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Rights Rewritten

Directions: Read each article excerpt from the *Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR)* below. Rewrite each one in your own words to make it simpler and easier to understand. Keep the same meaning, but use simple, clear, and friendly language.

1. **Article 1:** "All human beings are born free and equal in dignity and rights. They are endowed with reason and conscience and should act toward one another in a spirit of brotherhood."

2. **Article 3:** "Everyone has the right to life, liberty, and security of person."

3. **Article 18:** "Everyone has the right to freedom of thought, conscience, and religion; this right includes freedom to change his religion or belief."

4. **Article 19:** "Everyone has the right to freedom of opinion and expression; this right includes freedom to hold opinions without interference."

5. **Article 26:** "Everyone has the right to education. Education shall be directed to the full development of the human personality."
