BULLIES AND BULLIED. SPARKS SECONDE

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https://fr.calameo.com/read/003221622d6f35e1ddf7c?authid=vPeEqOwCdAvR



A bully : un harceleur, celui qui harcèle quelqu'un Somebody is bullied: Quelqu'un est harcelé(la victim).

Quizlets Bullying

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Look at the picture page 144 bully Try and give a definition of this word

Describe the picture. Imagine the reason for taking this picture.

Brainstorming



Divide the page in two

On the left of this drawing, write all the words linked to a bully(violent, mean...) On the right, all the words linked to the victim(scared, hurt...)

In between the two people, write all the words linked to their interaction(hit, slap, threaten...)

Make sentences.

Improvise a dialogue between a bully and a victim. Choose a situation/place / reason for a verbal/physical fight....

This is a French video

Talk about it in English, in groups. Take notes when you watch it(names/situations)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wN3E4e4ERw0&t=4s

Homework : Watch this scene from the film WONDER https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ceWNY5eNSWY

Put subtitles in English (CC on the right)

Write the names of his school friends. Who is nice, who is mean.

What does the mean pupil say or do? Describe the whole scene.

You described the picture page 144 during the last lesson. Can you Imagine the reason for taking this picture?

Work in groups: Each group works on one question : WHAT? WHY? What can we do?

« What? ». Say what type of behaviour is associated to bullying.

WHY? « Why do you think there are bullies? » Ou « Why do people bully others? »

« What do you think we can do against bullying? ».

Draw a victim and a bully. You can write words in between them, around them. You can draw more people or objects and write more words.

Talk in groups

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What is bullying?

Bullying defined

Bullying is a repeated aggressive behaviour where one person (or group of people) in a position of power deliberately intimidates, abuses, or coerces an individual with the intention to hurt that person physically or emotionally. Acts of bullying can be physical or verbal. Many young people can be unkind to each other during adolescence as they refine social skills and grow into adults. While these interactions are unpleasant, there is a clear line between conflict and bullying. Incidents of bullying must include all 3 of these characteristics:

- 1) Intentional- the behaviour was aggressive and a deliberate attempt to hurt another person
- 2) Repeated- these aggressive actions occur repeatedly over time to the same person or group of people
- 3) Power imbalance- the person bullying has more physical or social power than the child or children being bullied

Bullying almost always takes an emotional toll upon the child being bullied, but the actions that constitute bullying vary. There are four types of bullying, which can occur separately or simultaneously:

- 1) Physical bullying such as kicking or pushing
- 2) Verbal bullying such as name-calling or yelling
- 3) Relational bullying such as excluding or rumour-spreading
- 4) Cyberbullying which involves sending hurtful messages over digital devices like computers and cell phones.

Cyberbullying continues to increase as digital media become more prevalent in the social culture of children and teens.

The roles youth play

Situations involving bullying are often more complex than they seem. Three widely recognized roles in bullying situations are **victim**, **bully**, and **bystander**. However, bullying situations are rarely simple. Youth who are victims of bullying may also act as bullies under some circumstances.

Youth bystanders can either exacerbate a bullying situation, or intervene to stop it. Bystanders who make the bullying worse do so by either participating in the bullying themselves or providing the bully with an encouraging audience. <u>Helpful bystanders</u>, on the other hand, stand up for the victim when they see bullying occur, or get someone else who can help.

Be cautious about labelling. While we use the terms "victim," "bully," and "bystander" to refer to the roles that youth can play, it is important to consider the impact that these labels can have on young people's identities. Many researchers and educators believe that such labelling sends a message that the bullying behaviour cannot change. There are many factors that might influence a youth's behaviour, such as the youth's peers, family situation, and school climate. While we use the terms victim, bully, and bystander throughout this site for simplicity, we believe it is better to focus on the bullying behaviours, rather than the labels.

Who is at risk?

All young people are in danger of being bullied at some point during their adolescence—but there are certain populations at greater risk. Depending on the environment, some groups—such as youth who are perceived as lesbian, gay, bisexual, or transgendered, youth with disabilities, and socially isolated youth—may be more likely to be bullied.

What are the results?

The effects of bullying involve both the bully and the victim. Youth who are bullied are more likely to suffer from the following:

- Depression, anxiety, eating disorders, and thoughts of suicide
- Health issues like headaches, sleep problems, abdominal pain, bed-wedding, and fatigue
- Academic issues including poor attendance, low test scores, and increased dropout rates

Youth who bully:

- Are at greater risk of smoking tobacco and drinking alcohol
- Perform poorly in school and have a poor perception of school environment
- Are more likely to become involved in criminal activity and to experience psychiatric disorders

Fill-in the blanks with these words joke *avoid * funny * call * drop out *

Some bullies think that what they are doing is abut in reality the bullied person is suffering. That isn't, nobody should hurt people intentionally. This can affect somebody all his life and can cause a depression.

