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Children all over the world
have the same rights as you.





Rights are things that children
should have or be able to do.

Children's rights
are for everyone
under 18 years.





Some rights are
to help you grow.



Every child has the
right to healthy food
and clean water to
grow and thrive.



Every child has the
right to medicine.



Every child has the right
to special care and help
if they have a disability.



Children's rights
were written in 1989,
but many people do
not know about them.





Every child has the right
to have friends.



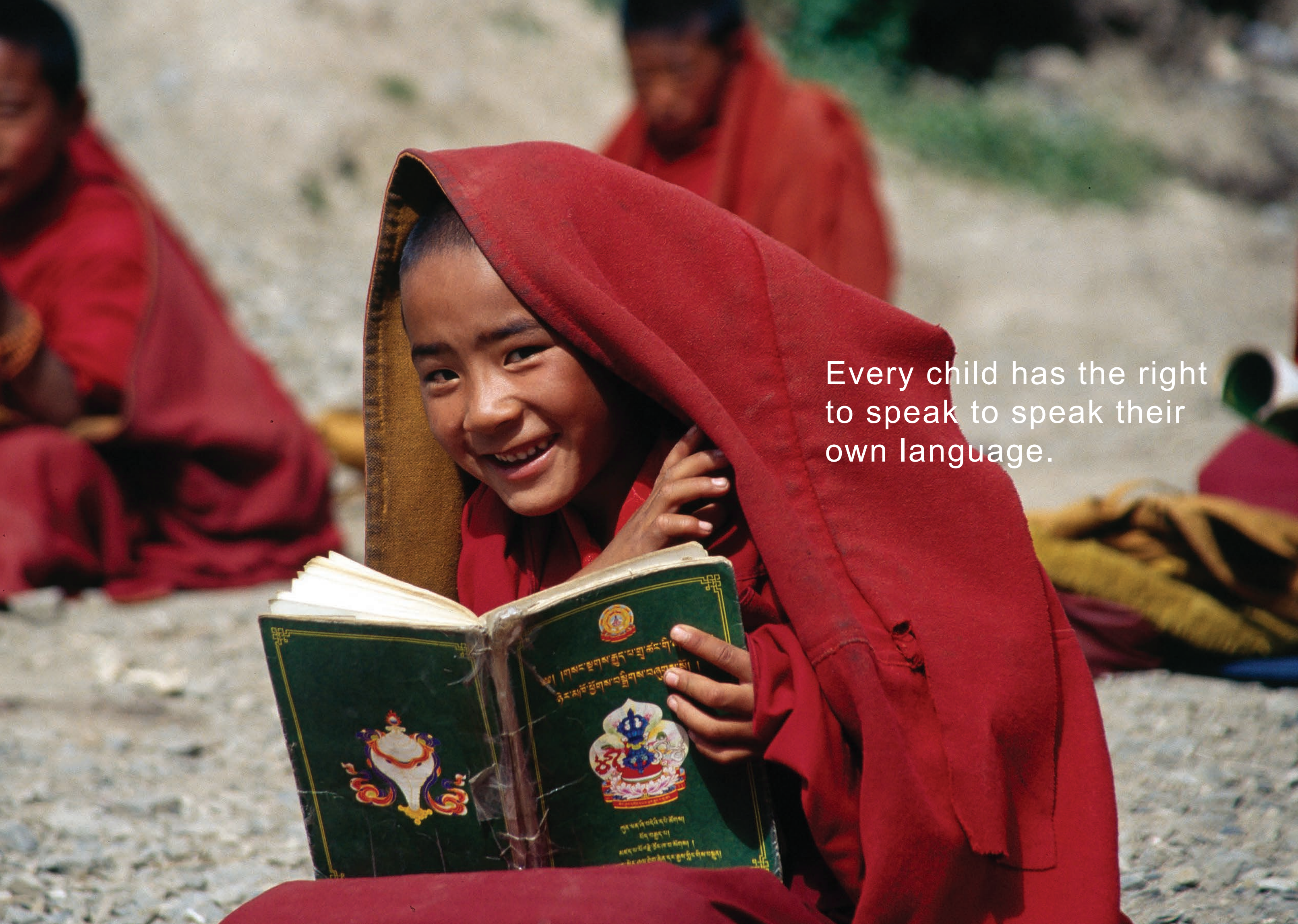
Every child has the right
to relax and play.







Children are not allowed to be
sold, or do dangerous work,
or fight in wars.



Every child has the right
to speak to speak their
own language.

Every child has the right
to celebrate their culture.



Every child has the right to
follow their own religion.



Every child has the
right to a name,
nationality and family.



Every child has the right to
become the best they can,
including YOU.



Information For Parents, Carers And Teachers

In 1989, the United Nations General Assembly adopted the Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC). World leaders decided that children needed a special convention because people under 18 years old often need special care and protection that adults do not. Children have human rights, too. There are 54 articles in the CRC. Articles 1 – 42 are about how children should be treated. Articles 43–54 are about how adults and governments should work together to make sure all children have their rights. Governments, non-government organisations, human rights advocates, lawyers, health specialists, social workers, educators, child development experts and religious leaders from all over the world worked together to develop the standards in the CRC. All countries except the United States of America and Somalia have ratified the CRC. National governments have committed to protecting and ensuring children's rights.



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Kym Simoncini is an Assistant Professor of Early Childhood and Primary Education at the University of Canberra, Australia. Kym grew up in Cairns, Queensland and enjoys working in PNG as it reminds her of her childhood. Kym loves reading and believes all children have the right to read culturally relevant books.



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