At Junior Certificate level the student can:

Understand rights and responsibilities and describe the different social groupings in society

Learning Targets - This has been demonstrated by your ability to:

1. List some personal rights
2. Name some human rights and explain why each one is a right
3. Explain what the ‘United Nations Declaration of Human Rights’ is and why we need it
4. Explain why we have a responsibility to protect and respect other people’s rights
5. Name one international agreement (convention) which can protect human rights
6. Give reasons why rights are protected by international conventions such as the ‘United Nations Declaration of Human Rights’ and ‘The Convention on the Rights of the Child’
7. Give examples of how to be responsible towards the environment
8. Explain what is meant by community and give two examples of communities
9. Compare and contrast two different communities
10. Explain what the characteristics of a community are
11. Explain how certain communities organise themselves and give examples with one community
12. Give examples of community development
13. Explain the term ‘stereotyping’ and give examples of its harmful effects

Refer also to: English, Environmental and Social Studies, Geography, History, Home Economics, Personal and Social Development, Religious Education