

GRADE ONE Winter Workshop Series Outline

LESSON ONE: GRATITUDE

Conflict Resolution Skills: Learners will explore strategies to demonstrate respect for others, respect for the environment, and demonstrating gratitude to others by creating a plan to responsibly interact with others and the environment.

Curriculum Expectations Covered:

- Language; Oral Communication 2.7- use one or more appropriate visual aids to support or enhance oral presentations
- Social Studies A3.4- identify elements of respectful behaviour that they can practice in their everyday life
- Social Studies B1.3- create a plan that outline some specific ways in which they can responsibly interact with the built and/ or natural community

LESSON TWO: PRINCIPLES OF CONFLICT

Conflict Resolution Skills: Learners will apply strategies for sharing, respect, understanding others, and teamwork in cooperative games.

Curriculum Expectations Covered:

- Arts B1.1 engage in a dramatic play and role play, with a focus on exploring a variety of sources from diverse communities, times and places
- Arts B1.4 communicate feelings and ideas to a familiar audience using a few simple visual or technological aids to support and enhance their drama work
- Arts B2.1 express feelings and ideas about a drama experience or performance in a variety of ways, making personal connections to the characters and themes in the story (continued)

OBJECTIVE

Learners will develop conflict resolution skills and self efficacy in your grade two classroom in hands-on activities, like games, drama, art and simulations.

TIME | 60 minutes

MATERIALS

- Space: all activities can be done in your own classroom!
- Whiteboard and markers

YOUR WORKSHOP SERIES INCLUDES:

- 5 cross-curricular workshops
- 2 TREE classroom facilitators
- Weekly evaluation tools
- Weekly additional classroom resources:
 - Activity suggestions
 - Sharing circle prompts
 - Read-aloud guide
- Resources for families

(lesson two continued)

- Language; Oral 1.6 extend understanding of oral texts by connecting the ideas in them to their own knowledge and experience; to other familiar texts, the world around them
- Language; Oral 2.7 use one or more appropriate visual aids to support or enhance oral presentations
- Social Studies A1.4 describe the impact people can have on each other in different situations

LESSON THREE: FAIRNESS IN CONFLICT

Conflict Resolution Skills: Learners will use critical thinking skills to identify fairness and unfairness in stories, and will apply strategies to create fair conflict outcomes in a cooperative game.

Curriculum Expectations Covered:

• Language; Reading 1.1 - read a few different types of literary texts and informational texts

LESSON FOUR: MINDFULNESS AND OUR FEELINGS

Conflict Resolution Skills: Learners will apply preventative tools for self-care, self-awareness, and emotional management by participating in arts- and writing-based activities.

Curriculum Expectations Covered:

- Arts A1.4 use a varied/ contrasting body shapes to communicate different types of messages
- Arts D1.1 create 2 and 3 dimensional works of art that express feelings and ideas inspired by personal experiences
- Language; Writing 2.2 begin to establish a personal voice in their writing by using pictures and words that convey their attitude or feeling towards the subject or audience

LESSON FIVE: FRIENDSHIP

Conflict Resolution Skills: Learners will identify how their actions as individuals affect their friends, by applying principles of the Intent, Action, Effect model in team-building and collaborative games.

Curriculum Expectations Covered:

- Health C2.3 demonstrate the ability to recognize caring behaviours and exploitive behaviours, and describe the feelings associated with each
- Social Studies A1.4 describe the impact that people can have on each other in some different situations and some ways in which interactions between people can affect a person's sense of self
- Social Studies A2.1- formulate questions to guide investigations into some aspects of the interrelationship between events, people and/or places in their lives
- Social Studies A3.5 demonstrate an understanding that it is important to treat other people and the environment with respect
- Social Studies A3.1- describe their own roles, relationships, and responsibilities

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