

# Children and Youth Bill of Rights Binoojiinh miinwaa Eshkiniigit Naaknigewnan

It is our sacred duty to ensure the well-being of our people.

**Giinwi gidinwendaagozimi wii naadmoonggidwaa weweni kwiji Anishinaabemnaanik.**

Our children and youth are the future of the Anishinabek Nation.

**Gidaa niigaanaabmi giniijaansinaanik nji ezhi Anishinaabe Ngodweyaangiziying.**

The following Children & Youth Bill of Rights records the rights of Anishinabek children and youth.

**Binoojiinh miinwaa Eshkiniigit Naaknigewnan zhibiigaadenoon maanpii Binoojiinh miinwaa Eshkiniigit nji.**

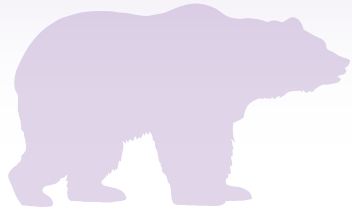
Together, we must honour these rights to help ensure the success of our future generations and to create the best future for our Nations.

**Ka mnaadendaanaanin nanda naaknigewnan wii gshkiwewziwaat giniijaansinaanik weweni wii ni bmaadiziwaat.**

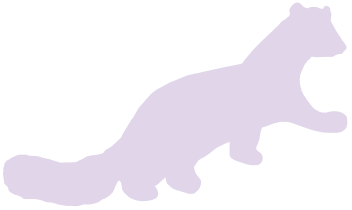
All Anishinabek children and youth have the right;

**Kina Anishinaabe binoojiinh;**

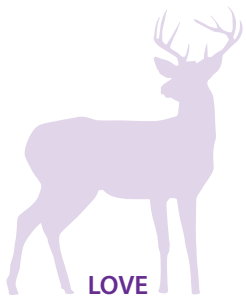
- to be safe and cared for; physically, mentally, emotionally and spiritually by their family, extended family and First Nation communities and affiliations;  
**da naagdwenmaa mizowe; ezhi wiyyowit, ezhi naanaagdwendang, ezhi mnomjiwit, ezhi jichaawit;**
- to be heard and believed by others;  
**da bzindwaa miinwaa da debwetwaa;**
- to be free from sexual abuse and exploitation;  
**gaawii da nshinaajikwaasii miinwaa gaawii da mjidoodwaasii;**
- to their culture, heritage and language;  
**da kinoomowaa Anishinaabe Aadiziwin miinwaa Anishinaabemowin;**
- to engage in their culture, heritage and language without restriction(s);  
**da wiidookwaa waa zhi Anishinaabe aadizit miinwaa waa zhi Anishinaabemot;**
- to equal and fair treatment;  
**da mno doodwaa;**
- regardless of their identity, gender, sexual orientation, language, mental capacity, family relations and/or name;  
**manjigo eyaawit, enaadizit, ezh giizhigwet, ezhinaagdwendang, ezhi nawendaazot;**
- to access and utilize support programs;  
**da debnang miinwaa da nakaazinan aasgaabwitaadwinan;**
- to be loved and feel safe, whether inside or outside of their communities;  
**da zaagaa, da naagdwenmaa dibigo yaagwenh;**
- to health care, education, nutrition and shelter;  
**da miigkwa, da kinoomowaa, da shamaa, da naagdawenmaa;**
- to freedom of spirit and to be their authentic selves;  
**da dbendizo yaawit miinwaa ezhi jiibaamwit;**
- to play, to relax, to be respected and to have peace;  
**da damna, da naangwendam, da mnaadenmaa miinwaa da mna nendam;**
- to share their voice, to be heard and to be properly represented in decisions affecting their future;  
**da dbaajima, da bizindwaa miinwaa weweni da gnoodmowaa waa ni zhi bmaadizit;**
- to a culturally-based education;  
**da Anishinaabe kinoomowaa;**
- to maintain their family name, familial ties and relations within their community.  
**Da ginwendaan da noozwin miinwaa ezhi nawendaazot enjibaat.**



HONESTY  
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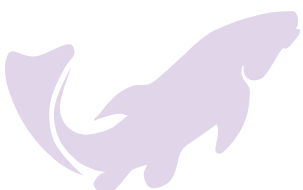
LOVE  
Zaagidwin



TRUTH  
Debwewin



RESPECT  
Mnaadendamowin



WISDOM  
Nbwaakaawin



HUMILITY  
Ddaadendiziwin