



LESSON 5.10 Quotes - Part I

Module #5: Exploration of Others

Since having a great high school experience is really all about relationships, it is important for freshmen to explore the values and beliefs of other students – and how they're similar and different. There are dangers in not taking the time to truly understand the people we consider "different" from us – dangers that can have a lifetime of negative consequence.

Enduring Understandings

- I. **Race, gender, ethnicity, and culture are all different and cannot be interchanged. Understanding each is an integral part of getting to know others and what defines them.**
- II. **Stereotyping is very common and very dangerous – if not recognized and corrected.**

Essential Questions

- I. **What is culture? (I)**
- II. **What is stereotyping and what are the dangers of stereotyping? (II)**
- III. **What is ethnic intimidation? (II)**

Lesson Objective(s)

Students will use famous quotes to reflect and respond to what they have learned throughout this module.

Lesson 5.8

Lesson 5.9

Lesson 5.10

Lesson 5.11

Lesson 6.1

Directions:

1. Distribute a copy of the "Quotes" handout to each freshman.
2. The faculty advisor and student leaders should each select one quote that resonates with them and share why with the class.
3. Have the freshmen read the quotes individually and reflect on why two or three of the quotes resonate with them.
4. Have students find a partner and share one of his/her favorite quotes and then share again with another partner.
5. If time permits, ask a few freshmen to share the quotes they selected and why they resonated.

Materials & Supplies

- Copies of "Quotes" handout.

**FOCUS
POINT**

This is the opportunity to reflect on the entire module and bring all the lessons learned together. Hopefully, freshman can articulate some of what they learned through their interpretation of these powerful quotes.

- The interactive game, *Hate Comes Home*, is an excellent supplement to Module 5. We strongly recommend you use it with this module to enhance student understanding of cultures and stereotypes.
- To order a *Hate Comes Home* subscription, visit the following website:
<http://www.willinteractive.com/hate-comes-home>
- If you choose not to purchase and use the *Hate Comes Home* program, we recommend showing movie clips that illustrate and discuss the dangers of stereotyping and cultural biases.

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“Quotes”

The real voyage of discovery lies not in seeking new landscapes ... but in having new eyes.

-Marcel Proust

Before engaging in any act of communication, think first about what you want the final outcome to be.

-anonymous

No message, however true or eloquent, will achieve its end if it is not communicated in a way that it can be received.

-anonymous

“Culture hides more than what it reveals, and strangely enough, what it hides, it hides most effectively from its own participants”.

-Edward T. Hall

If rule number one in [communicating across cultures] is “know the culture of the other side”, rule number two is “avoid over-reliance on that knowledge”.

-Jerry Salacuse

All parts of the world are a part of ourselves. For a happy future, we have to take care of others' future.

-Dalai Lama

Peace is not just the absence of violence, but the manifestation of human compassion.

-Dalai Lama

We don't see the world as it is. We see the world as we are.

-Anais Nin