

What can be done to overcome bullying in schools?

Share your views today in our Inequality Question debate led by street connected children in Uganda

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You must learn manners before starting school!

Steven



Respect for one's dignity by creating rules and regulations in schools teaching learning to work in teams in order to create room for specialized students; by teaching the danger of bullying others and creating strict laws to manage.

Anon, Uganda

Respect one another to stop bullying. Encourage the school rules and regulations. Put strict laws on the school to stop bullying.

Maganda



The school should put strict laws to keep children safe from bullying. Migoli – ANONYMOUS

You must report those who bully you to your elders to find what they can do to help.

Lokuta

On my side I think that it is not good to bully our friends at school.

Wambya

For me I think we should be able to help one another at school. Mawerere – ANONYMOUS

A child who is bullied should always inform the school authorities

George

I would counsel children on the dangers of bullying. You must not bully because bullying can lead to school dropout.

Akello

Counseling children who bully others to stop because it's a bad habit. – ANONYMOUS

Yes, by counseling them and giving guidance to avoid bad peer groups. Nagami. – ANONYMOUS

Ring leaders of bullying should be isolated from others

Racheal



reporting the bully to the concerned authority

bogere



by loving each other

nanyanzi



Encouraging children to make friends

Odera



by following the rules and regulations at school to over come the above problem

namuwaya R



A child who is bullied to also inform the school authorities.
— ANONYMOUS

Sensitizing the school community about the dangers and outcomes of bullying

Kagoya



Once we sensitize the community and schools about our differences and encourage them learn to live, love and accept everyone, it would create a big positive impact. — ANONYMOUS

we must be freindly to each other in order to avoid bullying in schools

tumusiimf



The school administration should form strict laws and punishments on bullying

Claire



by putting up strict laws against bullying

nakifa



yes strict laws should be set up against bullying. – ANONYMOUS

making good friend ship with one another

odongo



More counseling and guidance should be done on both the bullied and the ones practicing bullying.

ALI BABA



yes this can enable them to change behaviours, – ANONYMOUS

giving warnings to the bullies.

emma k

yes warnings should be given to the bullies. – ANONYMOUS

Advising other children to stop bullying each other

ELUNGATR PETER



and also creating awareness on the dangers of bullying.
— ANONYMOUS

we shuld respect teachers

apio apendi petricia



yes we should have respect for the teachers and also ourselves.
— ANONYMOUS

Promoting peace and unity with one another.

MAUSO



And also serious sensitisation should be encouraged about dangers of bullying for them to know that there is no good in bullying.
— ANONYMOUS

Teachers should always give out discouraging words to the pupils like 'whatever is'

Mutwalibi.

