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Storytelling for Peace

An activity "From murder to forgiveness to peace"

In the February 2018 issue of *What's Up*, you'll find an amazing story, "From murder to forgiveness to peace" (page 14). Like the two men in the story, you too can promote values. Storytelling is a powerful way to do so. Create and share a story using the facts in this story. When you use oral storytelling effectively, you convert an article full of facts into a beautiful tale that your audience enjoys.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. FORM groups of four to six members each.
2. READ "From murder to forgiveness to peace" (page 14, *What's Up* February 2018).
3. DECIDE, as a group, whose standpoint you will tell the story from. You may select any one person mentioned or add characters of your own. Use the table below to plan the rest of the details.

Plan for Storytelling Project	
1	Whose standpoint will you present? <i>Select only one.</i> <input type="checkbox"/> father, Azim <input type="checkbox"/> grandfather, Ples <input type="checkbox"/> Tony <input type="checkbox"/> Tariq <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
2	What are the key events in your story? <i>In point form, jot down all that happens in your story from the beginning to the end. This will help you to decide the rest of the details below. Remember to always look at what happened from the standpoint of the person your group chose.</i>
3	Who will your audience be? <input type="checkbox"/> Younger children (e.g. a lower primary class) <input type="checkbox"/> Peers (e.g. your class) <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed (e.g. families)
5	What are your tasks? <i>Basically, who should do what. Make sure every member has something to do.</i> a) Name: _____ Task: _____ d) Name: _____ Task: _____ b) Name: _____ Task: _____ e) Name: _____ Task: _____ c) Name: _____ Task: _____ f) Name: _____ Task: _____
5	When will you tell your story? <i>Discuss your options with your teacher. Some possibilities: visit another class, present during recess, before/after a parent-teacher conference, as an item in a concert etc.</i>