

At Chellaston Infant School, we believe that everyone should reach their full potential in a safe, fun and happy environment which promotes independence, selfworth and excellence. Everyone is a learner whose values are respected.

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# ANTI-BULLYING POLICY AND ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE Written by the Healthy Living Team

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Date	Change made where?	Change description	Approved by Governors	Next review
October 2020		None		
November 2020	Cyber bullying	Link to chat rooms and online gaming made.		
November 2020	Emotional	Reference made to threatening behaviour linked to Covid 19.		
November 2020	Appendix 3	The above have been added.		

The school has a 'duty of care' towards its pupils with regards to bullying in that the Head teacher and staff stand in loco parentis (in place of the parents.) This duty of care includes protecting pupils from harm of bullying.

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# 1. a) The National and Legal Context

This policy takes full account of the school's legal obligations under the Education Inspections Act of 2006 to:

- promote the well-being of pupils in school
- develop a policy which encourages good behaviour and respect for others on the part of pupils and, in particular preventing all forms of bullying amongst pupils
- establish procedures for dealing with complaints about bullying.

This policy links to the Every Child Matters Outcomes of Stay Safe, Be Healthy and Make a Positive Contribution. It also links with the National Healthy Schools Programme safeguarding children's procedures and the current DfE anti-bullying guidance – Safe to Learn.

# 2. a) Definition of Bullying

Bullying can be defined in a number of ways. At Chellaston Infant School we define bullying as:

"Behaviour by an individual or group, usually repeated over time, that intentionally hurts another individual or group either physically or emotionally".

Bullying can be direct or indirect and includes:

**Verbal bullying** – name-calling, taunting, mocking, making offensive comments and teasing.

**Physical bullying** – kicking, hitting, punching, pushing and pinching.

**Emotional bullying -** producing offensive graffiti, excluding people from groups, spreading hurtful and untrue rumours, being forced to do things against own will and taking belongings or money. This may also include threatening behaviour in connection to Covid 19; with the intention of causing anxiety.

**Cyber bullying** – offensive text messaging and e-mailing and sending degrading images by phone or the internet. This may also include online gaming chat/rooms.

Bullying can take place between pupils, between pupils and staff; or between staff; by individuals or groups; face to face, indirectly or using a range of cyber bullying methods. It can happen in isolation or quite often in the presence of others.

People who are victims of bullying frequently, but not exclusively, are bullied as a result of:

- race, religion or culture
- special educational needs or disability
- appearance or health conditions
- sexual orientation
- gender
- home circumstance including looked-after-children and young carers.

# b) Inclusion

Every member of the school community is entitled to expect equality of protection from bullying as well as protection and support from school policies and procedures designed to ensure that the school remains a safe environment in which to teach and learn. Our school policy has given careful consideration to the six equality strands, race, ethnicity, gender, age, religion, disability and sexuality. This is to ensure that anti-bullying provision is provided in a sensitive and non-judgemental way that will enable all young people, staff and the wider school community to feel valued and included in effective policy and practices.

#### 3. School Statement of Intent (with regard to its position on bullying)

This school believes that:

- bullying is undesirable and unacceptable
- bullying is a problem to which solutions can be found
- seeking help and openness are regarded as signs of strength not weakness
- all members of the school community will be listened to and taken seriously
- bullying prevents pupils achieving to their full potential and affects standards of achievement and aspirations
- everyone has the right to work and learn in an atmosphere that is free from fear
- all of us have a responsibility to ensure that we do not abuse or bully others
- young people should be encouraged to seek support in school if they are worried about bullying and have a right to expect that their concerns will be listened to and treated seriously
- young people should be involved in decision making about matters that concern them
- we all have a duty to work together to protect vulnerable individuals from bullying and other forms of abuse.

