

Rights and Responsibilities Assignment

1. *What are some of the Responsibilities of students at St. Francis Xavier?* ie. complete homework

- a.
- b.
- c.
- d.

2. *How is the school/teacher supposed to treat students?*

- a.
- b.
- c.
- d.

3. *What are some of the Rights of students at St. Francis Xavier?* ie. the right to learn in a safe environment

- a.
- b.
- c.
- d.

You may belong to other organizations such as a community soccer team or the school hockey team. Perhaps you are involved in the youth ministry at your church. Some of you may be a member of SADD (students against drunk driving). Whatever the organization you belong to, every member of these organizations has rights and responsibilities. Some responsibilities may be to show up to practice, come prepared with the appropriate uniform and equipment, practice the new song before going to rehearsal, collect a certain amount of pledges for the church fundraiser. These members also have rights; the right to have their ideas heard without interruption, the right to be respected, the right to contribute, etc.

4. *Name a sport and list 4 rules of that sport.*

- a.
- b.
- c.
- d.

5. *State at least two reasons for the existence of those rules in that sport.*

- a.
- b.

6. Refer to the school code of behaviour in your agenda and list 4 rules.

- a.
- b.
- c.
- d.

7. State two rules of the school that you think should be changed or added or deleted and state why.

- a.
- b.

The Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms

Canadians are guaranteed certain rights through the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms which is part of our Constitution. Not even Parliament can take away those rights. With the freedoms you have, the government can't tell YOU what is right and wrong. You aren't coerced into making choices; you all allowed to say and think whatever you like.

As Canadians we have the:

- Right to move and live in any province
- Right to enter, remain in, and leave Canada
- Right to life, liberty, and security of the person
- Right not to be arbitrarily detained or arrested
- Right to life, liberty, and security of the person
- Right not to be subjected to any cruel or unusual treatment or punishment

- Freedom of thought, belief, opinion, and expression
- Freedom of conscience and religion
- Freedom of association
- Freedom of peaceful assembly
- Freedom of speech

8. From the above list choose one right you feel is the most important. Explain your choice.

9. From the list of freedoms, choose the one you feel is most important. Explain your choice.