



Year of WITNESS Curriculum Connections: Fully Alive

NOTE TO TEACHERS:

During this third year of the TCDSB pastoral plan, we focus on Witness. Throughout the Fully Alive Program, there are many examples, stories and activity ideas that capture this theme. Witness is very present in all topics of Living in the World (Theme 5) in each grade.

Theme 5, from the primary through intermediate grades, focuses on hope for our world. It delivers the message that individuals can make a difference in the world by focussing our students and making them aware of the richness and potential of human activity.

In the older grades, social issues are presented throughout the topics in the theme. Year six has a few other topics in other themes that also focus on being witnesses of our faith and making a difference. The topics allow students to explore and analyse issues, as they are offered the constant message of hope which is the necessary foundation for a personal commitment to build God's world.

The Fully Alive program in year 8 closes with a discussion of some of the personal qualities and skills that are needed for the work of social justice.

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