



# CANADIAN CHARTER OF RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS



## DEMOCRATIC RIGHTS:

The Charter protects rights that enable you to participate in the democratic process and have your voice heard in Parliament.



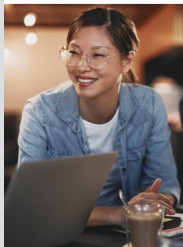
## EQUALITY RIGHTS:

Everyone has the right not to be discriminated against by the government based on personal characteristics like race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, sex, age disability or sexual orientation.



## FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS:

The Charter protects the freedom of conscience, religion, thought, belief, opinion, expression, peaceful assembly, and association.



## OFFICIAL LANGUAGES RIGHTS:

English and French both have equal status, rights and privileges as to their use in all institutions of the Parliament and government of Canada.



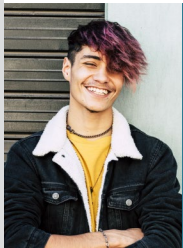
## LEGAL RIGHTS:

The Charter provides a broad set of legal rights that protect us in our dealings with the justice system. It ensures that everyone is treated fairly during legal proceedings.



## MINORITY LANGUAGE EDUCATION RIGHTS:

The Charter requires that provincial governments provide education to its citizens in the minority official language of the province where numbers warrant.



## MOBILITY RIGHTS:

All Canadians have the right to enter, stay in and leave Canada. The Charter also guarantees that you can look for work or set up a business anywhere in Canada.

