Let There Be PEACE

As members of Leadership EEB, six students agreed to be peer mediators on our campus. Peer mediators help younger students resolve problems. In other words, these students are the chosen peace-keepers. As such, I called them into my Guidance Office to discuss and write what peace means to them. The following are their responses.

Ronnie Hardison from Mrs. Gauch's class writes: "Peace means to me that people would be in harmony. People would not hate each other and people would love one another. To make the world more peaceful, I would build all the buildings that got wrecked over. I would try to calm down the world by telling people it was going to be all right. I would give blood to people in New York."

Charity Bouie from Ms. Gallagher's class writes: "Peace is being left alone and free. If I could make the world peaceful, I'd donate money and send it to New York to help the world. I'd also help the world by giving canned food to the kids in New York. The last thing I'd do to help the world would be by sending letters to the kids in the schools for comfort."

Breanna Douglas from Miss Henry's class writes: "If there was peace, the world would always be friendly and then the world would be honest and there would be no violence. The word peace means to me that nothing bad would ever happen and that people would be kind and nice to each other."

Aaron McRae from Mrs. Henke-Weber's class writes: "To me, the word peace means being calm. It means being united. To make the world more peaceful, I could start being nice to everyone. I could tell all of my family members to be nice to others and I could put a message in a newspaper."

Ieashia Johnson from Ms. Gallagher's class writes: "If there was peace, the people of the world would always tell the truth and the world would not have any trouble so people would be kind to each other. Peace means to me quiet and nothing wrong or bad happening."

Victor Johnson Jr., from Mrs. Gauch's class writes: "The word peace means to me everybody would come together and do to others as you would want someone to do to you. If the world had peace, nobody would fight or hurt anybody. We wouldn't have to go to the office."