

Creating a culture of peace

a new peace education resource for early years teachers

Education is at the heart of any strategy for peace-building. It is through education that the broadest possible introduction can be provided to the values, skills and knowledge which form the basis of respect for human rights and democratic principles, the rejection of violence, and a spirit of tolerance, understanding and mutual appreciation among individuals, groups and nations.

- *Education for a Culture of Peace*,
Canadian Commission for
UNESCO (2000)

This classroom-ready resource consists of the following:

- age-appropriate lesson plans organized under three themes:
 - *Peace and Conflict*
 - *Peaceful Play*
 - *Children Around the World*
- background information, activity sheets and reproducible materials
- connections to the new Manitoba social studies curriculum
- annotated resource list including websites, videos and literature quotation bank, peace time line, teacher guidelines and references

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