



ANTI-BULLYING POLICY FOR PUPILS	
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Ballard is a happy, friendly, caring school. We do not condone bullying, and we believe that everyone has the right to feel happy and safe in the School.

No-one deserves to be bullied!

What is bullying?

Bullying is repeated negative behaviour, which is intended to make others feel upset, uncomfortable or unsafe. It is a form of child-on-child abuse.

Bullying can be:



Verbal



Physical



Cyber

What do the pupils and staff do to stop bullying?

- We have anti-bullying sessions in PSHE lessons;
- We learn what bullying is and what we should do if it happens to us;
- We have a Ballard Charter and agree to stick to it;
- The staff look out for bullying and listen to anyone who is being bullied;
- We tell a trusted adult if we are being bullied;
- We tell a trusted adult if we know someone else is being bullied – we are “upstanders” not “bystanders”;
- We have prefects, duty staff and a Pastoral Team who are friendly people to turn to;
- We have a “Ballard on Board” programme to promote friendships for all
- We support the national, annual anti-bullying week.

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