

Dear Parents & Carers,

Our school is taking part in "anti-bullying week" this week between Monday 14th November - Friday 18th November.

We will be doing a range of activities to ensure that the children have a clear understanding of what bullying is and what to do if they come across any bullying behaviour. We will also be celebrating how our actions can positively affect others, such as being a good friend.

Within society, there is a huge misconception about what "bullying" is, therefore, in our school we follow a set of 3 principles to make it clear to our children and ensure that they are fully aware of what constitutes as "bullying". These fall under the headings of: "unequal", "deliberate" & "on-going".

It would be very beneficial for the children if you continue this at home, so the posters we have up in school have been attached to this letter.



Unequal

A person or group of people are using their power over someone else to make them feel bad. It is not a two way thing.



Deliberate

A person or group of people are doing something on purpose. They have thought about it and carried it through.



On-going

It is something that happens over and over again. Not just a one-off incident.