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Seeds of Change and the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child Excerpts

<u>Underline</u> details that define rights.	What do we learn about the importance of the right to learn?
Article 29 from the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child:	These details show that
Your education should help you use and develop your talents and abilities. It should also help you learn to live peacefully, protect the environment and respect other people.	
Seeds of Change, page 23	These details show that
Many [women] planted seedlings. Some men laughed and sneered. Planting trees was women's work, they said. Others complained that Wangari was too outspoken—with too many opinions and too much education for a woman.	
Wangari refused to listen to those who criticized her.	
Instead she told them, "Those trees [you] are cutting down today were not planted by [you] but by those who came before. You must plant trees that will benefit the community to come"	

Using key details in the excerpts, explain why education is an important right for all.	