

Picketing

Opponents of an oil company that has supported civil wars in African countries set up picket lines outside the company's gas stations, distributing leaflets to people in cars entering the stations, engaging them in discussion of the company's support of wars and requesting that they not enter.

Sit-down Protest

Opponents of a military camp that trains foreign soldiers in deadly techniques mount a peaceful sit-down protest, blocking the entrance to the camp.

Petition Drive

Members of anti-immigration groups combine to obtain signatures on a petition calling upon the federal government to place severe restrictions on immigration from countries that "support terrorism."

Personal Change

An individual contributes to the cause of non-violence by deciding to become a vegetarian and buying products not tested on animals.

Investigative Journalism

A reporter sneaks out of the permitted area of a conflict zone and reports on human rights violations by his home country's army.

Demonstration

Opponents of Canada's going to war stage a demonstration outside the legislature, break through the police cordon and temporarily occupy part of the building.

Letter

On learning that sanctions against a country primarily are hurting families and killing thousands of children, a community peace group writes letters of protest to members of municipal government and to local radio stations and newspapers.

Direct Action

To protest the selling of war toys at Christmas, a local women's group buys all such toys in their area with credit cards and then returns them in the new year.

Walk for Peace

Citizens who believe that a military solution and infringement of civil liberties is not an appropriate response to terrorist acts coordinate a three-day march that stops in front of key government offices and military bases.

Lobby

A group representing organizations concerned about the spread of nuclear weapons meets federal politicians to present its case.

Action Against Property

Opponents of the international arms trade paint slogans on an armaments factory and put glue in the locks.

Bombing

In reaction to the bulldozing of a poor ethnic neighbourhood, a man sets off a bomb in a nearby wealthy White neighbourhood, killing three people.