The Webwise Charter of Online Rights of the Child

Webwise’s Online Rights

01. You have the right to protect your identity while online

02. You have the right to withhold personal details if you do not know who is at the other end or you feel unsure

03. You have the right to participate, have fun and search for all the information available that is appropriate to your age and personality

04. You have the right to express yourself freely when online, while always respecting others

05. You have the right to be heard and to be treated with respect

06. You have the right to safeguard anything that you have created, anywhere, even on the web

07. You have the right to be critical and to dispute or discuss anything you read or come across while online

08. You have the right to make use of new technologies to develop your personality and increase your capabilities

09. You have the right to protect yourself from viruses and spam

Overview:
This charter is provided as a reference tool to provoke discussion and help in the process of creating a charter of online rights in this resource pack.

NOTE:
Each of the rights listed below is based on a CRC article.

Once the group has created and elaborated its own individual charter of online rights these can be compared with Webwise’s charter of online rights, so as to spark off debate and discussion.