The amazing world of youth participation
Levels of Participation

5
Children share power and responsibility for decision-making.

Are you ready to share some of your adult power with children?  
Is there a procedure that enables children and adults to share power and responsibility for decisions?  
Is it a policy requirement that children and adults share power and responsibility for decisions?

4
Children are involved in decision-making processes.

Are you ready to let children join in your decision-making processes?  
Is there a procedure that enables children to join in decision-making processes?  
Is it a policy requirement that children must be involved in decision-making processes?

3
Children’s views are taken into account.

Are you ready to take children’s views into account?  
Does your decision-making process enable you to take children’s views into account?  
Is it a policy requirement that children’s views must be given due weight in decision-making?

2
Children are supported in expressing their views.

Are you ready to support children in expressing their views?  
Do you have a range of ideas and activities to help children express their views?  
Is it a policy requirement that children must be supported in expressing their views?

1
Children are listened to.

Are you ready to listen to children?  
Do you work in a way that enables you to listen to children?  
Is it a policy requirement that children must be listened to?

This point is the minimum you must achieve if you endorse the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child.
I bet triangles would be really fun to hang out with.
KEEP YOUR COINS,
I WANT CHANGE
Seilziehen (Weiβ gegen Rot) by Heinz Navratil
we tend to forget but really shouldn’t
1 – THE MEDIA
ALL LIES
research

[plural]

1 serious study

discover new facts

research into the

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