reporting them to disiplinary commitee to avoide bullying

bagenda



Teaching children about the dangers of bullying

AYA

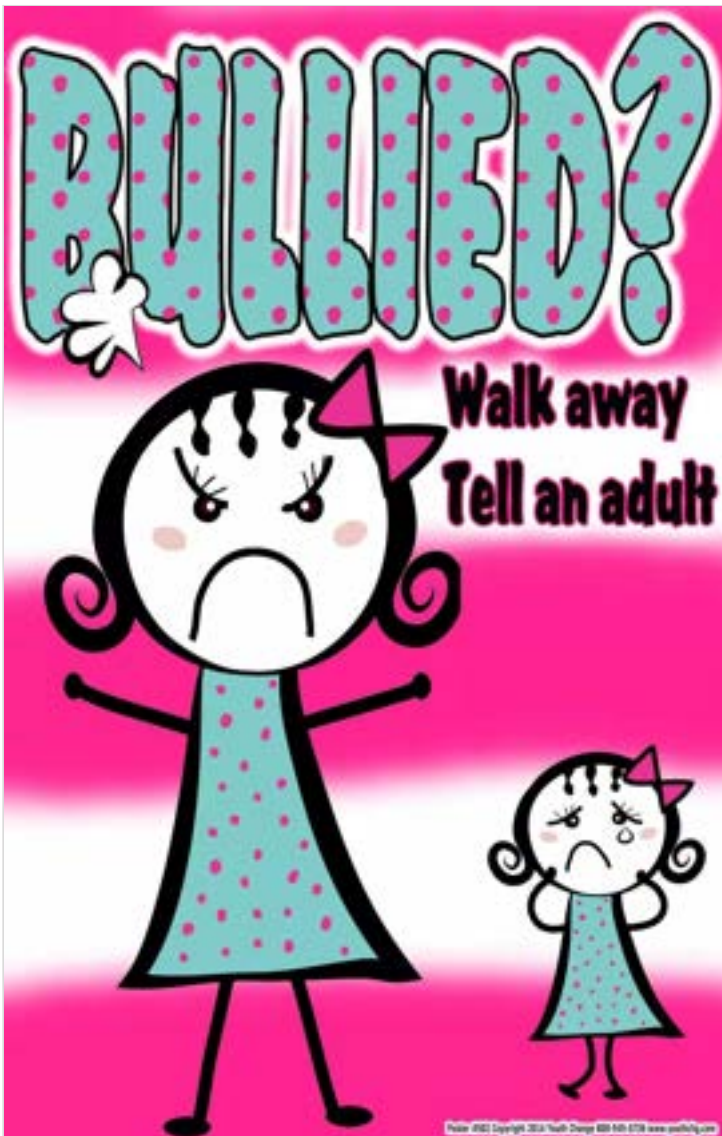


yes they should teach them so that they can be aware of the dangers of bullying. – ANONYMOUS



enforcing rules and policies that clearly describe how students are expected to treat each other – ANONYMOUS

Bukenya – ANONYMOUS



to report bullying students to the elders in the school

musana



i think we should report some one who has bullied another

KISIGE

i agree with you – ANONYMOUS

by creating rules and regulations, in schools

Abud



Reporting is a very good idea which will stop the bullies if well disciplined – ANONYMOUS

we should come up with students prefectory body which will be in charge of reducing or to overcome bullying in schools

aperi



yes if at all the prefectorial body is there they will help in supervision – ANONYMOUS

Look for self-esteem issues.children with low self-esteem often bully to feel better about themselves

Sharif

true so should boost their confidence – ANONYMOUS

I do not think so, some bully due to peer groups. – ANONYMOUS

I should report to administration.

Maganda Charles

yes of course you have to report to the administration. – ANONYMOUS

NABWIRE

I think we should respect one another

I think respecting one another will help because the bullies will also give respect to each other. – ANONYMOUS

waiswa ramathan.

first warning the children who bully others. if they don't change they call their parents and they expelled from school

i don't think expelling is a great suggestion – ANONYMOUS

Mutonyi Jeniffer

Educate your children and yourself about cyber bullying and teacher your children not to respond or forward threatening emails

SHILLAH

Walking away or ignore do not fight back with the bullie

but give respect to one another – ANONYMOUS

Walking away or ignore the bullies may not help still stubborn will bully you. – ANONYMOUS

Providing bullying prevention protocols.

Kanakulya Timothy.

teach kindness and empathy

nantaba teddy

great idea and avoid bad peers or groups who practice bullying at schools – ANONYMOUS

I would try and make sure everyone stays calm .

NABWIRE



yes and be kind to one another. – ANONYMOUS

Children may not always be vocal about being bullied.

Ayikoru

encourage them to be vocal about being bullied – ANONYMOUS

I think we should respect one another that is the way we can stop it.

Isingoma

birandi

students found buling fero student should be expelled from shool.

I disagree with you because this students also have a right to education. Maybe we should educate everyone about the dangers of bullying. – ANONYMOUS

create opportunities for connection

mercy

Great idea – ANONYMOUS

parents should report all threatening messages to the police and should docnment any text messages emails or post on websites.
kyotalimye

Bullying is too bad

By safe guarding the learners who have been once bullied.
Dave



so that the same act doesn't keep repeating it self – ANONYMOUS

teach our child how to handle being bullied

mubezi

new students should be separated from old students.

I disagree with this. School should be a friendly environment for all learners. The old students can still orient the new students about the school. – ANONYMOUS

Un friend and block the person on your social network accounts who is bullying you

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Nangobi

avoid being alone.

francis

abolish drugs in schools

Amei

I agree with you because always the use of drugs leads to bullying in schools – ANONYMOUS

by teaching learners about the dangers of bullying

nakakande



Discourage racism in schools

yes we should befriend one another in schools. – ANONYMOUS

Talk to an adult you trust about any messages you get or things you see online that make you sad or scared asinzu peace

Guidance and council of students

Aden

Also report the bullies to the teachers – ANONYMOUS

I would counsel children on the dangers of bullying. Isaac
– ANONYMOUS

Provide enough equipments for using in schools

Peter

block the bully on instant messaging and email.

kureri.

The school should put open channels and where they talk about bullying. like open assembly

Kagezi



over talking about the negativity of bullying in schools
– ANONYMOUS

reporting student who bull others to those in power so that they may be dealt with accordingly.

ISMA

Establish a policy for contacting the parents of students who has engaged in bullying. Nakatu – ANONYMOUS

Nabwire M

Protect yourself from cyber bullying by keeping your pass word secret and reporting to the authorities or service providers

Report bullying stundents to staffs who are able to discourage the practice



Also creating more awareness about bullying – ANONYMOUS

Kizza

Seek help, encourage kids to open up

encourage kids to do what they love for example special activities ,interests can boost confidence.

hanakwa

Administering light punishments to pupils who bull others.