# 4. Aims of the Policy

- To assist in creating an ethos in which attending school is a positive experience for all members of the school community.
- To make it clear that all forms of bullying are unacceptable at school.
- To enable everyone to feel safe while at school and encourage pupils to report incidences of bullying.
- To deal effectively with bullying.
- To support and protect victims of bullying and ensure they are listened to.
- To help and support bullies to change their attitudes as well as their behaviour and understand why
  it needs to change.
- To liaise with pupils, parents and other appropriate members of the school community.
- To ensure all members of the school community feel responsible for combating bullying.
- To ensure consistency in practice within the school community.

#### 5. Intended Outcomes

- That all parents and pupils have received and had opportunity to comment upon the school antibullying policy.
- That there are effective listening systems for pupils and staff within the school.
- That parents have a point of contact for the anti-bullying lead in school if they are concerned about their child.
- That all staff have the necessary skills and confidence to deal with incidents of bullying effectively and promptly.
- That no child or young persons' educational opportunities and achievement is disadvantaged due to the experience of bullying.
- That all staff are equipped with the skills necessary to deal with bullying.
- That the wider school community, for example midday supervisors, is involved in dealing effectively with, reporting, recording, monitoring and if necessary referring bullying incidents.
- That there is effective communication with parents and the wider school community on the subject of bullying through newsletters and parents' meetings.
- That all incidents of bullying are recorded and appropriate use is made of the information and where appropriate shared with relevant organisations.

# 6. Recording of Incidents

At Chellaston Infant School we:

- keep a record of individual incidents of bullying.
- Compile an annual record of bullying incidents ensuring that an annual analysis of the bullying record is undertaken by the school including members of the school leadership team and the governing body.

# 7. Procedures and Dealing with Incidents - A Whole School Approach

# a) Role of pupils and staff in reporting and recording a bullying incident involving pupils

We take the view that everyone has a responsibility to report incidents of bullying or to share their concerns with a member of the school community. At this school we follow the school guide to reporting and dealing with bullying incidents. **See Appendix 1 for Anti-Bullying Immediate Response Chart.** 

# b) Guidance for pupils

#### If you are being bullied:

- Remember it is not your fault.
- Try to stay calm and look as confident as you can.
- Be firm and clear look them in the eye and, if possible, tell them to stop and tell them how you feel.

# After you have been bullied:

- All bullying is wrong and you do not have to stay silent about it.
- Tell an adult or somebody you trust about what has happened straight away. Adults in school
  have a responsibility to give you help and support around bullying.
- If you are scared to tell a teacher or adult on your own, ask a friend to go with you.
- Keep on speaking until someone listens and does something to stop the bullving.

#### When you are talking to an adult about bullying be clear about:

- what has happened to you
- how often it has happened
- who was involved.
- who saw what was happening
- where it happened
- what you have done about it already.

# If you experience bullying by mobile phone, text messages or e-mail:

- Don't retaliate or reply.
- Save the evidence do not delete anything.
- Make sure you tell an adult who you trust.
- Contact your service provider or look at their website to see where to report incidents.
- Be careful who you give your mobile phone number or e-mail address to.
- Make a note of exactly when a threatening message was sent.

#### For contacts and details of where to seek help outside school please see appendix.

# c) Guidance for parents/carers

#### If your child has been bullied:

- Calmly talk with your child about his/her experiences.
- Make a note of what your child says including who was involved, how often the bullying has occurred, where it happened and what happened.
- Reassure your child that he/she has done the right thing to tell you about the bullying.
- Explain to your child that should any further incidents occur he/she should report them to an adult in school immediately.
- Make an appointment to see your child's class teacher.
- Explain to the teacher the problems your child is experiencing.

# When talking with members of staff about bullying:

- Try to stay calm and bear in mind that the staff member may have no idea that your child is being bullied or may have heard conflicting accounts of an incident.
- Be as specific as possible about what your child says has happened, give dates, places and names of other children involved.
- Make a note of what action the school intends to take.
- Ask if there is anything you can do to help your child or the school.
- Stay in touch with the school and let them know if things improve as well as if problems continue.

### If you are not satisfied:

- Check with the school anti-bullying policy to see if agreed procedures are being followed.
- Make an appointment to discuss the matter with the Head teacher and keep a record of the meeting.
- If this does not help write to the Chair of Governors explaining your concerns and what you would like to see happening.
- If you require any further support, then please contact the Local Authority.

