

Chatting with an Alien

You are chatting with a group of aliens on a tour of a local library. While you mingle, one of the aliens picks up a volume about the history of global war and conflict. The alien turns to you and asks you these questions:



1. What is war and why do humans wage it upon each other?
2. Humans seem to feel that warfare is often the only way to resolve conflict. Why is this so?
3. How do you decide who wins and who loses? How do you know this is accurate?
4. How does warfare affect those who can't or won't participate?
5. What legacy do you feel these wars will provide for your future generations?