Some teenagers who are bulliedgoing to school.

They.....they don't want to face their bullies anymore. They don't like it when classmatesthem names because they are different.

Find all the NEGATIVE verbs or actions that harm other people on page 146.

Call names Teasing Spreading rumours and lies Pushing and shoving Hitting and kicking Online bullying Force someone to act as a servant

Correction : Talk about the video that you have watched this week-end. <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ceWNY5eNSWY</u>

Homework: Entraînez-vous à la prononciation des mots du chapitre : <u>https://manuelnumeriquemax.belin.education/anglais-seconde/topics/ang2-chap10-153-a_soundtube-les-lettres-silencieuses#ang2-chap10-153-02</u>

Et <u>https://manuelnumeriquemax.belin.education/anglais-seconde/topics/ang2-chap10-153-a_soundtube-les-lettres-silencieuses#ang2-chap10-153-03</u>

Choose three films where people are bullied from this list(or choose other films). Talk about the story and say how the person is bullied. Write the date and do this work in your copy-book. You can use a bit Deepl.

<u>10 Bullying films. Watch the trailer and write about the film. You can also use https://www.imdb.com/</u> https://www.yourtango.com/2019323179/10-best-movies-about-bullying-and-where-to-watch-them

Group work. When you watch a scene, say who is bullied? Why? What can you say about the bullies? What do they do to scare or intimidate their victim?(use different verbs). What would you like to do to help the victim?

The life of Pi <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5r--QRjAM0U</u>

Forrest Gump bullying scene <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CYHd3VpSWMo</u>

The Devil wears Prada:trailer <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LG0xYJJbko8&feature=emb_logo</u> Most difficult moments <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=97XCFu-4RH8</u>

The Greatest showman

Watch the video : THIS IS ME

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IRyMoHJu-i8

Complete the photocopy.

Lyrics

I am not a stranger to the dark Hide away, they say 'Cause we don't want your broken parts I've learned to be ashamed of all my scars Run away, they say No one'll love you as you are

But I won't let them break me down to dust I know that there's a place for us For we are glorious

When the sharpest words wanna cut me down I'm gonna send a flood, gonna drown 'em out I am brave, I am bruised I am who I'm meant to be, this is me Look out 'cause here I come And I'm marching on to the beat I drum I'm not scared to be seen I make no apologies, this is me

Oh-oh-oh Oh-oh-oh, oh-oh-oh, oh-oh-oh, oh, oh

Another round of bullets hits my skin Well, fire away 'cause today, I won't let the shame sink in We are bursting through the barricades and Reaching for the sun (we are warriors) Yeah, that's what we've become (yeah, that's what we've become)

I won't let them break me down to dust I know that there's a place for us For we are glorious

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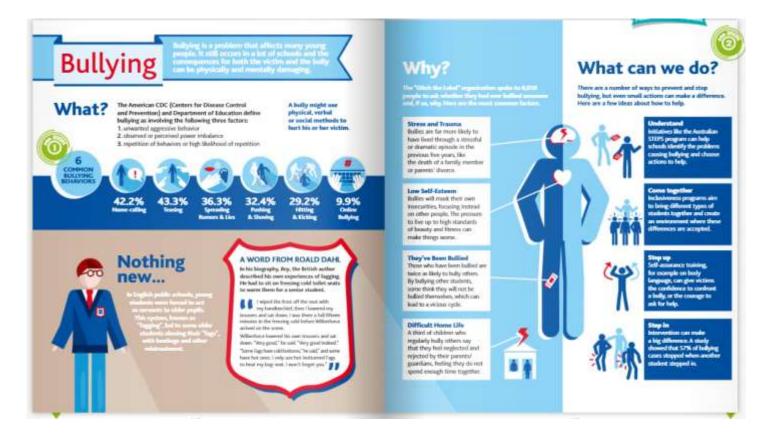
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Look out 'cause here I come (look out 'cause here I come) And I'm marching on to the beat I drum (marching on, marching, marching on) I'm not scared to be seen I make no apologies, this is me

Some vocabulary about PAIN:

PAIN: douleur It hurts: ça fait mal Injury : blessure Have a stomach ache/head ache/ ear ache/ back ache/ tooth ache I am in pain(j'ai mal) I can't stand the pain= je ne supporte pas la douleur

Hurt someone's feelings/ hurt someone physically Harm someone Damage something: abîmer quelque chose



Book page 147

Four problems often affect Bullies and push them to do evil things.

