Children play all around the world. No matter where they come from, what language they speak, or clothes they wear... All children love to play!
In the Democratic Republic of Congo, these girls play with a skipping rope.
These children in Malawi make drawings in the sandy soil with their fingers.
In Bangladesh these children hide in a cubby. What other toys can you see?
In Uganda these children play with water!
These children from Syria are drawing pictures with colourful pencils.
These children in Sudan are spinning on play equipment really fast and laughing.
These children in Burundi play soccer and ride bikes.
In the Philippines these children play in water spouting from their street.
These children in Chad run through the streets.
In Russia these boys throw and kick a ball on the street.
In Mongolia this little girl is playing with her toy animals.
These children from Thailand play in the rushing waters of a waterfall.
In Nicaragua, South America, these children play rolling on a plank along sticks.
In Sint Maarten, South America, the children play a game where they pass a hula hoop from one person to the next while holding hands.
These children in Korea play on seesaws.
These children in Pakistan are playing cricket.
In Ukraine these children balance and walk across tyres.
This girl plays with puppets in Uzbekistan.
These boys in Afghanistan laugh and chase a bicycle tyre with a stick.
These children are jumping together in a playground in Romania.
In Egypt these children play with building blocks.
These children in India play the game musical chairs.
In Mali these children play ‘tiki tikini’, a game with bottle caps.
These children in Cambodia play a matching game where they match shapes and colours.
Every child in the world has the right to play.
Do you like to play?
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