



YMCA Project Cornerstone Summer Fun — Los Dichos

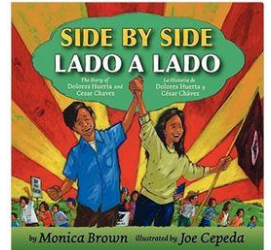
An 8-week adventure in reading, games,
and family fun!

Week 6 — Side by Side - The Story of Dolores Huerta and Cesar Chavez

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"Yes, we can."

Book synopsis: This is the story of how Dolores Huerta and Cesar Chavez teamed up to fight against the injustice thousands of farmworkers were facing every day in California. It clearly illustrates how we can make a difference in our society.



Book Narration Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u3OdD19qgg0>

This Week's Activities:

Monday

Handcraft: Color paper chain



- Dolores Huerta and César Chávez managed to fight against injustice because they teamed up with so many other people. Make a list of all things that are hard for you or things you'd like to change in the world. Write each thing in a different color paper strip of 1"x3". Then join the paper strips together to form a chain. Hang the chain where you can see it and be reminded that we're strong united.

Tuesday

Video

- Watch this video about the life of César Chávez
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nJMelgRCsf0>
- Discuss with your family:
 - Why was his work important?
 - Do you think is important to fight so other people can have better living conditions?
- Write 5 things you'd do to improve the life circumstances of people around you.

Wednesday

Poster

- Make a poster with a phrase in support to someone in your family or neighborhood. For example: Let's be kind! Smile more! Let's be patient! You can do this!

Thursday

Video

- Make a list of questions you'd like to ask Dolores Huerta, after watching a video about her life: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fg9jj_LtMTU

Friday

Family Game Night

- Play Jenga with your family as you usually play. Now try to play supporting every player. Can you see? No piece falls off. That's the way it should be in our society.

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