

Human Rights Watch

Children's Rights

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Mission Statement

Millions of children have no access to education, work long hours under hazardous conditions and are forced to serve as soldiers in armed conflict. They suffer targeted attacks on their schools and teachers or languish in institutions or detention centers, where they endure inhumane conditions and assaults on their dignity. Young and immature, they are often easily exploited. In many cases, they are abused by the very individuals responsible for their care. We are working to help protect children around the world, so they can grow into adults.

April 9, 2020

June 15, 2020

October 22, 2022

Impact of the Armed Conflict in Syria on Children with Disabilities

Taliban Need to Protect, Assist Hazara, Other At-Risk Communities

Rural Areas, Children Targeted for Intrusive Policing

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

UN Education Expert Recommends New Education Treaty

85th Pre-Session

UN Womens Rights Body Will Review Honduras Record on Sexual and Reproductive Rights, Non-Discrimination

But 4 Countries Recruiting Children Will Still Receive US Military Aid

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Pledges Swift Reintegration Support for Boko Haram Suspects

Both Countries Should Endorse Safe Schools Declaration

83rd Session

136th session

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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: Qatars Abuses of LGBT People; Watch: Speaking on Xinjiang at the UN; On Our Terms: Impunity.

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