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Authors:	Stomfay-Stitz, Aline Wheeler, Edyth
Source:	Childhood Education ; Fall2007, Vol. 84 Issue 1, p30H-30K, 3p
Document Type:	Article
Subject Terms:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *PEACE -- Societies, etc. *PEACE studies *CHILDREN & peace *SCHOOL violence *PREVENTION *CONFLICT management *MEDIATION STUDY & teaching
Abstract:	<p>The article discusses how the creation of <i>a peace club</i> can prevent school violence. The United Nations provides information on how <i>peace clubs</i> can be organized. <i>Peace clubs</i> would promote peaceful conflict resolution and mediation. The authors suggest activities <i>for peace club</i> members such as composing essays on <i>peace</i>, using math skills to chart hardships faced by children <i>in other</i> countries, and using children's literature to examine peaceful solutions to disputes.</p>

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