# If your child is displaying bullying behaviour towards others:

- Talk with your child and explain that what he/she is doing is unacceptable and makes other children unhappy.
- Discourage other members of your family from bullying behaviour or from using aggression or force to get what they want.
- Show your child how he/she can join in with other children without bullying.
- Make an appointment to see your child's class/form teacher and explain the problems your child is experiencing as well as discussing how you can work together to stop him/ her bullying others.
- Regularly check with your child how things are going at school.
- Give your child lots of praise and encouragement when he/ she is co-operative or kind to other people.

#### If your child is experiencing any form of cyber bullying:

- Ensure your child is careful whom they give their mobile phone number and e-mail address to
- check exactly when a threatening message was sent and keep evidence of offending e-mails, text messages or online conversations. Do not delete messages.
- If the bullying involves a pupil from school contact the school to report this.
- Contact the service provider to report the incidents.
- If the cyberbullying is serious and a potential criminal offence has been committed, you should consider contacting the police.

#### d) Guidance for adults experiencing bullying

The responses may be broadly similar or vary greatly to the response chart if it is an adult being bullied. If you are experiencing bullying as an adult:

- Seek advice and information from your union.
- Share your concerns with a trusted colleague.
- Make a record of all incidents and date them.
- If you feel your situation is not being resolved, then you should follow the school's formal procedures as adopted by the governing body.

# e) Sanctions

It is important for all schools to be open and transparent in the sanctions used for bullying incidents. This school has set procedures to follow in implementing sanctions where a bullying incident has occurred. These sanctions are applied in appropriate proportion to the event. In the event of all other avenues being exhausted, or in particularly serious cases this may lead to exclusion.

# 8. Strategies to Reduce Bullying

The school has adopted a range of strategies to prevent and reduce bullying, to raise awareness of bullying and support victims and those displaying bullying behaviour including:

- Co-operative group work
- Circle Time
- Circle of Friends
- Peer mediation
- Anti-bullying box/Pupil comment box
- Peer counselling
- Buddy systems
- PSHE programme
- Self-esteem workshops
- Restorative approaches
- Anti-bullying Week
- Friendship stops
- Social and Emotional Aspects of Learning
- Training for all members of staff on anti-bullying policy and strategy.

#### 9. Confidentiality

School staff cannot promise absolute confidentiality if approached by a pupil for help. Staff must make this clear to pupils. Safeguarding procedures must be followed when any disclosures are made. It is very rare for a pupil to request absolute confidentiality. If they do, in situations other than those involving child protection issues, staff must make a careful judgement whether or not a third party needs to be informed. This judgement will be based upon:

- the seriousness of the situation and the degree of harm that the pupil may be experiencing
- the pupil's age, maturity and competence to make their own decisions.

Where it is clear that a pupil would benefit from the involvement of a third party, staff should seek consent of the pupil to do so. If appropriate, staff might inform the third party together with the pupil. Unless clearly inappropriate, pupils will always be encouraged to talk to their parent/carer.

An underlying principle in supporting pupils in our school is that all children are listened to sensitively and objectively and all incidences of bullying will be taken seriously.

Although the school cannot guarantee confidentiality pupils will be informed of national and local helplines, if appropriate, where confidentiality can be maintained.

# For further information, please refer to our schools safeguarding policy.

# 10. Monitoring Arrangements

This policy will be evaluated and updated where necessary annually by the whole school. The views of pupils, parents and staff will be used to make changes and improvements to the policy on an ongoing basis. The senior leadership team and governors will, on an annual basis, analyse the school's antibullying data, identify trends and evaluate the effectiveness of anti-bullying strategies.

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# Appendix 1 Ensuring Ownership of Your School's Anti-Bullying Policy

It is essential that all schools do not only have an anti-bullying policy in place, but they ensure all relevant members of the school community are consulted before it is implemented.

