

# UNICEF NEWSLETTER

The members of the UNICEF steering group led an assembly about the ABCDE rights of the child.



## THE ABCDE OF RIGHTS

**A**

Rights are for  
ALL children.

**B**

Rights are there  
at BIRTH.

**C**

Rights CANNOT  
be taken away.

**D**

Rights DO NOT  
have to be earned.

**E**

All rights are  
EQUALLY important

The steering group made happy and sad face cards for each child reception and year 1 so they can show teachers how they are feeling without needing to use words.

### **Article 24 -- I have the right to be as healthy as possible**

We had a visit from a para-athlete to talk about keeping fit – the whole school took part in a sponsored event, and we were told about the importance of keeping fit and resilience.

Mental health week in school – each class took part in activities within the classroom and Nicole led an assembly about Mental Health as she comes into school regularly to meet with some pupils.

### **Article 15 – I have the right to meet with friends and join groups**

In school we have many after school clubs that we can join to meet with our friends for fun activities like: gardening, choir, football, multisports and construction club.

### **Article 12 – I have the right to be listened to and taken seriously**

The steering group made a suggestion box – children wrote their suggestions on pieces of paper to put in the box. The steering group then chose 3 to be considered by Mrs. Statham.

Compiled by 3 pupils who are members of the UNICEF steering group working towards achieving the RRSA Silver Award