



CONFLICT

**I can handle conflict and
stand up for others.**

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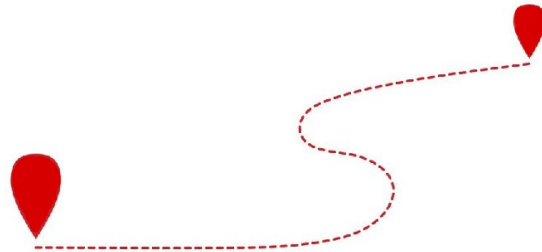
Ant Problems



Big Foot Problems



Milewide Problems



Conflict Cards

<p>My friend and I both want the same toy.</p>	<p>My brother and I can't decide on what game to play.</p>	<p>It's my turn to play the video game and my sister won't let me play.</p>
<p>A whole group of kids are yelling about the rules of a soccer game.</p>	<p>While playing football at recess, we can't agree on if the ball was caught out of bounds.</p>	<p>My brother knocked down my Lego building and I am so mad.</p>
<p>My mother says I can't go to the park with my friends until I clean my room.</p>	<p>I am stuck on a math problem and no one has time to help me.</p>	<p>I come out to play and I see two friends yelling at each other.</p>
<p>I see a girl in my class writing on her desk.</p>	<p>My teacher says I have to wait my turn to talk, but I really want to talk right now.</p>	<p>I am arguing with my Dad about chores. I am yelling and starting to cry.</p>
<p>When I walk out of a movie with my friends, I see a group of kids punching a boy.</p>	<p>I am riding my bike at the park with some friends. A kid from school that talks funny asks to ride bikes with us. My friends start to call him names.</p>	<p>I hear a kid at church say he is going to "beat-up" another kid after school on Monday.</p>
<p>While coming out from a store, I see two adults yelling at each other in the parking lot. They seem really mad.</p>	<p>My sister took my favorite shirt without asking. Then she spilled grape juice on it.</p>	<p>I new kid comes to school and no one wants to play with him at recess.</p>

Solution Words

Either print out these words in color and cut this apart OR write them on colored craft sticks of the matching color.

(Stars indicate skills they will learn later in this week.)

Count to 10

Go play with somebody else

Take a turn

Share

Use a kind voice and friendly words

Wait

Ignore

Walk away, cool off, come back later

Use an I message*

Leave

Go talk to someone else about a solution

Give choices

But if not...*

Get help

Talk to a grown up

I Feel

I feel...

when...

What I need is...

