

## Grade 6 Video Content Summary

Teachers should preview all video content before screening it for students. Lengths are approximate running times. Before use, consider classroom and community sensitivities, and age-appropriateness.

**Make Change Video - Included in K-8 Programs for promotional purposes only.**

**Make Change** is a music video performed by Nolan Balzer to music and lyrics written by Olaf Pytlík. This is original music written for **makeChange: The Ladybug Foundation Education Program**.

This empowering video introduces Hannah Taylor and merges the reality of homelessness with the ability to make a difference just by stepping outside of normal boundaries to engage with the homeless.

**This video is not recommended for presentation in the Program to K-8 students. The video is an artistic representation of Hannah’s journey and young students may not distinguish that from the reality of safety concerns of unsafe areas and approaching strangers, despite safety warnings from teachers.**

*Contains Hannah’s warning about taking care with strangers.*

**Length: five minutes**

### **Grade Level Vignette**

Hannah Taylor introduces **makeChange: The Ladybug Foundation Education Program** with a short video vignette, different for each grade. Each short video highlights an image or “moment” relevant to what is to be taught during the Program.

**Length: one minute**

Key Word: “occupation”

### **Share a Little of What You Have**

This documentary of images of homelessness, poverty and hope, and stories of change, ultimately encourages everyone to follow the example of Hannah and “share a little of what you have and care about each other always.”

**Length: 13 minutes**

Key Words: “outcast” “inspire”

**Fragile**

**Fragile** is a music video performed by young, talented Amanda Falk to lyrics and music written by Amanda Falk. The music is powerful and depicts motivating and thoughtful imagery of hunger, homelessness and poverty from around the world.

**Length: five minutes**

**Hannah's Speech**

Recorded at age 11, Hannah speaks to students through this video as she has spoken to thousands of people across Canada and in other parts of the world. Listen to Hannah's story, and her inspiring message of love and caring.

**Length: 22 minutes**

**Hannah's Vision**

This inspiring video shows Hannah at work, and depicts the remarkable impact that Hannah, as a nine-year-old, and her Ladybug Foundation, made on the homeless and the community.

**Length: 6:30 minutes**

**Hannah's Passion**

This documentary, produced for television, tells the story of how Hannah and The Ladybug Foundation started. It describes Hannah's "moment of change" and how that moment shaped her family and affected her community and the people she set out to help. Note that, as it was produced for television, Hannah's Passion contains two "breaks" (intended for advertising).

**Length: 21 minutes**

**Homes of Hope**

This documentary takes place in Tijuana, Mexico. Hannah, along with her family and friends traveled to the slums of Tijuana to build a house for a homeless single mother and her two children. Students are introduced to the struggles of a different kind of poverty in a foreign country, and grow attached to Leslie, Ricardo and Christie as they watch their home rise from the hearts and efforts of a group of caring people.

**Length: 17:30 minutes**

### **Stories from the Street**

This documentary tells stark and honest stories of life on the streets of Calgary, from the voices of the homeless and the leaders of organizations trying to help. Viewers will quickly that homelessness in Canada knows no ethnic, gender or age boundaries. There are no easy answers but the root of change comes from hope and caring.

Content Warning: some graphic content and images

**Length: 16:30 minutes**

### **Voices of Africa**

In a remote African village, viewers will meet a community of people that survive on less than one meal a day, struggle through drought, no education, and disease, where women carry the daily burdens of home, family and income. Yet it is an inspiring story of hope, as we learn of the many challenges they face, yet witness the joy and pride of a community that have found that education is the answer to elevating themselves from poverty.

**Length: 11:20 minutes**

### **Right to Rights**

These documentaries introduce viewers to children from around the globe, as they tell their compelling stories of the abuses of children's rights. Not one story is the same, yet they share an unimaginable suffering and a determined vision for change.

The children in this documentary participate as jury members for The World's Children's Prize for the Rights of the Child, and are learning about their human rights. Despite their often bleak circumstances, they are standing up and demanding their rights be recognized: rights to education, shelter, safety and, ultimately, the right to be valued.

For grades other than Senior Years, Right to Rights stories are broken out into segment videos with content and images appropriate to recommended grades. The breakout video for Grade 6 is:

#### **Gaba**

The story of Gabatshwane Gumeda, a teenage girl who is an aids orphan from South Africa.

Content Warning: some graphic images and content

**Length: 7:10 minutes**

The National Film Board of Canada has produced a video about Hannah entitled "**Hannah's Story**". Copies may be obtained through the National Film Board's website at [www.nfb.ca](http://www.nfb.ca).