

Diplomacy

Aspirational Definition of Diplomacy

Listen in order to Understand
Respect
Ongoing Process
Multi-lingual (translations)
Flexible
Good Communications
Listening Skills (You vs. I or We)
Necessary Knowledge
Offer Feedback/Listen
Big Picture
Open Mindedness
Power to Commit
Goal of Reaching Some Agreement
Trust
Confidence Building and Dialogue
Committed Problem Solvers
Concrete Goal
Inclusion of Diversity
Consensus Building
Research
Patience
Willing to Take Risks and Give Something
Attitude Towards Others as Partner
Tolerance
Knowing Your Boss
Willing to Resign

What do we know? (Accomplishments, successes, breakthroughs, worldwide)

1. Universal Declaration of Human Rights
2. Woodrow Wilson League of Nations (led to United Nations)
3. Con??? CWDAW (This is from the Eastern European Woman that you had to write it out – I can't decipher the first word...)
4. Truth Council in South Africa
5. Civil Rights Movement in U.S.
6. Gandhi Non-violent Movement in India
7. Establishment of European Union
8. Spread of Low Cost Technology
9. Internet
10. Declaration of Rights for People with Disabilities
11. Ceasar Chaves' Work
12. Kyoto Accord

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13. Purity of U.S. Constitution & Bill of Rights
14. Creation of the State of Israel
15. Process of Decolonization
16. End of the Cold War
17. Suffrage – Women’s Votes
18. United Nations
19. NAFTA
20. Space Program
21. Disarmament Agreement
22. Mediation within Court Systems
23. Environmentalism
24. Amiable Divorce

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Commitments

Rosann Naim – work for fair elections, clean elections in Dallas

Margaret Baker – Network on the internet with women who need help

Ed Thomas – I pledge to network and cooperate with more individuals – especially women's groups, working for peace

Diana Mitchell – Join local chapter of U.N. Association

Elizabeth Phillips – I am going to join the Houston United Nations Association

Caroline Yeung – Inform myself in issues surrounding post-war reconciliation (Truth and Recon. Model/SA) to be used in other war torn countries

Ravza Kavakci Kan – I will start to work closely with an NGO

Sally Gutowski – I will ask my school district to have studies of foreign countries, invite speakers to talk about their culture and will invite a group to my home to discuss countries in conflict.

Esther Vasquez – Work with other NGO's (network), spread the word that we can have peace, become more knowledgeable and active towards political leaders

Nona Bahari – I would like to enhance my English and want to write about peace more. I was a journalist and now am a freelance writer. I do hope to keep networking

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Armelita Cajuat – Learn Spanish language, write/email my legislators on peacemaking, peacekeeping

Estell White – Inspired, shared knowledge, live television, the world is a little better by us being here,

Mary Overton – Bringing the 60th anniversary of the Universal Bill of Human Rights to the Church Building of the U.N. Plaza as a coordinated interdenominational effort.

Make peacemaking a priority in the planning of my denomination's 1st International Convocation in 2009

Kay Schachter - I have marched, I have written my congressperson, I have even contributed my daughter of peace for the world.

Share all I have learned with my sisters in Women of Reform Judaism – we are 75,000 women strong

C. L. Hansen – help others with web links and technology

R. Lucey – Call, write and visit Senators Martinez and Nelson and Representative Keller And urge others to do the same; March and protest for peace; Naming Iraqi war dead at Senators' offices

Winona Curfman – I commit to work on grassroots level for political candidate who thinks about conflict resolution

I commit to helping people register to vote and informing them where and when to vote