



Play Around the World

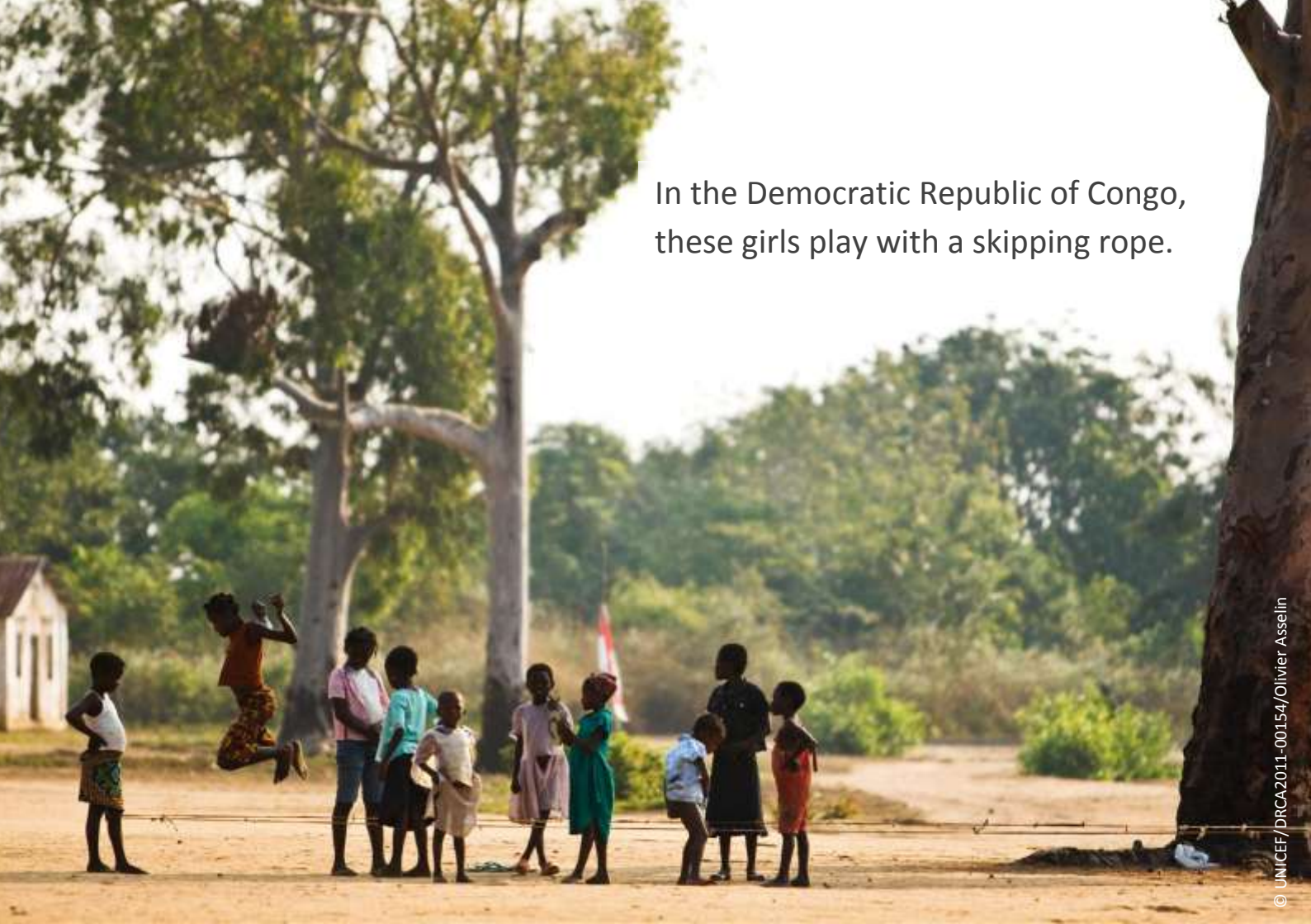
Children play all around the world.

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.

A photograph of three children playing in a colorful wooden play structure. Two children are peeking out from inside a red and blue cubby, while a third child is sitting on an orange rocking horse in front of it. The structure has multiple shelves filled with various toys. The background shows a metal lattice fence.

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.



A group of children are playing in a water spout on a street in the Philippines. The children are splashing water and laughing. A woman is also present, looking on. The scene is outdoors, with trees and a building in the background. The water is spraying out from a point on the ground, creating a large splash. The children are of various ages, and the woman is an adult. The overall atmosphere is joyful and playful.

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.



A photograph of two young boys playing in a powerful waterfall. The water is cascading down, creating a misty spray. The boy on the left is wearing a dark blue t-shirt and yellow shorts, while the boy on the right is wearing a red t-shirt and dark shorts. They are both looking down at the water. In the foreground, the dark, silhouetted leaves of a plant are visible on the right side. The overall scene is dynamic and captures a moment of childhood joy in nature.


These children from Thailand
play in the rushing waters of
a waterfall.

A photograph of three children playing a game on a concrete slab in front of a wooden building. A girl in a white tank top is sitting on a plank, rolling a stick. A boy in a green and white striped shirt is standing behind her, and another boy in a red shirt and blue shorts is sitting to the left. Several other sticks are on the ground. A text box on the right contains the following text:

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.



A photograph of a schoolyard in Korea where several children are playing on seesaws. The playground is made of dirt and has colorful metal frames for the equipment. In the background, there are school buildings and mountains. A semi-transparent text box is overlaid on the top right of the image.


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.



A group of five children are sitting on a wooden floor, focused on a matching game. They are looking at a grid of colored shapes on a piece of paper. The children are of various ages, and the setting appears to be a traditional wooden structure. The lighting is warm and natural.


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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