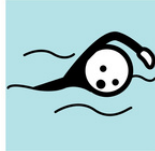
help



to learn how



to swim



cook



get dressed



and move



well



You have



the right



to learn a job



to earn money



If you want to say something

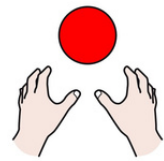


to politicians



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you can



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For example

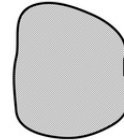


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if you do not like



something



in your city



you can tell



your mayor



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Ask



someone



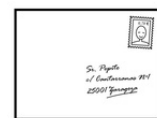
to help you



writing



a letter



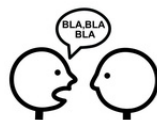
,

making a video



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or talking



to the mayor



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You have



the right



to vote



when there are elections



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You have



the right



to go on trips



with your school



,

to go to



the cinema



,

the theatre



,

the playground



,

the museum



,

the library



,

and the gym




with your friends



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You have



the right




to live



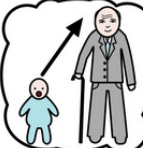
well




your




life



People



must




help you



to live




how



you like



and where



you like



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