



OPAL PLAY  
ASSEMBLY



HOW MUCH OF YOUR TOTAL  
YOU SPEND THE SAME  
AMOUNT OF TIME  
PLAYING OUTSIDE AS YOU  
DO WITH READING &  
WRITING...WHO IS IN  
CHARGE OF MAKING SURE  
THIS IS REALLY GREAT  
TOO?

MAKING SURE MATHS IS  
GREAT? OR GEOGRAPHY? OR  
MUSIC? OR SCIENCE?

# **PLAY TIME IS IMPORTANT!**

## **IT NEEDS PLAY LEADERS AND IT NEEDS YOU TO HELP MAKE IT BETTER TOO!**



Mrs Landa



Mrs Elghadi



Mrs Khaliq



Ms Anderson



Mrs Shah



Miss Kinsey-Pitter



Miss Thraves



Mrs Li



Miss Hussain

# **EVERY TIME WE HAVE A PLAY ASSEMBLY WE ARE GOING TO...**

## **CELEBRATE!**

We are going to share some examples of what great play is and what safe play is. You can help collect the examples too and so will all of the play leaders

## **INFORM!**

Let you know what is coming up, what is new, remind you about things we've talked about before, show you safe ways to play, show you new exciting equipment

## **NEGOTIATE!**

We will listen to you and agree on what we can do during play. It won't all be up to the adults – we will come up with ideas together and agree on what is safe

## **INNOVATE!**

The whole play team will always have new ideas for you, we will have listened to your ideas and all of us will keep making things even better for play times together

# CELEBRATE!

We haven't started yet! But here's what we want YOUR play to look like very soon...

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cm7IfAEsjql&t=2s>

# INFORM!

Did you know it is your RIGHT to play every single day?  
UN convention Article 31 (leisure, play and culture) Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.

Have you ever had that right taken away from you?

All RIGHTS come with RESPONSIBILITIES. So, if it is your RIGHT to play, what is your RESPONSIBILITY that goes with this?



# A SUMMARY OF THE UN CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD

## **ARTICLE 1** (definition of the child)

Everyone under the age of 18 has all the rights in the Convention.

## **ARTICLE 2** (non-discrimination)

The Convention applies to every child without discrimination, whatever their ethnicity, sex, religion, language, abilities or any other status, whatever they think or say, whatever their family background.

## **ARTICLE 3** (best interests of the child)

The best interests of the child must be a top priority in all decisions and actions that affect children.

## **ARTICLE 4** (implementation of the Convention)

Governments must do all they can to make sure every child can enjoy their rights by creating systems and passing laws that promote and protect children's rights.

There are 45 RIGHTS that ALL CHILDREN have...the adults in our country HAVE TO make sure you get all 45 of these rights...I wonder who can find out more about these rights over the next few weeks...



Sand pit?

Mud kitchen?

Den-building?

Role play? Dress-up?

Scooters?  
Wheelbarrows?

Music area? Art area?

More climbing?



# INNOVATE!

So...next time we meet, what will we have come up with together? What do we need to collect? Who can we ask for more help?

FIRST JOB FOR YOU...

BINGO LOOSE PARTS CHALLENGE!



# BINGO



**Dress up costumes**  
**Musical instruments**  
**Adult clothes**  
**Clothing accessories**  
**Hats**  
**Wigs**



## ROLE PLAY

**Bread crates**  
**Floor boards**  
**Large cardboard tubes**  
**Guttering**  
**Plastic crates**



## CONSTRUCTION

**Dinosaurs**  
**Farm animals**  
**Dolls house**  
**Action figures**  
**Transformers**  
**Barbie dolls**  
**Cuddly toys**  
**Puppets**  
**Baby dolls**



## SMALL WORLD

**Wallpaper**  
**Chalks**  
**Paint brushes**  
**Decorating rollers**  
**Cling film**



## ARTS & CRAFTS

**Scooters**  
**Suitcases**  
**Pushchairs**  
**Baby doll pushchairs**  
**Wheel barrows**



## WHEELS

**Pots**  
**Pans**  
**Jugs**  
**Utensils**  
**Plastic bowls**  
**Plastic plates**



## MESSY CAFE