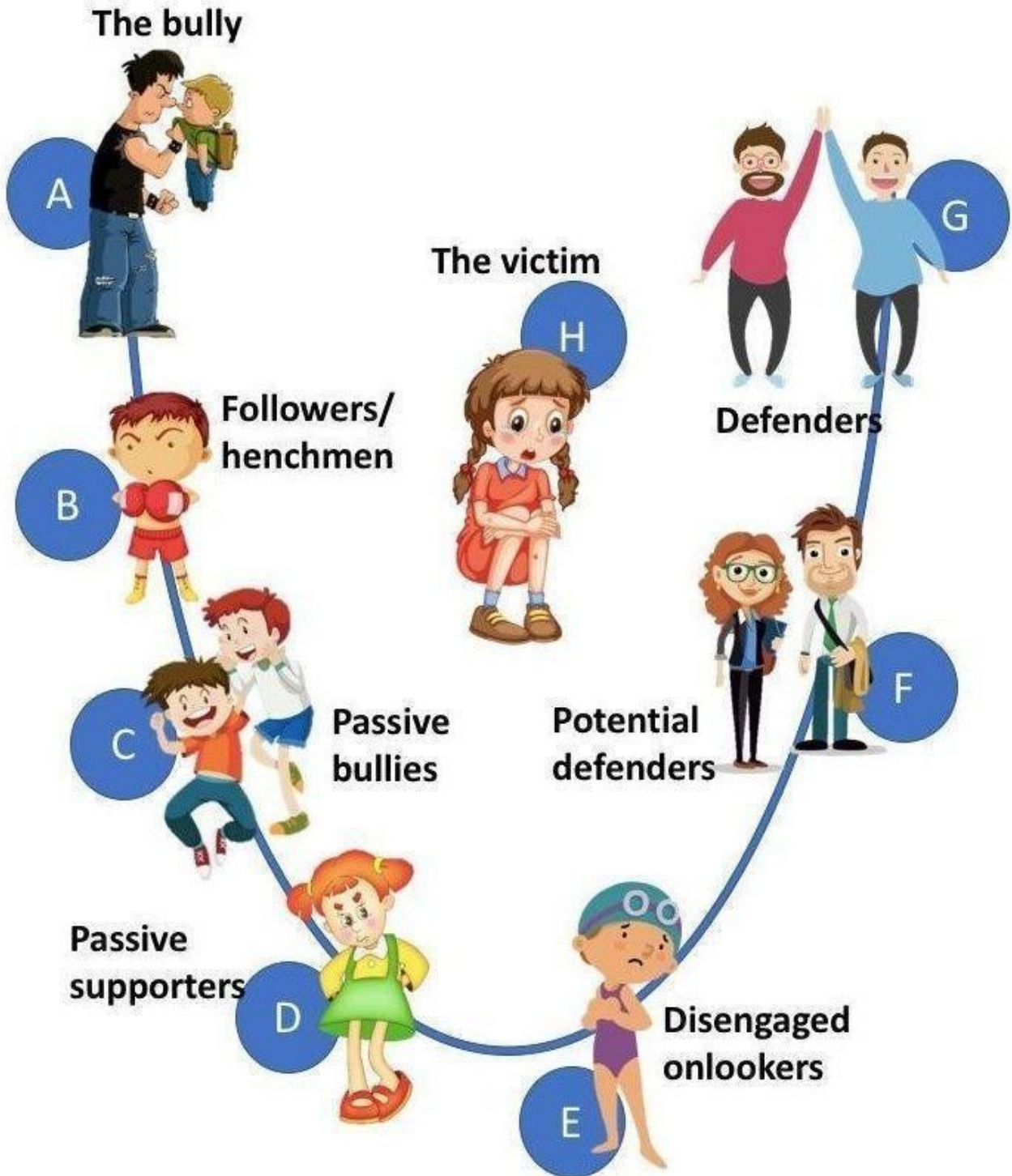
How about we...

I want...

Truth Teller

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1	Someone that looks different from me	copy your homework.	4
	You can't play with me	Someone asks to	Someone says they want to fight you after school.
8	I am going to take your lunch.	Someone is calling your friend names.	5
	7	You can't come in here.	6
	You can't have your turn.		

Bully Shield



Bully Shield Cheat Sheet

A: The bully or the bullies – choose the victims and initiate the bullying.

B: The bully's henchmen – don't initiate the bullying, but they'll take part in the action once it's begun.

C: The passive bullies – support bullying and you'll often see them cheering on the behavior while it's busy happening.

D: The passive supporters – like the bullying but won't show their interest or engagement when it happens.

E: The disengaged onlookers or bully bystanders – refuse to engage in and often ignore the problem.

F: The potential defenders – see the problem and acknowledge that something needs to be done but haven't taken action yet.

G: The defenders – actively help the victim and protect them from the bullying.

H: The victim – the person who's on the receiving end of the bullying.

Poem

#ForTheBullies

This one's for the bullies.
We'll try to keep it quick.
Your vile words and actions are enough to make us sick.
We're bored of being taunted.
Too old for playing rough.
And now we're here to tell you that enough is now enough.

This one's for the bullies.
You've really had your fill.
We're here to send a warning, or, a message if you will.
You thought we could be beaten.
We've only just begun.
And now it's time to tell you that your reign of pain is done.

This one's for the bullies.
We hope you've used your ears.
Our team is on the rise as you begin to lose your peers.
Everybody's sick of being beaten black and blue,
so we're standing up to bullies and we're standing up to you.

Poem by Daniel Butler

Conflict: I can handle conflict and stand up for others.

Handwriting practice lines consisting of five sets of three horizontal lines each. Each set includes a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line.

Conflict: I can handle conflict and stand up for others.

Handwriting practice lines consisting of solid top and bottom lines with a dashed midline.

