For Youth: Your Rights and Responsibilities in School



All children and youth in the United States have the right to receive a free public education, regardless of their immigration status, language, or academic level.

Children and Youth's Rights:



Receive support in school as an English learner



Have access to appropriate materials for your grade level in all subjects



Be placed in a classroom environment with other students your age



Participate in programs the school offers, such as those for advanced students or students with disabilities, clubs, and sports



Have a safe, orderly, and drug-free learning environment free from bullying, harassment, and any form of discrimination

Children and Youth's Responsibilities:

- ☐ Attend school regularly
- ☐ Arrive at school on time
- ☐ Be ready to learn every day
- ☐ Follow the school dress code
- ☐ Help maintain a safe and orderly school environment
- ☐ Do not fight with other students, bring weapons or drugs to school, participate in gangs, use offensive language, or threaten others
- ☐ Show respect and consideration for the property and rights of others