

Step 6 Examples of Projects



In this section you will find 9 examples of possible Gifts for Peace projects. There is one example for each age section in each of the three areas. These examples contain activities and links to ongoing projects that deal with these themes.

Every example project follows the 4 step process of:

1. Identifying the problem
2. Developing Awareness and Empathy
3. Taking action
4. Measuring the change

	Under 11	11-15	Over 15
Encouraging greater solidarity	 Our Community	 Street Children	 Globalisation - The North/South Divide
Challenging Prejudice	 Disabilities	 Ethnic Hatred - Conflict between communities	 Kids Having Kids
Managing conflict without violence	 Toys and Heroes	 Gangs and Street Violence	 Self Harm

"Peace starts with a smile." Mother Teresa

***Please note that this section contains information on a number of sensitive social issues that occur in society and are faced by young people every day. Scouting worldwide tackles these issues, for example, child labour in El Salvador and Egypt, street children in Kenya, conflict and war in the Great Lakes region of Africa, HIV and AIDS in many African Scout Organizations. Before dealing with an issue you should ensure that you are well informed and that all discussions and activities are appropriate to your Scouts, their age, situation, beliefs and culture.

Education for a greater understanding of social issues can help young people to grow up with greater tolerance and respect for others, but all care should be taken to see that this is done in an informed way and with attention to cultural sensitivities.