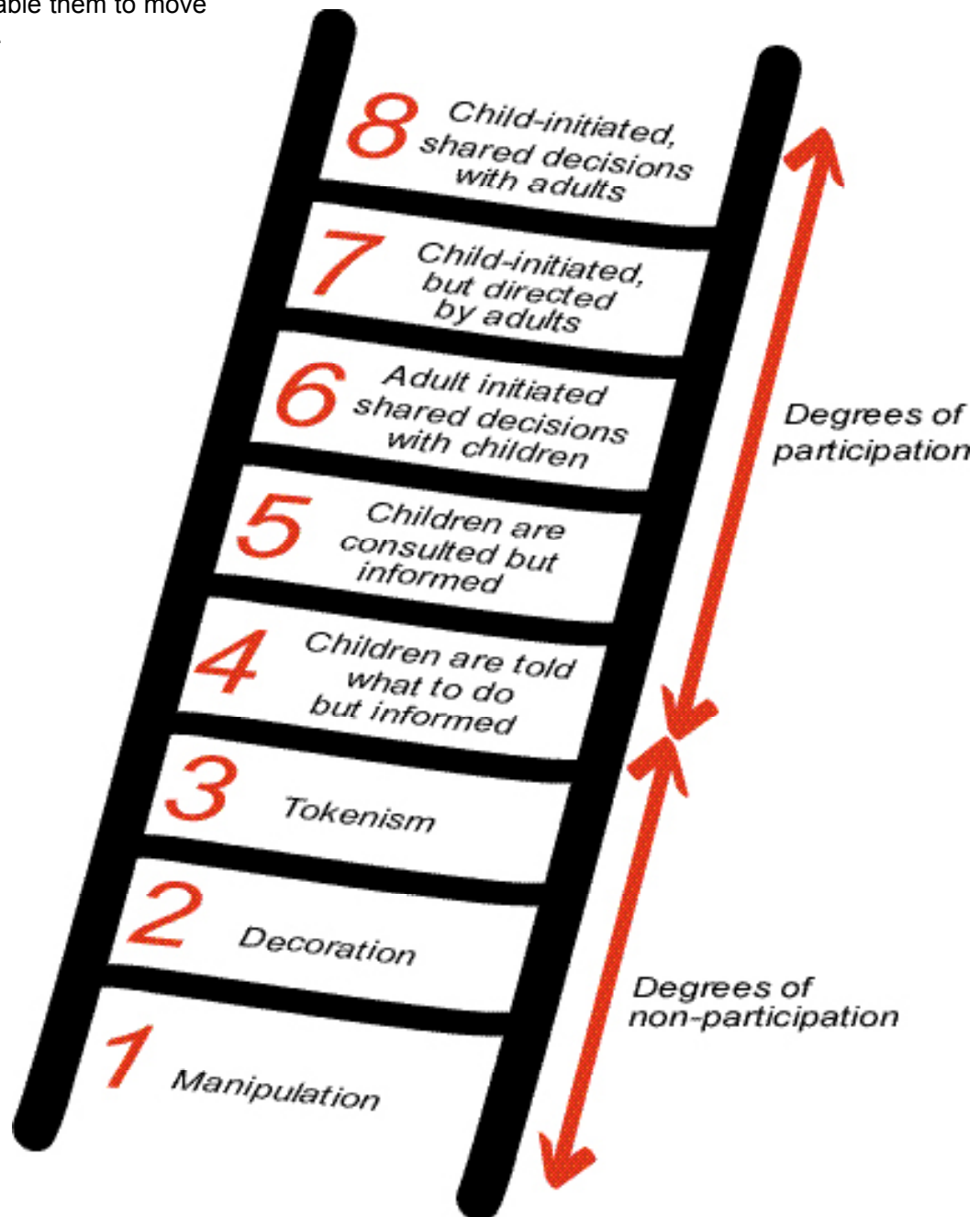


HART'S LADDER OF PARTICIPATION

Hart's ladder of participation a useful model for thinking about children's citizenship, how they learn, and how we intervene in that learning. We often find ourselves moving between 'rungs' on this ladder. Experience of the 'middle rungs' is often needed by children, to develop the skills that will enable them to move further up the ladder.



Roger Hart, 1992