

Diversity Lesson 4 Corners Activity, Grades 6-8

Diversity: Bill Powell

PROCEDURE:

1. After completing the prerequisite activities for this lesson, hand students a copy of the following statements:

* Racial diversity within a culture is a positive thing.
* All people should always be treated the same
* All people have the same rights because we are all born human
* Bill Powell didn’t do anything great; he just opened a golf course
* Racism still exists because of a lack of education
* In the United States, racism is really no longer a problem
* It’s best not to stand out
* Bill Powell is an unsung hero of the civil rights movement
* It’s ok to be different
* Bill Powell helped to democratize the game of golf
* People of different ethnicities or languages other than English are strange
* We should accept all people because, even though we are different in many ways, we are all valued as people