

Put a **STOP** to Bullying



STAFF



ONLINE

Via our school website



STUDENTS

ANTI-BULLYING
AMBASSADORS

WHAT IS BULLYING BEHAVIOUR

Repeated negative behaviour that is intended to make others feel upset, uncomfortable or unsafe.

The Diana Award definition

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STATISTICS

40% of young people were bullied in the last 12 months

Over half of lesbian, gay and bisexual young people have experienced homophobic bullying at school

There were over 24,000 Childline counselling sessions with children about bullying in 2016/17

21% of young people bullied had regularly truanted from School

This needs to

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Stand up to the bully tell them to stop hurting you!

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Take appropriate action to get away from the bully, walk or run if need be, or get an adult or friend.

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Open up to and report bullying to staff or any trusted adult; online via fox or our school website; or to students like our anti bullying ambassadors (S.O.S)

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Protect yourself from bullies

Reporting Bullying Behaviour

We want you to feel comfortable reporting bullying behaviour or seeking our support! Here's some ways to get in touch with us or to report bullying behaviour anonymously.

Reporting Bullying Behaviour

To staff or any trusted adult



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On our school website



ONLINE

Via our school website

<https://www.thehastingsacademy.org.uk/key-policies/safeguarding-information>

Reporting Bullying Behaviour

Find your Anti- Bullying ambassadors in your year group honeycomb during lunchtimes.



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