

### **Arts in Action Flash Mob Dance Order:**

*For an example of a flash mob see:*

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VQ3d3KigPQM>

Group is casually walking, part of the crowd

#### **Sister Suffragette –**

One woman starts marching with drum majorette right hand gesture.

Others join in shoulder to shoulder on “rather stupid.”

Alternating fast march 3 steps turn 4x. in opposite directions, two lines

Lunge right clasped hands “daughters will adore us”

Lunge left open hands “And they’ll sing in grateful chorus.”

“Well Done!” Salute, then turn out feet. “Sister Suffragette” Roll hands and pump fist.

#### **Sufferin’ Till Suffrage**

Bopping side to side change places, (face each other or one direction TBD)

Swim, Back Stroke, Swim, Press up to ceiling

Mashed Potato, 3 steps side to side

Swim, Back Stroke, Swim, Wash the Dishes

Mashed Potato, 3 steps side to side

#### **R.E.S.P.E.C.T.**

4 individual poses on the beat

Sock it to me roll hands, Reach up for “Just a little bit”

Groove on own in all directions

#### **Say it Loud: I’m Black and I’m Proud!**

Slide lunge right, jump into feet together right hand pump fist

8 times

#### **What’s goin on?**

Walking about, criss cross mob, own groove and interactions to giant circle form circle (holding hands or linking elbows depending on size)

10 eights

#### **We Shall Overcome (at 3:18)**

Stand still as MLK speaks

Sway touch step, starting to right as Soloist song begins, linked and facing circle in

4 eights. On “Yeah, yeah, yeah”

Slow turn to right and sway touch step, linked and facing circle out 4 eights.

Be still, slowly turn gaze from left to right as MLK speaks through the line

“...bends toward justice. Don’t ya get weary!”

#### **I’m Black/Pink/White/Invisible**

Fast walk any direction, breaking up circle, stop on “invisible”

**WAR!** What is it good for? Absolutely nothing!

Pump right fist, fast right left, 4 marches, fall back gun, 2 marches, nothing cross hands,  
turn to new direction

(Complete 4 sides of square)

**Four dead in Ohio**

Modern dance improv free form groove with peace signs, ending all lying on floor

**I Feel Like I'm Fixin to Die Rag**

Eight counts intro to get up all facing same way,  
Charleston and make own gestures for verse

Chorus:

Hand Gesture "1,2,3, what are we fighting for?" Box turn step 6 times

Hand Gesture "5,6,7 Open up the pearly gates" Charleston 2 times,

Throw up hands on "whoopie," make last pose on "we're all going to die."

**Y. M. C. A.**

YMCA gestures and own disco groove dance facing any direction

8 eights to get to facing one direction at end for:

**I will Survive!**

Electric Boogie line dance all 4 sides of square

**Who discovered Amercia?**

8 eights of own latin groove, partnering if know salsa/cha cha cha

**The Message – Hip Hop (Don't Mess with that)**

Chorus facing one direction

Breakout is 8 eights for own dance

Chorus facing all directions

Walk off as if nothing happened

Hand out Arts in Action cards