A policy will only be effective if everybody in school has discussed and understood the problem of bullying, and agreed on the most effective practice.

Awareness raising helps people understand the problem and agree a definition of bullying which can be owned by the whole school.

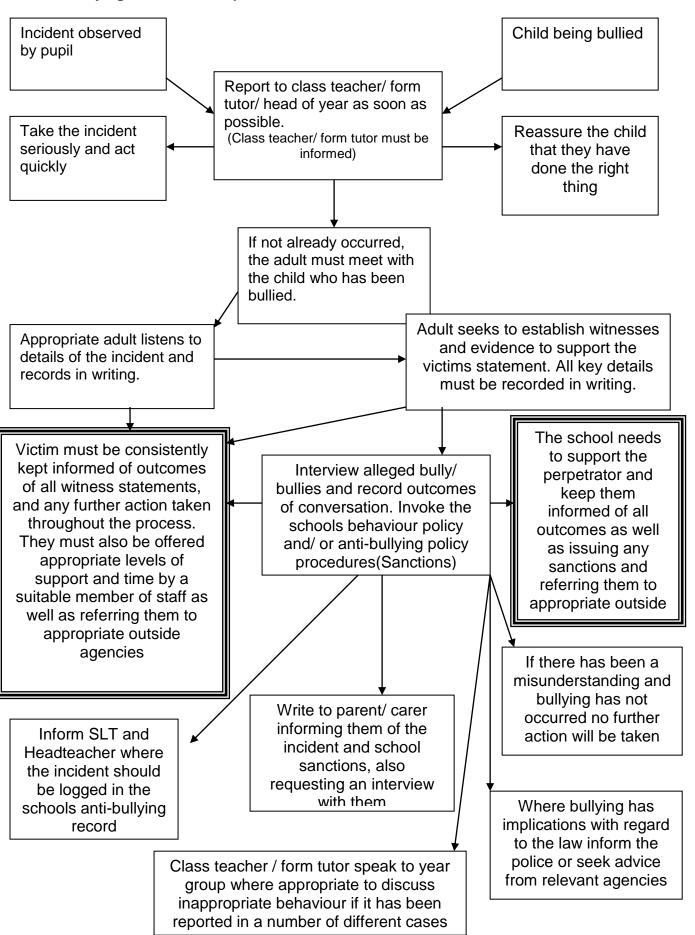
Consultation lets everybody say what they think the policy should contain, but it requires careful planning. Pupils may be provided with a draft policy to discuss at home or within school.

A working party can help with formulating the draft policy including governors, midday supervisors, pupils, teachers, teaching assistants, learning mentors, parents and members of the wider community.

Schools which involve pupil representatives have found their suggestions practical and sensitive to the schools positive ethos. Support is also available through the Healthy Schools programme to develop a whole school approach to bullying.

The DCSF Safe to Learn Guidance, 2007, contains useful information on how to create an effective antibullying policy through a whole school approach.

# Appendix 2 Anti-Bullying Immediate Response Chart



# Appendix 3 School Bullying Incident Form

agencies.			
Report from		School name	
Date of incident	Ti	me of incident	<u> </u>
Ethnic origin of victim	Et	hnic origin of perpetrator	_
Male Female		Male Female	
Indicate type of incident - plea	se tick		
Verbal	loc tick	Physical	
Name-calling		Kicking	
Taunting		Hitting	
Mocking		Punching	
Making offensive comments		Pushing	
Teasing		Pinching	
Other - please state		Other -please state	
Emotional		Cyber	
Offensive graffiti		Offensive text messages	
Excluding from group		Offensive e-mails	
Spreading rumours		Sending degrading images	
Being forced to do something		Online gaming chat/rooms	
against own will			
Taking possessions/money		Other - please state	
Threatening behaviour linked to			
Covid 19 – to cause stress and anxiety			
Other -please state			
Other -please state			
If you feel the bullying incident with a tick.	t was in any v	vay motivated by any of the follo	wing please indicate
Appearance	Disability	Home circumstanc	es
Gender	Race/ethnic o	origin Medical condition	
Religion	Sexuality		
Brief description of incident			
Action taken			
			Continued over

