

LEADERSHIP GUIDE

What can you do at your school to inspire an Education in Emergencies campaign?



Be creative and make your jigsaw messages colourful and persuasive

1. MAKE A PLAN

The first step of a campaign is to make a plan. Think about

- what do you aim to achieve?
- how will you achieve it?
- how long will different activities take?
- who will you ask for help?

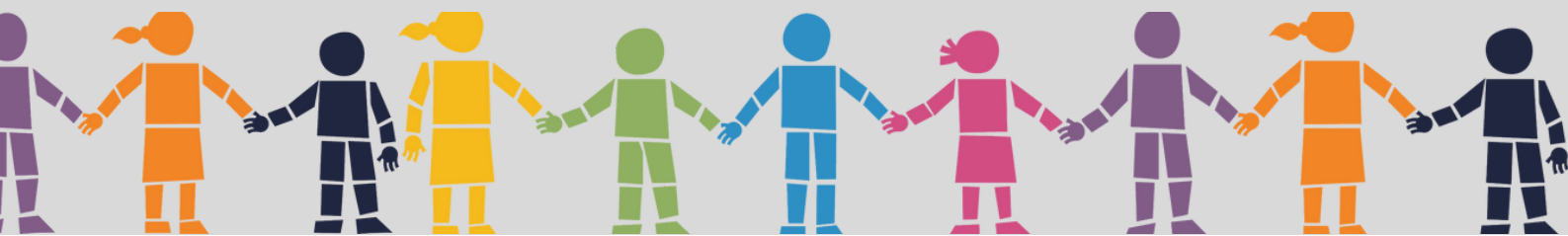


2. GET LOTS OF YOUNG PEOPLE INVOLVED

The more young people who get involved in your campaign, the more powerful and persuasive your campaign will be.

Think about presenting assemblies and teaching lessons at your own school and other schools you know. Get lots of young people involved in the campaign, learning about education in emergencies and creating their own jigsaw pieces.

The Send My Friend to School pack has an assembly presentation, a short film and a lesson activity to help you.



3. BE CREATIVE

The main activity in the campaign is for young people to design colourful jigsaw messages to give to your Member of Parliament. Plan to encourage young people to make these jigsaw pieces as creative, colourful and persuasive as possible.

4. MEET YOUR MP

The main purpose of Send My Friend to School is to influence Members of Parliament (MPs) and the Government to support education in emergencies around the world.

Work with your teacher to invite your MP to school so you can meet them, hand them your jigsaw pieces with young people's messages of support and ask them to support your campaign.

If your MP is not free to visit school, then send them your jigsaw pieces with a letter and ask for their support.

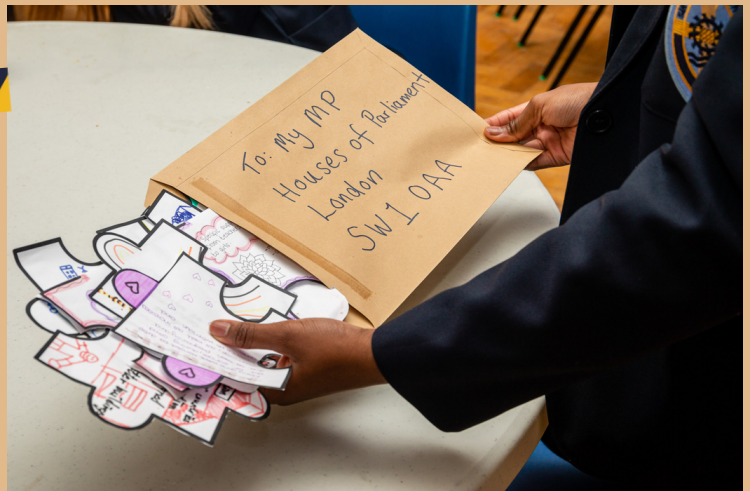
5. SPREAD THE WORD

Plan how you can make as many people as possible know about your campaign. Does your school have a newsletter or a website you could write for. Or could you get a story in your local paper?

6. DO YOUR RESEARCH

Send My Friend to School has written a Young People's policy report which explains the Education in Emergencies campaign. You can read the report and learn more about the campaign [here](#)

Make sure to send your messages to your MP



ALWAYS AGREE YOUR PLANS WITH YOUR TEACHER BEFORE YOU BEGIN

