Quote Matching

Goal: to associate various ideas and philosophies with key individuals.

General Concept: to give students a fun and competitive way to learn the philosophies and ideas of key individuals.

Process:

- 1. Hang up the names of key individuals related to one of the course's content areas (e.g. for Positive Peace one could list Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., Paulo Freire, Helder Camara, Johan Galtung, John Paul Lederach, Desmond Tutu, etc.).
- 2. Break the class into two or more groups and hand each group an equal amount of quotes that the key individuals either said or wrote.
- 3. Have each group match the quote with the individual.
- 4. The first group to match all their quotes with the correct individual wins.

Ideal for: *bodily-kinesthetic learners* who can move around the classroom posting the quotes underneath the appropriate individual; *interpersonal learners* who works well in teams and likes to compete against other teams; ideal for the verbal-linguistic learner

Important for peace education because it links key ideas with those who developed them.

Modifications:

• Have a central stack of quotes located in between the two teams. A member from each team comes and grabs a quote from the stack, takes it back to their team and works with them to figure out who said it or wrote it. Once the team agrees the person runs up and places the quote under the individuals. If a team puts the quote in the wrong place, the teacher takes it down from under the person and places is back on the bottom on the stack to be pulled again later. The activity continues until all the quotes from the stack have been correctly placed. The team that correctly places the most quotes is the winner.