



Bullying Awareness

**Katy ISD Counseling Department
6th Grade**

Goals for Today:

1. Define bullying
2. Identify different types of bullying
3. Discuss what you can do if you experience or witness bullying.



SOCIAL BULLYING



VERBAL BULLYING



CYBERBULLYING



PHYSICAL BULLYING

Definition of Bullying

According to the Texas Education Code, bullying is as an act or pattern of acts by one or more students directed at another student that exploits an imbalance of power and involves written or verbal expression, expression through electronic means, or physical conduct, that:

- 1.) physically harms another student, damage a student's property, or places a student in fear of harm;
- 2.) is severe, persistent, or pervasive enough to create an intimidating, threatening or abusive educational environment for the student;
- 3.) disrupts the educational process or orderly operation of a classroom or school;
- 4.) infringes on the rights of the victim.

LET'S BREAK IT DOWN

According to the Texas Education Code (STATE LAW), bullying is ...

an act



or pattern of acts



Recurring Events

LET'S BREAK IT DOWN

...by one or more students directed at another student that exploits (takes advantage of) an imbalance of power



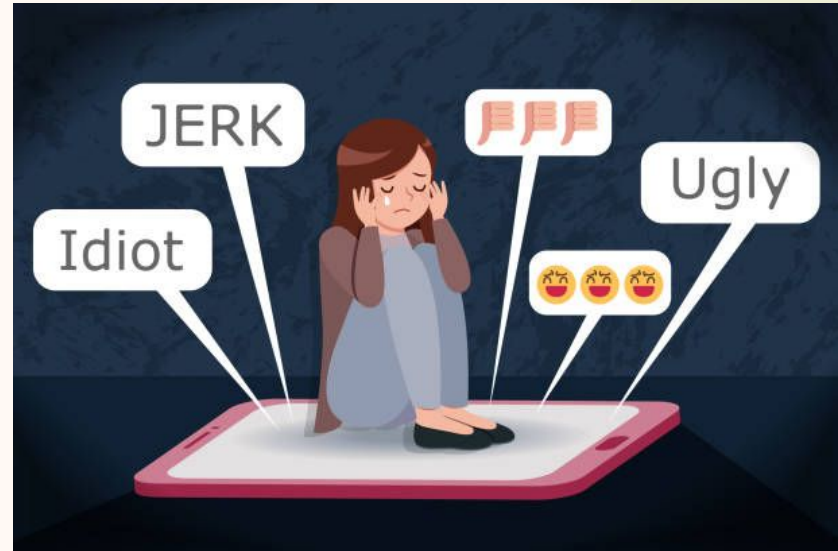
Imbalance of Power Example

- Size
- Strength
- Intelligence
- Popularity
- Gender
- Age



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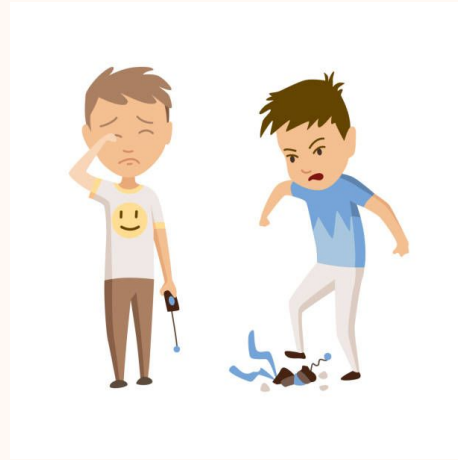
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Definition of Bullying

An act that ...

#1 : physically harms another student, damage a student's property, or places a student in fear of harm



Definition of Bullying

An act that ...

#2 : is severe, persistent, or pervasive enough to create an intimidating, threatening or abusive educational environment for the student



Definition of Bullying

An act that ...

#3 : disrupts the educational process or orderly operation of a classroom or school;



Definition of Bullying

An act that ...

#4 : infringes on the rights of the victim



Possible Consequences of Bullying...

- Exclusions from after school activities
- After School Detention
- In School Suspension
- Out of School Suspension



Reasons people are bullied

- Appearance
- Behavior
- Race
- Religion
- Social Status
- Gender



YOU DON'T HAVE TO LIKE OR AGREE WITH EVERYONE, BUT YOU DO NEED TO TREAT THEM WITH RESPECT

Different forms of Bullying Behavior



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Different forms of Bullying Behavior

Forms of Bullying			
Verbal	Physical	Social	Cyber
<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Insults· Teasing· Intimidation· Threats	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Hitting· Tripping· Kicking· Pushing· Property Damage	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Spreading rumors· Exclusion· Humiliation· Embarrassing someone in public	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Abusive, hurtful, threatening texts, emails, posts, images or videos· Gossip or rumors· Imitating others online or using their log-in

What can I do if I am experiencing bullying?

#1- Tell a trusted adult-

- Counselor
- Teacher
- AP
- Parent

What can I do if I am experiencing bullying?

#2- Control your reaction

- Remain calm
- Act confident (you may have to fake this)
- Do not give them a reaction



What can I do if I am experiencing bullying?

#- Change your perspective

This is not a you problem it is a **THEM** problem



If you See something, Say something!

All tips are thoroughly investigated by campus personnel, police & a crisis management team.

SpeakUP
Anonymous Reporting System
Katy ISD

Tips may include

- weapons
- suicide
- bullying
- self harm
- other concerns for safety

Download the SpeakUP app on your mobile or smart device.

Google Play
App Store

For more information visit www.katyisd.org/SpeakUP

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- Tell a trusted adult.
- Download the SpeakUP app on your phone or tablet to report things that concern you.

STOP BULLYING

- Take bullying seriously
- Treat others with respect and kindness
- Do things that you love and interest you and you will develop friendships with people that have similar interests
- Be courageous...be an Upstander



BECK JUNIOR HIGH
INVITES YOU TO
STAND UP AGAINST
BULLYING!

UNITY DAY

JOIN US IN
WEARING
ORANGE ON
OCTOBER 19TH!

STOP
BULLYING



UNITED FOR
KINDNESS,
ACCEPTANCE,
AND
INCLUSION.



Students wearing
ORANGE on October 19th
will be entered into a raffle
for a **FREE** Chick Fil A
Sandwich