This report will be held in strict confidence and will not be made available to any outside persons or

Did the incident lead to the perpetrator(s) being	excluded? yes/no	
Have you had contact with the victim's parent/	arer? yes/no	
Have you had contact with the perpetrator's pa	rent/carer? yes/no	
Have you reported this incident to any other ag If 'yes' which agencies?	encies? yes/no	
Signed De	signation	
Return to	(named senior mana	ager within school)

School Name:							
				<del></del>			
Academic Year:							
Please indicate the total number LA will not identify individual sch							acade
Verbal	Number	Phys	ical			Num	ber
Name-calling			Kicking				
Taunting		Hittin	<u>g</u>				
Mocking		Punc	•				
Making offensive comments		Push					
Teasing		Pinch	ing				
Other - please state		Other - please state					
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Offensive graffiti		Offensive text messages					
Excluding from group		Offensive e-mails					
Spreading rumours		Sending degrading images					
Being forced to do something		Other - please state					
against own will							
Taking possessions/money							
Other - please state							
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Gender Ra	ce/ethnic oriç	gin		Medica	I condition		
Religion Se	exuality						

Please return form to Heather Handley, Administrative Assistant, Children and Young People's Service, Middleton House, 27 St Mary's Gate, Derby DE1 3NN

If you require further information or assistance please contact Joanne Moore on 01332 256331 <a href="mailto:joanne.moore@derby.gov.uk">joanne.moore@derby.gov.uk</a>

Name of School: Please tick the strategies in place i		I <b>and</b> rate the	ir perceived ef	fectiveness in	reducing bullyi
Ve recommend the widest possible			ool community	in completing	this form. Ple
eturn annually with your bullyin			1	1	
Strategy	Currently in place	Fairly effective	Very effective	Highly effective	Insufficient evidence of impact
Whole School					•
PSHE programme					
SEAL					
Circle Time					
R time					
Bubble Time					
Anti-bullying Week Activities					
Anti-bullying box/pupil comment box					
Together Against Bullying- Healthy School Enhancement					
Anti-bullying staff training					
Addressing staff wellbeing					
Pupil lead strategies					
Peer befriending					
Peer mediation					
Peer counselling					
Friends Against Bullying					
Buddy systems					
Friendship stops					
Massage in schools					
Targeted group work					
Support Group Method - 7 steps					
No blame approach					
Co-operative group work					
Circle of Friends					
SEAL small group work					
Reactive strategies					
Restorative approach					
School tribunals/bully court					
Pikas method - shared concern					
Direct sanctions					
Leading the Way					
Other - please state					

How often is it reviewed?  Do you consult the whole school community, including pupils and parents during the review?	
review?	
Has your school signed up to the DCSF – A Charter for Action	

igned	Designation	Date	
	Heather Handley, Administra use, 27 St Mary's Gate, Derb	tive Assistant, Children and You y DE1 3NN	ung People's
you require further info 56331 <u>joanne.moore</u> @		llying please contact Joanne Moor	e on 01332

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### **Organisations Offering Support**

Derby City Council does not necessarily endorse all the views expressed by these organisations.

# **National Organisations**

# Anti-Bullying Alliance - ABA

Brings together over 60 organisations into one network with the aim of reducing bullying and creating safer environments in which children and young people can live, grow, play and learn.

Tel: 020 7843 1901

www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk

# **National Healthy Schools Programme**

A joint Department of Health - DH, and Department for Children, Schools and Families - DCSF, initiative. Part of the government's drive to reduce health inequalities, promote social inclusion and raise educational standards. Schools can access support from a local programme co-ordinator – their contact details are on the website.

www.healthyschools.gov.uk

#### 11 Million - the Office of the Children's Commissioner

Looks after the interests and acts as the voice of children and young people by exposing issues affecting young people, facilitating and provoking debate, influencing policy, and holding organisations to account. Tel: 0844 8009113

www.11million.org.uk

#### **Ofsted**

Inspects and regulates to achieve excellence in the care of children and young people, and in education and skills for learners of all ages.

www.ofsted.gov.uk

#### **Act Against Bullving**

A national charity which highlights new forms of bullying, particularly bullying through social exclusion.

