

EDUCATING CHILDREN ABOUT THEIR RIGHTS

Children engaging and supporting their peers,
including reaching the most vulnerable

Europe and Others: Serbia

Their purpose of Child Right Center is to help and educate young people and children with and about their rights. The meetings have been moved to online platforms like skype, zoom, google meets, even WhatsApp video chat. Educating through social platforms (Instagram, Facebook etc.) A lot of the children are suffering from the lack of contact with friends and uncertainty with their education. Not all schools have adapted well to online education and the level of children's education is questionable and varied. Children miss physical contact and seeing friends face to face (especially those who aren't close to their family: don't have anyone to talk to and similar), they're anxious, sad and in the more extreme cases depressed. As the situation was getting a lot better we recommended children to seek out their friends in 1 on 1 meetings in places with a low number of people, while following the necessary safety measures; increasing contact with their friends (online and face to face with their siblings and parents. Reassurance about education and reminders that the whole world is in the same situation and that universities and schools will take into consideration the effect of the pandemic on students.

