

Human Rights Watch

Children's Rights

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Campaign and Advocacy

More than 260 million children are out of school worldwide. Discrimination of marginalized groups by teachers and other students, long distances to school, formal and informal school fees, and the absence of inclusive education are among the main causes. Millions stop going to school to work long hours, often under hazardous conditions. Others experience violence or abuse from teachers or fellow students, or find their schools targets of armed attack. Families do not send girls to school, force them out of school to marry or girls are denied an education when they become pregnant. Many are kept from getting a secondary education because they cannot afford school fees. Even when in school, millions of children receive a poor quality education that leaves them lacking essential skills and knowledge.

May 17, 2021

August 29, 2022

October 3, 2022

African Union Guidance, Policy Reforms Needed to Ensure Girls Continue Education

Human Rights Watch / ACLU Joint Submission Regarding the United States Record Under the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination

Prosecute, Sanction Fighters for Crimes Against Civilians

Children's Rights Violations by Governments that Endorsed Online Learning During the Covid-19 Pandemic

85th Pre-Session

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Both Countries Should Endorse Safe Schools Declaration

83rd Session

Students Suffer High-Levels of Sexual Abuse, Rape and Impunity at School

African Union Guidance, Policy Reforms Needed to Ensure Girls Continue Education

91st Pre-session

91st Pre-session

300 Days on, Video Feature Shows Harmful Impact

Empowering pregnant girls and adolescent mothers to stay in school.

Oct 26, 2022

Preventing Intimidation in US Elections; Landmark Declaration on Explosive Weapons; Dam Trouble in Kyrgyzstan; Take Note; Listen: Qatar's Abuses of LGBT People; Watch: Speaking on Xinjiang at the UN; On Our Terms: Impunity.

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