<u>Talk in groups</u>. What do you think is the most difficult problem to bear(supporter) and why.

You can choose 2 problems.

You may not agree(vous pouvez ne pas être d'accord.

WHAT CAN WE DO. Page 147

In groups, say which is the most effective way for you to stop bullying, say why. You may not agree. You can choose two different ways if you want. Feedback from the groupwork.

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Group work. When you watch a scene, say who is bullied? Why? What can you say about the bullies? What do they do to scare or intimidate their victim?(use different verbs). What would you like to do to help the victim?

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Try and answer these questions orally in groups:

When you have finished, highlight the answers you didn't find in the photocopy.

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Copy vocab page 149 and listen/repeat

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Homework: Read the list of phrasal verbs(verbes à particules...(ex: get up). <u>https://www.skypeenglishclasses.com/english-phrasal-verbs/</u>

Choose 5 phrasal verbs you didn't know and make a sentence

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Revision

Work in groups, Fill in the blanks

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As for playground conflicts, they are inevitable but do not mean that one of the students involved wants tothe other one. Moreover, a playground conflict does not last forever.

How can we say goodbye to bullies?

As strange as it may seem, you have to know that bullies have to be looked after! They bully because they have been bullied, because they are....., because they have low self-esteem, because they suffer, because they want to be among the popular kids, because it makes them exist...

So, let's wave bullying goodbye and offer a helpingto bullied kids as well as to school bullies!

Correction: Let's say goodbye to bullying!

Sometimes, we have to get rid of old acquaintances because they are noxious. Bullying is one of them. It has existed for centuries. In the old days, older students from very prestigious British public schools forced younger pupils to do the chores they did not want to do. It was called fagging. It is high time we said goodbye to bullying for good. Bullying should belong to the past and to the past only. But what about teasing your friends or playground conflicts?

Well, they have nothing in common with bullying, which is meant to harm people, to make them suffer and to get control over them. Teasing people, on the other hand, helps us cope with criticisms in a fun way and is, very often, a sign of friendship (as long as it is not meant to hurt the other!).

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Get into the spirit of 13 reasons why:

What do you know about American High School(revision)

What are American girls famous for before important American football matches or other sport events:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yWO_ZqMzqZQ

Important vote

In some American high schools, a vote is held in senior year about students' most distinctive traits. This list then gets published in the yearbook, and is often one of the most talked about sections.

Here are a few examples: Life of the Party, Most Likely to Be President, Most Likely to Win the Lottery and lose the ticket, Most Likely to Be on a Reality Show, Most Likely to Win an Olympic Medal or a Nobel Prize, Best Sneeze, Most Environmentally Conscious, Most Likely to be Found Studying in the Library, Cutest Couple That Never Was, Worst Case of Senioritis, Best Bromance...

Prom Queen qualities

https://teens.lovetoknow.com/Prom_Queen

What is a prom? Search Prom dresses and Prom party on google images.

Talk about the series: 13 reasons Why. Say why you liked it/didn't like it. Who are your favourite characters?

In groups.

Describe the picture page 148. Write down everybody's answers.

Read page 148. Answer the questions WHO/ WHERE/ WHAT/ WHY? One person takes notes in each group.

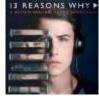


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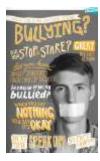
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Highlight all the words that are negative(like bad/horrible/ugly): Some people bully others because they don't like them, because they think they are stupid, fat...They make fun of people's weight. It's called fat-shaming. They look down on/ despise the people they bully. They think that they deserve to be treated badly. Yet in fact they might be the ones who feel insecure, which explains why they ostracize and maybe even scapegoat people.

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Listening comprehension from AUDIOLINGUA

Sentences with phrasal verbs.

Work in groups.

The opposite vocabulary of what we have been using in this chapter:

If a person who has been bullied for years is not bullied anymore, write down a list of positive words to say how he/she feels, what his/her environment is like, social life, hobbies etc.... All the opposite words of those we have studied(hit/afraid/ insecure/ hell/ nightmare / stress / phobia....). When you have a lot of words, write sentences. Ex: When a person is not bullied anymore he feels.... He is not afraid of verbe+ ing He can finally got to..... without(sans) verbe + ing..... He has no more....(cauchemars...) His life is....

Speaking test (2 to 3 min)

A former bully apologizes

To raise awareness on the issue of bullying, your school has invited former bullies who have realized how badly they have hurt people to speak out about what they did. Write a speech in which a former bully apologizes and read it out loud. You have to talk to the class as if you are an adult going to a school to teach pupils that bullying is wrong.

