

MIDDLE/SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL CONFLICT RESOLUTION

This is a program that helps students resolve conflicts in constructive manner.

TIME REQUIRED: 40-45 minutes, one class period

OBJECTIVES:

Students will:

- See that a certain amount of conflict is normal, even between friends
- Learn that conflict can be an opportunity for growth and learning
- Recognize certain behaviors as “conflict starters” and learn ways to avoid them
- Identify certain behaviors as “conflict solvers” and learn ways to use them

OUTLINE:

1. The students will begin by defining conflict and listing examples
2. Next list words/phrases that can start and solve conflicts
3. Show clips from the DVD *Conflict Resolution: You Can Solve It!*
4. Have students do role plays, listening for the conflict starters and solvers
5. Go over the handout

MATERIALS:

Video: DVD of *Conflict Resolution: You Can Solve It!*
Role plays of conflict situations
List of conflict starters and conflict solvers

HANDOUT:

Conflict Starters OR Conflict Solvers

FACILITIES:

Individual classroom
Ability to play a DVD
White/Chalkboard