



## Cheshire Development Education Centre (CDEC)

Promoting global citizenship in  
Cheshire, Halton and Warrington

November/ December 2007

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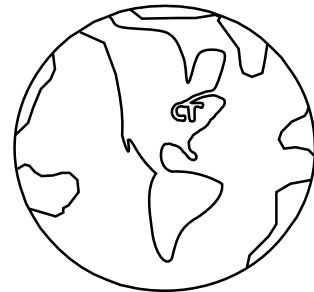
*Visit our Website for more information about CDEC*

Partners, participants, audiences:

Cheshire DEC works with Early Years practitioners, teachers, education advisors, ITE tutors and students, HE institutions and community organisations.

Mission:

To promote an understanding of and respect for the lives and cultures of everyone, in order for us all to contribute and actively participate in the development of a fair society that celebrates diversity and difference and our global interdependence.



November 20<sup>th</sup>  
International  
Children's Rights  
Day

See page 3 for resources to support  
Children's Rights day

## come and visit

Chester and Winsford  
Tuesday to Thursday  
1:30pm-5:30pm  
Term Time only

By appointment at all other times



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Resource centres now open at:  
Winsford, Halton and Macclesfield  
Please contact us for details and  
opening hours or see our website.

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## **EDITORIAL**

Welcome to the November / December edition of the CDEC Newsletter.

November 20<sup>th</sup> is Children's Rights Day - a fantastic opportunity to celebrate the achievement of children around the world but also to consider the inequalities that children face here in the UK and overseas.

For some more information log onto:

<http://www.unicef.org/crc/>

November and December are busy months for CDEC staff who continue to work on the Millennium Development Goals project and our new Warrington and the World project - more news in our next newsletter.

We have hosted two Level 1 P4C courses in October and in November and December a variety of taster sessions are planned - see our website for details.

### **Promoting Equality & Diversity**

We are producing a short document to share examples of good practice from Cheshire schools of promoting equality.

Many schools have kindly shared their work on race equality or policies or examples of lessons and activities, if you are interested in this project please send your work by email or hard copy to Heather at the Chester headquarters

## **CDEC MEMBERSHIP CHARGES**

CDEC Membership charges for 2007 - 2008 are as follows:

<b>Large Organisations (&gt;500 individuals)</b>	<b>£60</b>
<b>Small Organisations (&lt;500 individuals)</b>	<b>£35</b>
<b>Individual member</b>	<b>£20.00</b>
<b>Student/Unwaged</b>	<b>£10.00</b>
<b>*Membership is half price after 1<sup>st</sup> March 2008</b>	

Membership entitles you to loan six resources for 4 weeks thereby giving access to 72 items every year, artefact collections may be hired at a nominal charge

Previous members please call for a renewal form if you have not received one.

## **Staff Details**

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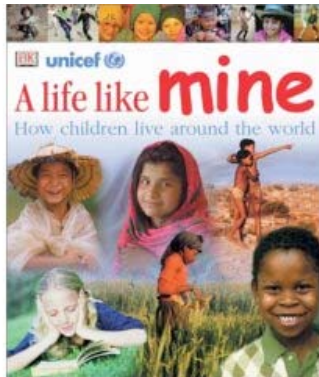
**Carol Jacobs – Senior Administrator**

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## Resources to support International Children's Rights Day

For Every Child	£6.99
First Steps to Rights	£15.00
The School Council	£5.75
A School Like Mine	£14.99
A Life Like Mine	£14.99



Partners in Rights	£16.50
Under the UN Flag	£10.00
Time for Rights	£11.00

## EC/EU Development Youth Prize 2007

The second Development Youth Prize 2007(DYP) has been launched and is open for submissions. The DYP is supported by the EU, DG DEV, and organized by European Schoolnet. The focus this year is on sustainable development in Africa. Pupils aged 16-18 from all 27 EU countries can submit posters or multimedia presentations on three themes;

1. Climate change
2. Water and Energy
3. Sustainable tourism

for more details visit;

<http://www.dyp2007.org>

## Education For Sustainable Development in Vale Royal

An opportunity to view the latest ESD resources.

All events will be held at the Winsford Centre. 10.30 – 5.30pm.

- Primary ESD – Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> November
- Secondary ESD – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> November
- Early Years ESD – Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December

## Key Dates in November/December

November 9<sup>th</sup> Diwali



November 14<sup>th</sup> Social Enterprise Day

December 1<sup>st</sup> World Aids Day



December 10<sup>th</sup> --- Human Rights Day

## Autumn /Spring Term opening dates.

### Macclesfield base:

Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	10:30 – 5:30
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> January	10:30 – 5:30
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	10:30 – 5:30

### Halton base:

Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	10:30 – 5:30
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> January	10:30 – 5:30
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> February	10:30 – 5:30



Global clothes & textiles (H)

### COUNTRY COLLECTIONS

Aborigine (C)	Kenya (C/W)
Brazil (C/M)	Mexico (C)
Caribbean (W)	Nigeria (W)
China (C/W/M/H)	Pakistan (W)
Ghana (C/W)	Peru (W)
India (C/W/M)	S.Africa C/W/M)
Indian Clothing (C/W)	Uganda (W)
Zimbabwe (C/W)	Bangladesh (H)

### STORYSACK COLLECTIONS (H&W)

Am I really Different?  
Bringing the rain to Kapiti Plain  
Caribbean Counting Book  
Chidi only likes blue  
Chinye  
Cleversticks  
Handa's Surprise (C)  
I love my hair  
My Painted House, My Friendly Chicken and Me  
Samira's Eid  
The Leopards Drum  
The Swirling Hijaab  
We all went on Safari

### RELIGIOUS COLLECTIONS

Christianity (C/W/M)  
Hinduism (C/W/M/H)  
Islam (H/W)  
Judaism (C/W)  
Diwali (C/H)

### PRINT BLOCKS

Adinkra (C/W)  
Indian (C/W/M)

### EARLY YEARS COLLECTIONS

Indian Clothing (W/M)  
Musical Instruments (W/M)  
Chinese New Year (C/W/M)  
Diwali (C/W/M)

**C=Chester W=Winsford  
M=Macclesfield H=Halton  
CHARGE :**

£5 per week for artefacts  
(C/W only)

£20 per half term for artefacts

If you need a map and directions these are available on our website

CDEC is the  
Cheshire, Halton  
and Warrington  
Coordinating body  
for the North West  
Global Education  
Network



**PLEASE NOTE:** With effect from 1<sup>st</sup> September Artefact collections hired from Macclesfield and Halton are on a half term hire basis. Collections from Chester & Winsford may still be hired on a weekly basis, please call for more details.