



Kids Care 2018: **Hey! It's Not Fair!**



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Dear Children's leader,

We all know what it feels like to have the short end of the stick sometimes. Maybe you've been treated unjustly and don't think you're getting what you deserve. Have you ever wanted to just shout out, "Hey, it's not fair." Whatever the situation, God calls us to cry out to him, but he also challenges us to cry out on behalf of the poor. It seems unjust that in a world of abundance, nearly one in nine people do not have enough to eat. Twice as many girls as boys will never be given the chance to go to school.



This year's Kids Care theme – **Hey! It's Not Fair!** – provides an opportunity for our children to look at the issues caused by inequity in our world. This five lesson children's resource will help you to discuss the issues from a biblical perspective and encourage your class to engage in the idea of global disparity through prayer, games, activities, stories and fundraising suggestions.



Encourage your students to ask questions, think about global issues and challenge them to do something to help bridge the wealth distribution gap through simple acts of generosity. We've included a sample Kids Care coin box* in this package that will help make it easier for the kids to raise funds for this year's suggested fundraising project: providing girls with the chance to receive an education. Let your kids be creative about ways they can contribute to your goal. Have fun with it!



If you would like to receive extra coin boxes or more printed copies of the lessons, you can now order materials online at www.cbmin.org/kids-care-hey-its-not-fair/. You can also download this lesson package (or lessons on other themes) and print them at home.

Thank you for making *Hey, It's not Fair!* a part of your children's curriculum this year. Be sure to send us photos of your fundraisers, activities and times together if you would like to share your ideas with other churches! E-mail us at communications@cbmin.org with your photos or feedback.

Sincerely,



Gordon Brew
Communications Manager

***Just a reminder:** When sending in donations from the coin boxes, please do not send cash through the mail. Remit a cheque or call us at 905.821.3533 if using a credit card.