- 1. Introduction
- 2. Say what you used to be(mean, selfish, dumb..)
- 3. What did you do to people you bullied?
- 4. Who were you friends of? Bullies?
- 5. Why did you bully people? What did you do exactly?
- 6. Who did you meet who made you change and become a better person?
- 7. What did this person make you realise?
- 8. Say that you are sorry and say what you hope for the future?
- 9. What are your hopes for the world in general?
- 10. What do you want to tell bullies around the world.

An example of what you could write:

Dear students,

Thank you for listening to me today. I'm here to talk to you about who I used to be, about what I used to do to people. I used to be so dumb and mean.

I used to call people names, I used to spread lies about my classmates...

I used to be a school bully. It was part of my identity. I was friend with the bullies in my school.

I know you might hate me but let me tell you my story.

I bullied my fellow students for 4 years. I bullied them because I didn't want to be bullied, I bullied them because I was in so much pain. I bullied them because I had a dysfunctional family, because nobody cared about me at home, because I didn't like myself. I had to numb myself.

But one day, maybe because I met a special person that showed me love, I realized that bullying wasn't a solution, that bullies had to realize they were hurting people, and also that they had to change their behaviour. They had, I had, to realize how wrong we were.

I am sorry I have bullied people. I apologize for hurting my classmates. I regret having acted this way. I wish I hadn't bullied anyone. I hope there won't be any more bullies in schools or anywhere else, I hope we can all live in harmony.

Everybody is different and that makes the world a better place. Be a buddy not a bully!

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Avoid the places your bully fancies.

Avoid being alone/ on your own.

Show them their remarks don't hurt you.

Never carry too much money.

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Don't let anyone drop out of school because of bullying!

Why I Bully You

Background: You're so stupid. Look at yourself. How often do you take showers? Girls: Why I Bully You ... Why I bully you. Celia Douglas, Leanna Torres, Kaylin Youngblood, Lauren Paik, Marquesha Babers, Mya Mayers, Rachelle Shugman, Riana McGavin, Simone Abaginre, Zariya Allen. Why I bully you. I bully you because: You're fat. I bully you because you're ugly. You're ugly. Ugly. I bully you because... You're stupid You smell You make me sick. I bully you because you're too tall. You're too short. Too light. Too dark. Too smart. Too dumb. I bully you because YOU. You're a nerd. You're a nerd. I bully you because ... You have no friends. You're a loser. You're a loser. You're gay. Gay! And everybody hates you. I bully you because no one ever stops me. I bully you because ... no one cares. What's the big deal? What's the big deal?! I bully you... because. No... no... No... no... I bully you because it makes me feel powerful. Powerful. I bully you because... I want to fit in... I... have to fit in. I bully you because I don't want anyone to see MY imperfections. Because I'm uncomfortable in my own skin. I bully you because I don't like myself. I don't like myself. I don't like myself. I bully you because I am my own nightmare. My. Own. Worst. Enemy. Numbing myself from the inside out. Projecting it onto you. I bully you because I'm scared. I'm scared. I'm scared. I'm scared. I'm scared. I'm scared. I bully you because my mother screams at me. I bully you because my father hits me. I bully you because my brother beats me up. So I beat you up... I bully you because I think I might be gay. And I don't want anyone to know! I bully you because I don't feel good about myself. I bully you because I think I'm ugly. I think I'm too fat. I think I'm stupid. I bully you because I see myself in you. I see myself in you.

I bully you because... I am you.

You are a new member at your school journal. Write an article about school bullies, bullying and why it should stop.

(Approximately 250 words)

Let's say goodbye to bullying! Sometimes, we have to get rid of old acquaintances because they are noxious. Bullying is one of them. It has existed for centuries. In the old days, older students from very prestigious British public schools forced younger pupils to do the chores they did not want to do. It was called fagging. It is high time we said goodbye to bullying for good.

Bullying should belong to the past and to the past only. But what about teasing your friends or playground conflicts?

Well, they have nothing in common with bullying, which is meant to harm people, to make them suffer and to get control over them. Teasing people, on the other hand, helps us cope with criticisms in a fun way and is, very often, a sign of friendship (as long as it is not meant to hurt the other!). As for playground conflicts, they are inevitable but do not mean that one of the students involved wants to humiliate the other one. Moreover, a playground conflict does not last forever. How can we say goodbye to bullies? As strange as it may seem, you have to know that bullies have to be looked after! They bully because they have been bullied, because they are insecure, because they have low self-esteem, because they suffer, because they want to be among the pop lar kids, because it makes them exist... So, let's wave bullying goodbye and offer a helping hand to bullied kids as well as to school bullies!