

WHEN IS IT BULLYING?

In school, we discuss that bullying is something that happens more than once, over time and is on purpose.

This encourages children to think about whether they are experiencing bullying so that we avoid people telling tales.

Several

Times

On



Purpose



WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF I TELL SOMEONE I'M BEING BULLIED?

- You will not be ignored.
- Any member of staff in school will always listen to you.
- We will help to solve the problem and deal with any issues.
- We will speak to all those children involved.
- We will speak to parents so that they are made aware.
- Staff in school will check that bullying does not reoccur.



ANTI-BULLYING POLICY

West View Primary School



Written with guidance and input from KS2 School Council children.

This leaflet will give you information on what bullying is, the different types of bullying and what you should do if you are being bullied.

DIFFERENT TYPES OF BULLYING

There are many different types of bullying behavior such as:

Emotional- hurting someone's feelings or leaving people out on purpose.

Physical- hitting, kicking, tripping someone over etc.

Verbal- spreading rumours, using mean words, name calling etc.

Cyber- threatening, writing or saying nasty things online or by text.

Racist- treating people badly due to their skin colour, nationality, religion or culture.

Homophobic- offensive behaviour or negative comments towards someone's sexuality.

WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I'M BEING BULLIED?

- Speak to an adult at playtime or lunchtime on the playground.
- Speak to an adult in school.
- Speak to a trusted adult at home.
- Speak to a trusted friend.
- Do not retaliate but ask the person to stop.
- Do not keep anything a secret or hide the truth about what is happening. Tell someone.
- Call Childline if you really need to speak to someone when you are at home on: 0800 1111.

www.childline.org.uk



WHAT DO WE DO IN SCHOOL TO PREVENT BULLYING?

- During play times we have many Teaching Assistants and Teachers on duty everyday to support and monitor play and behaviour.
- We take part in Anti-Bullying Week as well as other whole school events such as Wear Red Day for 'Show Racism the Red Card' and working with the NSPCC.
- During PSHCE lessons and assemblies, we think about what bullying is and what it looks like as well as the impact it has on those who are being bullied.

