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Migration Foundation

Migration Foundation was founded in 1999 in Mersin Province, which is one of the basic orientation areas of internal migration actions and forced migration. Migration Foundation moved the foundation center to Diyarbakir after executing its work in Mersin until 2010. In the new period, as a result of discussions conducted by the Foundation, it is decided that the studies and works on Women and Ecology fields have been effective in Diyarbakır but it was detected that the children's studies was limited and did not have the same effect as the two other fields. In this context, Migration Foundation decided to work primarily on the children who are the most heavily affected group by migration.

Three main working fields of the Migration Foundation based on the foundation's establishment-working pespective are 'Women, Children and Ecology' and these fields are determined as condition of existence of the foundation.

The foundation organizes its carried out works under the following titles: 'Research Projects', 'Preparation and Realization of Implementation Projects', 'Opening Service Centers' and 'Presentation of Social Life Supports'.

Migration Foundation Children Studies

Migration Foundation adopts the need to an integral and comprehensive framework in the studies developed for children.

Migration Foundation identified its priority target as the creation and making widespread the free habitats /spaces in which the children can improve theirselves.

Migration Foundation aims to develop social awareness about children's rights, to take part in the studies with the aim of influencing the rights-based local and national policies and in the future to spread such works in the region.

Migration Foundation's Basic Approach on Children's Studies

Migration Foundation based on the framework of human rights and child rights, defines the children as individuals in the nature and society with unique existence , reasonable, creative, interrogator, with will and responsibility, caring for the fun and games and active subjects which are acculturated in the society.

Foundation will carry out its works based on the child rights with a child-focused approach.

Migration Foundation believes especially in the importance of cooperation with people and agencies who have experience in the field of children, to carry out foundation's foreseen studies.

Regarding the studies which will be carried out for children, Migration Foundation pays attention to include the parents, educators and related sections of society based on voluntariness.

Migration Foundation's Projects for Children:

- -Child Life Centers
- -Education Scholarship
- -Child Rights Monitoring and Reporting



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