Marx

Help kids understand bullying , talk about what bullying is and how to stand up to it safely.

Katushabe.

staffs and elder students should be an example to young students

sharifa

empowering counselling and guidance programs in schools.

Najjat



I think counselling and guidance is part of the school programs but bullying is still on rampant – ANONYMOUS

Punish the bullying students as an act of showing example to anothers

ATAI

Speak out,do not hide being bullied report to people concerned.

Gloria.

Kwagala

ENCOURAGE CHILDREN TO DO WHAT THEY LOVE SUCH AS THEIR HOBBIES

The teachers and parents should ensure and encourage proper communication amongst the learners

George

wow – ANONYMOUS

set a good example for others and stand up to people who need help

jane

i agree with you we should stand up for others who need help
– ANONYMOUS

Encourage students to love one another in schools.

Peter

Through creating intellectual clubs at schools – ANONYMOUS

respond to the bully in a calm way. tell them its not funny and they should stop it

zaina

Who do you think could help to support students stand up to the bullies? – S.A.L.V.E. INTERNATIONAL

Parents and teachers. Najjat Matama Kibedi – ANONYMOUS

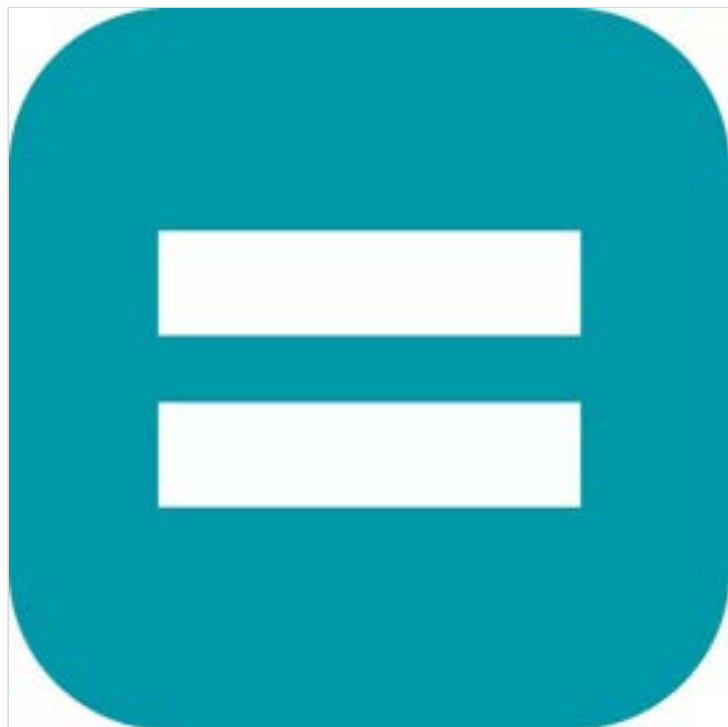
Nisha

Take a few deep breaths and think about something that makes you happy.

If you witness bullying on your friends, ask the bullies to stop it, leave them alone.

Makidah

Teaching the values that everyone is equal in schools - Tiyo



This should start from home ,knowing values of each individuals
— ANONYMOUS

lets model our children how to treat others with kindness and respect.

musisi

I agree with you - Peter — ANONYMOUS

separate the bully and the person being bullied if you can and take them to a safe space away from the bully.

lugolobi

Research shows that those who have experienced bullying are twice as likely to go on and bully others.

Part of the work to overcome bullying is supporting the bullies themselves



The schools cannot overcome about it completely but it's our role to sensitise our children as we are taking them in order to make them aware. Let's just create #awareness only



The school can bring up award giving policy to the disciplined pupils at every end of Term. This will leave the undisciplined pupils with no option apart from revising their behaviours such that they can also win the gifts.

Richard

i agree with you. this can play play a big part in ending bulling.
Marx — ANONYMOUS

Create awareness of the impact of bullying on children and have an Anti-Bullying Week in schools.

Gracie

Grace

Counselling is very important and much needed in this field
— ANONYMOUS

The learners should always report any cases of bullying to their teachers.

Philip

Yes reporting makes the bullies to be punished and they stop bullying. — ANONYMOUS

The schools should develop rules and regulations the learners should follow to reduce bullying.

David

The schools should enforce strict laws against bullying.

Harriet

By giving punishments to the bullies like scrubbing toilets , mopping classes on a daily basis could help to slve bullying at school. — ANONYMOUS

We can have better role models i.e. politicians who don't bully others. If you see our leaders bullying others how can we expect children to be different?