



Quizzical Justice

AIM | To raise awareness of some of the facts surrounding Justice and Young People globally.

Time | 30 Minutes

Material | Copy of the questions. Answer cards for each group, flipchart pad and markers, pen and paper if needed.

What to do

Divide your group into teams of 4. Each team chooses a name for themselves. Hand out a set of A-B-C answer cards to each team. Explain that this is a multiple choice quiz. You will read out a question and 3 possible answers, the teams have 1 minute to decide what they think is the right answer.

When they decide, they hold up their answer card. Record the answers and move onto the next question. After the second round, read out the answers to the previous round. Award 10 points for correct answers. Continue the quiz until you finish the questions.

Debrief

Ask if they were surprised by any of the answers? Why do they think these things exist in the world? How did it feel to be discriminated against? Ask the others how it felt to have an advantage. Do they know of any groups who are discriminated against by the law? What ideas do they have for raising people's awareness of these situations?

Note to leader

You can give some groups only A & B cards. Ensure one group has all three answer cards. You can also encourage them to run to the top table with their answers and place the teams with fewer cards at the back of the room. For more information on the MDG's see activity 17.

fact BOX

The International Criminal Court (ICC) was created in 2002 to deal with crimes that can be made by countries – like war crimes. India, China, Israel and the USA are not members of the ICC so it can't prosecute them even if they do terrible things like genocide.

Q1

Which of these countries has not signed up to become a member of the International Criminal Court?

- A – Ireland
- B – Zambia
- C – Israel

Q2

In Ireland, the age of criminal responsibility is?

- A – 16
- B – 18
- C – 12

Q3

In which of these countries is the age of criminal responsibility for girls 8 years old?

- A – Ireland
- B – Iran
- C – Iceland

Q4

How many years old is the UN convention on the rights of a child?

- A – 20
- B – 50
- C – 100

Q5

Over how many young people around the world are kept in some kind of prison?

- A – 1000
- B – 1 Million
- C – 458,000

Q6

In which country is having a gang tattoo enough evidence to get arrested?

- A – Honduras
- B – Brazil
- C – Ireland

Q7

How many Millennium Development Goals are there?

- A – 10
- B – 8
- C – 1

Q8

How many child labourers are there in the world?

- A – 218 Million
- B – 80,000
- C – 4 Million