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This is an anti-violence project in Matabeleland, Zimbabwe and is supported by Milton Keynes Quaker meeting

Violence is endemic in Zimbabwe, but many people lack conflict resolution skills and a conscious commitment to build peace in their personal relations and in wider society. Peace Clubs in schools teach these skills at an early age, they influence whole school cultures and offer a different vision to many young people.

Rather than using external AVP facilitators the project will train local teachers in five schools to run the Peace Clubs themselves and to commit to building more peaceful schools by working across the whole school with senior school leadership and with other staff.

