

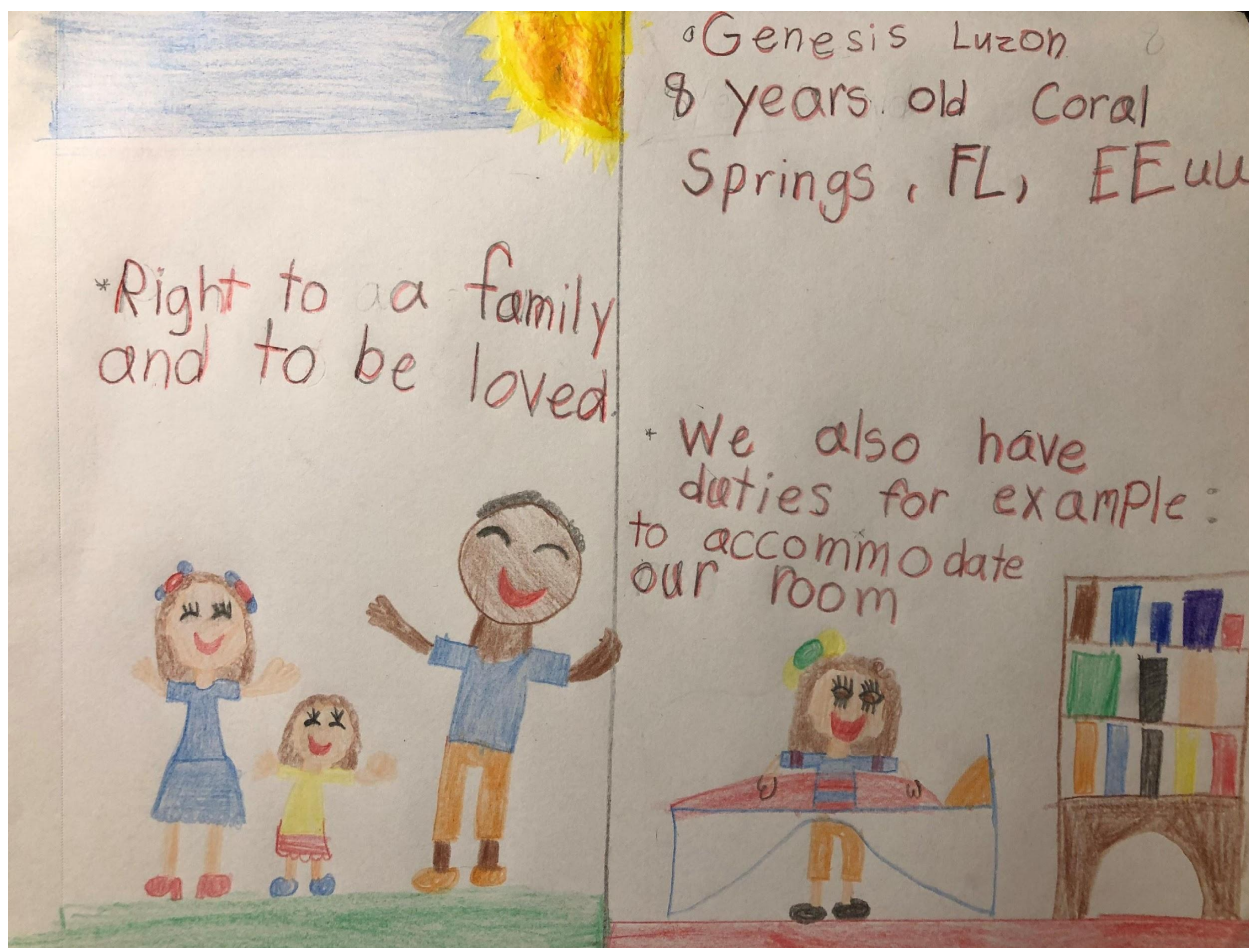
ATTENTION! NEW ANNOUNCEMENT

Nicosia, May 2021

Dear OMEP National Presidents,

We hope that you are all doing very well and that you are optimistically facing the transformation of our daily lives due to COVID -19. As you know, the changes in our lives and in the routines of children led us to the decision to extend the term of the World Project "**COLOR YOUR RIGHTS: Commemoration of the Anniversary of the Convention on the Rights of the Child**" until June 30, 2021.

In this sense, we want to inform you that we **continue with the announced process** inviting each country to select and send by email, **before June 30**, 10 drawings, which will be presented at the 2022 World Assembly and Conference, to be held in Athens. The works will also be shared through the OMEP Cyprus website.





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We also want to announce a **GREAT NEW**: OMEP Cyprus has obtained support to **publish a book** with children's works and to **hold an exhibition** in Nicosia, Cyprus. That is why TODAY we invite the Committees that wish to participate in this **NEW PROPOSAL**:

For the book and the exhibition we need the Presidents of the National Committees:

1- send us a letter of intent advising their willingness to participate before of **10th June 2021**, to email to vassiliadoum@omep.com.cy / m.vassiliadou@cytanet.com.cy; and

2- select and send to OMEP Cyprus, between 2 and 4 original works of the children **BY POST** before **July 23, 2021**. Postal address:

**Maria Vassiliadou, OMEP CYPRUS
POBox 12106, Lakatamia
Nicosia, CYPRUS**

For our part, we undertake to return the original works of art to the national presidents, as well as the works of art from the previous art project, at the World Conference in Athens in July 2022.

We look forward to receiving artwork from the children of your country!

Kind regards,

Dr Maria Vassiliadou,
President of OMEP Cyprus
Project Coordinator
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Nicosia CYPRUS



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SUMMARY OF THE PROPOSAL

Phase 1 (Original): World Project “**COLOR YOUR RIGHTS: Commemoration of the Anniversary of the Convention on the Rights of the Child**” **WITHOUT CHANGES**

- a) The presidents **disseminate** the information and encourage educators / children to participate.
- b) Each National Committee will **receive** the artworks in digital format.
- c) Each OMEP committee can **select 10 works of art** divided into *two age groups*: 0 to 6 years and 6 to 8 years.
- d) Each artwork must **include** the child's name, age, school name (optional), country, and title on the back of the artwork.
- e) Each artwork should also contain **information** on *the rights of the CRC worked by the child* and, if possible, the comments he/she made.
- f) Selected artworks will be **sent** to the Global Project Coordinator, Maria Vassiliadou, no later **than June 30, 2021**, by email to vassiliadoum@omep.com.cy / m.vassiliadou@cytanet.com.cy

Phase 2: Book and exhibition in Cyprus NEW

1- Sending a letter of intent from the National Committee advising its willingness to participate before **June 10, 2021**, by email to vassiliadoum@omep.com.cy / m.vassiliadou@cytanet.com.cy

2- Sending to OMEP Cyprus, between 2 and 4 original works of the children **BY POSTAL MAIL to the Postal Address** before **July 23, 2021**:

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Final phase: Presentation of the artworks

- **VIRTUAL EXHIBITION** during the **OMEP World Assembly and Conference in Athens**, from July 11 to July 14, 2022. The virtual exhibition will also be available on the **OMEP Cyprus website**.
- **EXHIBITION WITH ORIGINAL WORKS OF ART** and a special **FORUM** on the rights of the child to which people from universities, ministries and NGOs will be invited, that will take place in **Cyprus** in November 2021
- **ILLUSTRATED BOOK** with the children's works.

For more information, feel free to contact Maria Vassiliadou, the Global Project Leader:

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