

El's work on the rights of children and teachers with disabilities

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Resolutions

2015 [Resolution on the rights of disabled children and teachers](#) (NUT/AFT) Teachers & children/youth

2015	Addendum to EI's Policy Paper on Education	Teachers
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2015	Human and Trade Union Rights Policy Papers	Teachers & children/youth
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2015	Resolution on promoting vocational education and training (VET)- qualifying young people	Children/youth
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2011	Section III Promoting equality through inclusive education (Policy Paper on Education: Building the Future through Quality Education)	Children/youth
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2011	Section IV Promoting Teaching as a Profession (Policy Paper on Education: Building the Future through Quality Education)	Teachers
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2011 Promoting Teaching as a Profession

“Entry into the teaching profession and related roles must be inclusive without discrimination based on gender, race, age, sexual orientation, disabilities, political or religious beliefs, and economic or social conditions. Public authorities should support and monitor employment practices to ensure that discrimination does not occur.”



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2015 Rights of teachers and children with disabilities

“Very little attention is paid to the barriers faced by disabled teachers. There is scant research globally on the recruitment, retention and progression of disabled teachers. It is essential that information is available on the situation of disabled teachers in order to overcome barriers faced by them.”

- Strong support for strengthening the **Sustainable Development Goals** to enhance inclusion of disabled children, students and teachers;
- Actively promote **recruitment and employment** of disabled teachers and furthering the **global research** on the situation of disabled teachers.



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Research & Best practices

- 2016/2017 Rethinking disability and inclusive education & membership survey on best practices and support
- 2016 Contribution to the ILO research on workers with disabilities
- 2017 Research on teachers with disabilities & membership survey/case studies
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