

PROJECT PEACEMAKERS

These educational resources are the result of an initiative of *Project Peacemakers*, a Manitoba non-profit community organisation that has been in existence since 1983. *Project Peacemakers*, the local group of *Project Ploughshares Canada*, is dedicated to social action and public education to promote peace, non-violence and social justice.

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Themes in this curriculum resource are:

- Creating a Culture of Peace
- Power, Conflict and Cooperation in the Global Village
- Media Literacy

Resources include:

- Websites
- Recommended Videos for **Middle** and Senior **years**
- Curricular Connections to Social Studies
- Quotations about Peace and War
- Peace Journal Prompts for **Middle** and Senior **years**
- Canadian Peacebuilders
- Peacebuilders Hall of Fame

Our Peace CURRICULUM: Creating a Culture of Peace

A Peace Education Resource for Manitoba Teachers

- We are currently revising our very popular Peace Curriculum. We will keep you posted on its development.
- Creating a Culture of Peace: Early Years - (OLD EDITION) Grades 1 to 4 [click here](#)
- Creating a Culture of Peace: Middle years - (OLD EDITION) Grades 5 to 8 [click here](#)
- Creating a Culture of Peace Senior Years 2013 Revision

CHILDREN AND WAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL KIT.

Children and War Elementary School Kit. This kit provides lessons for students in grades 4-6 about the various issues affecting children living in warzones including: sanctions, refugees, child soldiers and military spending. It provides many activities for children and additional lessons on conflict resolution and being a peacebuilder. Download it here for free without the game.

[Teacher's Resource Guide](#)

[Elementary School Kit](#)

CHILDREN AND WAR DRAMA PROJECT

This play is a result of the collaborative efforts of numerous Winnipeg high school students and former child soldiers from Sierra Leone. It is educational and entertaining. [Download it here](#) and produce it for your group.

· *"I played with guns when I was a child, and I'm ok"*

This very popular building peace through play pamphlet has been distributed to thousands of elementary school children. It encourages parents to think carefully about their choices of toys and provides hints for parents who want to eliminate violence from their children's toy boxes. [Download pamphlet here](#)

· *VIOLENT VIDEO GAMES- What are the effects?*

This four page article summarizes recent findings about the effects of violent video games on children and provides action ideas for parents. [Download it here](#)