

# Children and Young People's Declaration

## Geneva launch of *It Takes A World* to end violence against children

At the Geneva launch of the 'It takes a world to end violence against children' campaign, we, the children and young people delegates, want to make our voices heard and to ask people to support us in ending violence against children.

It is important to involve children and young people in the campaign because we are the ones who experience the violence. We understand what violence means; child marriage, corporal punishment, migration and child labour.

When we are allowed to speak, we can share how passionate we are. We want to be involved in the campaign as we have so much to share and express. We want to talk about the things we see and feel. We are aware of the problems we have in our countries and what other children are going through when they face violence.

The voices of children need to be heard and taken into consideration. We want to take the experiences of other children outside their communities so people can know more about their lives and we expect change. A change we can make with your support. Therefore, we ask you not to discard our voices but rather listen to us and work with us to take action.

We need the support of the all adults: parents, teachers and governments. Children cannot do this task alone. We need opinion leaders to speak out on our behalf. We need to unite our voices.

Together we make the voice to end violence against children stronger. The more united we are the more people will listen and change can happen for all children.

Young Leaders for Ending Violence Against Children

Abigail, Justice, Narangerel and Olga



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