

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK 2024

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RESPECT



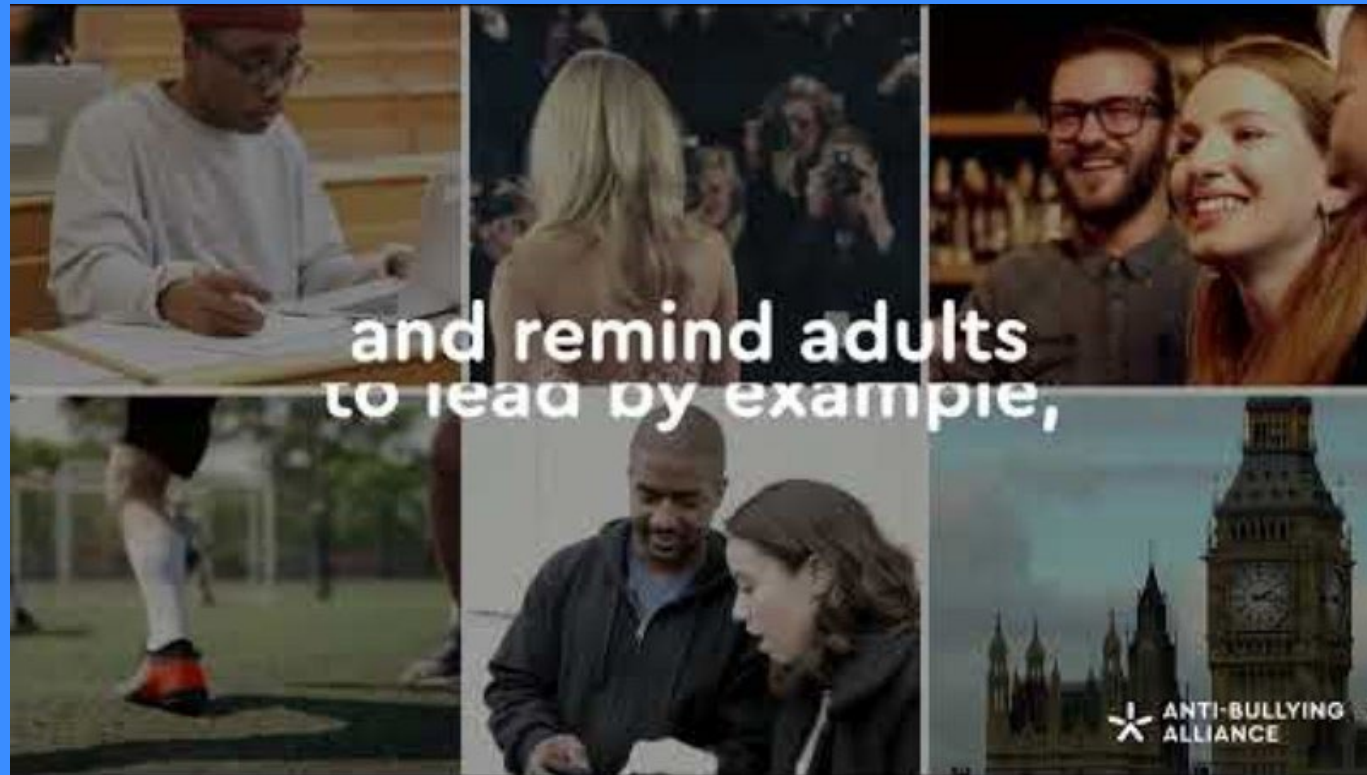
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ALLIANCE

CALL TO ACTION

From playgrounds to parliament, our homes to our phones, this Anti-Bullying Week let's 'Choose Respect' and bring an end to bullying which negatively impacts millions of young lives.

This year, we'll empower children and young people to not resort to bullying, even when we disagree and remind adults to lead by example, online and offline.

Imagine a world where respect and kindness thrives — it's not just a dream, it's in the choices we make. Join us this Anti-Bullying Week and commit to 'Choose Respect'. What will you choose?



https://youtu.be/sZ_CkltlgS4



WHAT IS BULLYING?

Anti-Bullying Alliance's Definition:

The **repetitive, intentional hurting** of one person or group by another person or group, where the relationship involves an **imbalance of power**. Bullying can be physical, verbal or psychological.

It can happen face to face or online.



How well do we, as a society, show respect to one another?

WHAT IS RESPECT?

Oxford Languages definition:

Have due regard for (someone's feelings, wishes, or rights).

RESPECT IN ACTION



Demonstrating respect for others, self-respect, and being respected are interlinked elements essential for fostering healthy and positive interactions.

What have we already done to tackle bullying?



- Increased the level of student voice so that you have more opportunities to share your views, wishes and experiences at Ash Green School
- Revamped the Personal Development curriculum, including PSHE, so that our whole school community know how to accept and respect our differences
- Introduced more ways to report any forms of discriminatory behaviour. This includes verbal bullying, cyber bullying, racism, homophobia and sexism
- Introduced termly diversity days to celebrate diversity and difference
- Trained our staff to know how to support you better and tackle bullying behaviour



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- Taken every opportunity to celebrate diversity. This includes Black History month through assemblies and whole school competition; religious events including Ramadan and LGBTQ+ History month
- **We have been awarded a United Against Bullying Plus Silver Award school for our work to tackle bullying- this is a great achievement that shows that students at Ash Green School stand up to bullying behaviours.**
- Is there more we could do? Speak to Mrs Boland or any of the Anti-Bullying Ambassadors if you think that there is more we can do.
- All staff at Ash Green take bullying very seriously, and Mr Choudhury leads the way with this by meeting with a group of students every two weeks to find out what more we can do to tackle bullying.



**You MUST
report
bullying if
you think it
is
happening**



5 ways to report bullying...



Report directly to a member of staff

Report via email: NoBullyingHere@ashgreenschool.org.uk

Report directly to an anti-bullying ambassador

Report using the diary room

Report using 'The student voice' app



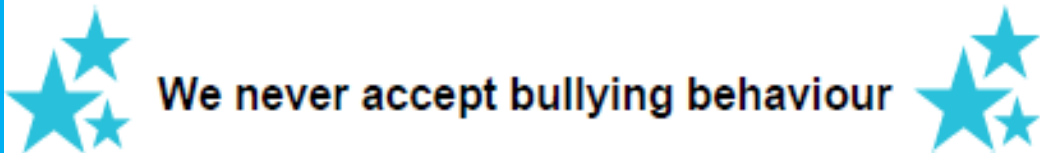
What do our Anti-Bullying Ambassadors do?

- We believe that bullying behaviour is not acceptable and should not be part of everyday life at school.
- We look out for issues of bullying and will stand up to this.
- We will listen to you if you think you may be the target of bullying behaviours.
- We will support you in reporting instances of bullying behaviour.

Our Anti-Bullying Ambassadors are located each lunchtime in the hub.

You will also see them around school wearing their yellow Anti-Bullying Ambassador student leader badge and Diana Award badge to show they are trained ambassadors.

Our Anti-Bullying Ambassadors are here to support you.



If you would like to become an Anti-Bullying ambassador please see Mrs Boland

WHO CAN YOU SPEAK TO AT SCHOOL?



Mrs Boland



Miss Fox



Anti-Bullying ambassadors