Conflict Quotes

Nothing in life is to be feared, it is only to be understood. Now is the time to understand more, so that we may fear less. — Marie Curie

Don't ever let them pull you down so low as to hate them.— Booker T. Washington

A solid rock is not disturbed by the wind; even so, a wise person is not agitated by praise or blame.
— Dhammapada

If you talk to a man in a language he understands, that goes to his head. If you talk to him in his language, that goes to his heart. — Nelson Mandela

I swore never to be silent whenever human beings endure suffering and humiliation. We must always take sides. Neutrality helps the oppressor, never the victim. Silence encourages the tormentor, never the tormented. — Elie Weisel

Peace cannot be kept by force. It can only be achieved by understanding. — Albert Einstein

Only reverence can restrain violence — reverence for human life and the environment.
— Rev. William Sloan Coffin, Jr.

He took over anger to intimidate subordinates, and in time anger took over him. — Milan Kundera

War does not determine who is right - only who is left. — Bertrand Russell

Character cannot be developed in ease and quiet. Only through experiences of trial and suffering can the soul be strengthened, vision cleared, ambition inspired and success achieved. — Helen Keller

There is no time left for anything but to make peace work a dimension of our every waking activity. —
Elise Boulding

Those for whom peace is no more than a dream are asleep to the future. — Jack DuVall

There are three truths: my truth, your truth and the truth. — Chinese Proverb

Scriptures for Conflict

2 Corinthians 12:10 - Therefore I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in necessities, in persecutions, in distresses for Christ's sake: for when I am weak, then am I strong.

Matthew 25:40 - And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done [it] unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done [it] unto me.

Isaiah 29:20 - For the terrible one is brought to nought, and the scorner is consumed, and all that watch for iniquity are cut off:

Mark 10:14 - But when Jesus saw [it], he was much displeased, and said unto them, Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not: for of such is the kingdom of God.

Matthew 7:1 - Judge not, that ye be not judged.

John 12:48 - He that rejecteth me, and receiveth not my words, hath one that judgeth him: the word that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the last day.

Jude 1:4 - For there are certain men crept in unawares, who were before of old ordained to this condemnation, ungodly men, turning the grace of our God into lasciviousness, and denying the only Lord God, and our Lord Jesus Christ.

Isaiah 59:7 - Their feet run to evil, and they make haste to shed innocent blood: their thoughts [are] thoughts of iniquity; wasting and destruction [are] in their paths.

Books for Conflict

- *Bully B.E.A.N.S.*, by Julie Cook
- *The Recess Queen*, by Alexis O'Neill and Laura Huliska-Beith
- *The Oak Inside the Acorn*, by Max Lucado
- *The Invisible Boy*, by Trudy Ludwig
- *Tales from the Bully Box*, by Cat Woods, Sarah Tregay, Lauren Neil, Steven Carman, Linda Brewer, Eden Grey, K.R. Smith, Precy Larkins
- *Strictly No Elephants*, by Lisa Mantchev
- *Stand Tall, Molly Lou Melon*, by Patty Lovell
- *Stick and Stone*, by Beth Ferry
- *Llama Llama and the Bully Goat*, by Anna Dewdney
- *The Berenstain Bears and Too Much Teasing*, by Stan and Jan Berenstain
- *The Story of Ferdinand*, by Munro Leaf
- *A Glass Full of Rumors*, by A.M. Marcus
- *Chrysanthemum*, by Kevin Henkes
- *Nothing Rhymes with Orange*, by Adam Rex
- *Stand in My Shoes: Kids Learning About Empathy*, by Bob Sornson PhD
- *Wonder*, by R.J. Palacio
- *Thank You, Mr. Falker*, by Patricia Polacco
- *Hey, Little Ant*, by Phillip and Hannah Hoose
- *Say Something*, by Peggy Moss
- *My Princess Boy*, by Cheryl Kilodavis
- *The Smallest Girl in the Smallest Grade*, by Justin Roberts

Conflict Hymn Study

Complete the following hymn study routine for “Onward Christian Soldiers”

(This hymn is public domain. Simply Google the title for music and words. A link to a pdf copy is on the blog under Habits of Friendship, links for Conflict

1. Copy the words to the hymn in your best handwriting. Write each verse on its own stanza.
2. Google the hymn title and read about the history of the hymn. Write/narrate a short summary of the history.
3. Sing all the verses of the hymn.
4. If you play an instrument, learn to play the hymn.
5. Talk about what this hymn teaches you about conflict.