



Ukraine and HOPE

HOPE, which is an International Non-Governmental Organisation (INGO), condemns in the most severe way the invasion of the Ukraine by Russia.

We cannot accept that children are denied a peaceful and normal childhood. We cannot accept that children have to flee their homes and see their parents in despair. We cannot accept that children are denied a free and bright future. We cannot accept that children are injured and killed.

We cannot accept the invasion of Ukraine by Russia and will therefore cut all ties on an institutional level with Russian organisations. HOPE will however continue to support all individuals who show respect and engagement for all children. This includes individual pedagogues in Russia. We will be ready to support them at an individual level in their efforts to work with and for the Charter of HOPE.

We will also seek contact with our Ukrainian counterparts in order to support them in these terrible times.

HOPE supports all efforts leading to peace in this conflict.

On behalf of the Board of HOPE,

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