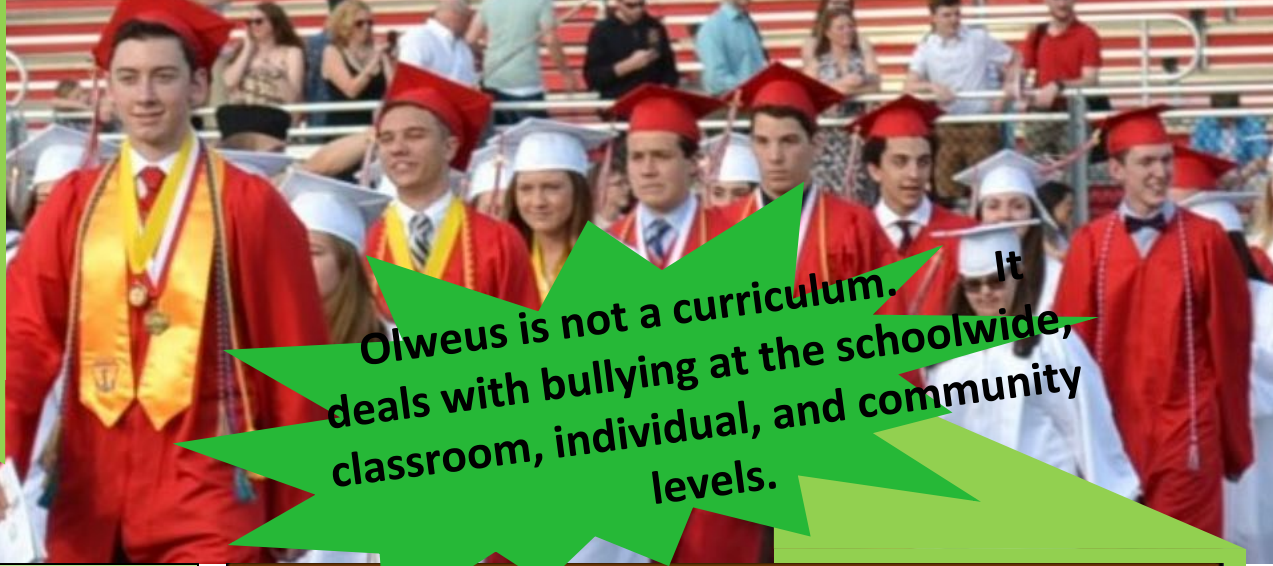


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Olweus is not a curriculum.
deals with bullying at the schoolwide,
classroom, individual, and community
levels.

Implementation:

- Four Anti-Bullying Rules are taught
- Class Meetings are held
- Bullying Report Forms are filled out where applicable
- Staff collects information, then appropriate interventions (e.g. peer mediation) and/or discipline occurs

What is Bullying:?

A person is bullied when he or she is exposed, **repeatedly over time**, to negative actions of someone else and he or she has **difficulty defending himself or herself**.



TEASING

- Everyone is having fun
- No one is hurt



EX: A friend teases you after you forgot what day it was.

CONFLICT

- No one is having fun
- There is a disagreement
- Everyone is equal



EX: You are having a fight with your friend.

MEAN

- Someone is hurt on purpose
- Happens one time



EX: Someone calls you a name.

BULLYING

- Someone is hurt on purpose
- Physical, social, or emotional
- One has more power and one has less power
- Happens more than once over time



EX: Every morning on the bus someone calls you a name.

Bullying behaviors are severe, pervasive, and persistent; they need to be delineated from isolated instances and/or conflicts that are natural components of child development and learning. Adults at home and school should intervene in any of these circumstances in order to help students develop critical problem solving and communication skills.

Anti-Bullying Rules are explained to all students and posted in every room in the building.

- We will NOT bully others!
- We will try to help students who are bullied.
- We will include students who are easily left out.
- We will tell an adult at school and at home if someone is being bullied.

Mean Behavior

Bullying

