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The Universal Declaration of Human Rights ...was written in 1948.

Millions of people had perished in the second World War. Many countries were still deeply divided by racism and military oppression. So the 48 countries of the United Nations got together and decided that enough was ENOUGH! So they all sat down and wrote thirty articles. That's thirty rights and freedoms which belong to all of us

Article One: We are all born free... we have our own thoughts and ideas... and we should all be treated the same way.

Article Nine says nobody has the right to put us in prison without good reason... to keep us there or to send us away from our country.

Article Fifteen: We all have the right to belong to a country.

Article Eighteen says we all have the right... to believe in whatever we like. To have a religion... and to change it if we wish

Article Nineteen: We all have the right to make up our own minds to think what we like, to say what we like and to share our ideas with other people

And Article Thirty says that nobody can take these rights and freedoms away from us.

They belong to everybody.