

9th November 2023

Dear Parent and Carers

Anti-Bullying Week - Monday, 13th to Friday, 17th November 2023

We are joining other schools across the UK for Anti-Bullying Week, to highlight bullying and consider the steps we can take together, to stop it. Anti-Bullying Week will take place from Monday, 13th to Friday 17th November and the theme is 'Make a Noise about Bullying'.

We will begin Anti-Bullying week on Monday, 13th November with 'Odd Socks Day'. 'Odd Socks Day' will provide a way to celebrate what makes us all unique and a chance for pupils, students, staff, parents and carers to help raise awareness by wearing odd socks to school or work on Monday. During the rest of the week, we will use tutor time to discuss what we mean by 'bullying behaviour', how we can tell the difference between 'banter' and bullying and how we can make necessary changes to reduce bullying.

Together, the Anti-Bullying Alliance and Kid Scape organisations have produced a helpful resource, which has been designed to give you tips about what to do if you are worried about bullying and tools to help you talk to your child about bullying.

Anti-Bullying Resource - Anti Bullying Week 2023

As a Church of England school, we believe that we are all made in God's image; we take bullying very seriously and work to ensure that all people are treated with respect and dignity. Please find below link to the school's Anti-Bullying Policy, which outlines the school's commitment in establishing an environment where bullying and harassment are less likely.

School's Anti Bullying Policy - School Policy 4a - Anti-Bullying

Yours sincerely

Mr Rushton

Mr Rushton

Senior Pastoral Leader & PSD Coordinator