Tel: 0845 230 2560

www.actagainstbullying.com

#### **Actionwork**

A multimedia organisation that uses film, theatre and other creative arts to explore and tackle issues that affect young people, in particular bullying.

Tel: 01934 815163 www.actionwork.com

# **Advisory Centre for Education**

Advice line for parents on all procedural matters concerning schools.

Tel: 0808 800 5793 www.ace-ed.org.uk

#### **Beatbullying**

Aims to reduce and prevent the incidence and impact of bullying by devising anti-bullying strategies for young people by young people.

Tel: 0845 338 5060 www.beatbullying.org

#### **Bully Free Zone**

Provides a peer mediation service, written and telephone advice, and provides training for children and young people, parents, teachers, youth workers and other professionals.

Tel: 01204 454958 www.bullyfreezone.co.uk

# **Bullying Online**

Provides an email service for children and young people as well as online help and information, for schools as well as pupils.

www.bullying.co.uk

#### ChildLine

Offers a free, 24-hour helpline and counselling service for children in distress or danger.

Tel: 0800 1111 www.childline.org.uk

#### Children: Homes, Advice and Teaching - C:HAT

C:HAT seeks to provide a complete support package for young people and the significant adults who are involved in their lives; through consultancy, behaviour management and children's homes.

Tel: 0116 259 3008 www.chatltd.com

#### Children's Legal Centre

Provides legal advice, information, assistance and representation to children, parents/ carers and professionals working with children.

Tel: 0800 7832 187

www.childrenslegalcentre.com

# **Commission for Racial Equality**

A publicly funded, non-governmental body set-up under the Race Relations Act 1976 to tackle racial discrimination and promote racial equality.

Tel: 020 7939 0000 www.cre.gov.uk

# **Diana Princess of Wales Memorial Award for Young People**

The Diana Anti-bullying Award is open to primary schools, secondary schools and youth organisations.

Tel: 0845 3372987 www.diana-award.org.uk

#### **Educational Action Challenging Homophobia – EACH**

Established to challenge homophobia in education.

Tel: 0808 1000143 www.eachaction.org.uk

#### **Education for All**

Joint campaign by Stonewall, Fflag and LGBT Youth Scotland to combat homophobic bullying. Website includes resources, research and case studies.

Tel: 020 7593 1851

www.stonewall.org.uk/education for all

#### **Goldsmiths College**

The Psychology Department at Goldsmiths has a research programme which covers a wide range of specialisms in experimental, theoretical and applied psychology. This includes research into bullying. www.goldsmiths.ac.uk/departments/psychology/research

#### **Kidscape**

Provides training for professionals, courses for bullied children, a helpline for parents of bullied children and books, videos, free booklets and leaflets about the prevention of bullying, many in several languages.

Tel: 020 7730 3300 www.kidscape.org.uk

# **Leap Confronting Conflict**

Provides opportunities, regionally and nationally, for young people and adults to explore creative approaches to conflict in their lives.

Tel: 0207 272 5630 www.leaplinx.com

#### Mencap

Mencap fights for equal rights for people with learning disabilities and their families and carers, and provides housing and employment support.

Tel: 020 7454 0454 www.mencap.org.uk

#### **National Autistic Society**

Champions the rights and interests of all people with autism and seeks to ensure that they and their families receive quality services appropriate to their needs.

Tel: 0845 0704004 www.autism.org.uk

#### National Children's Bureau

Promotes the voices, interests and well-being of all children and young people across every aspect of their lives. As an umbrella body for the children's sector in England and Northern Ireland, provides information on policy, research and best practice.

Tel: 020 7843 6000 www.ncb.org.uk

#### National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children - NSPCC

NSPCC aims to end cruelty to children. Works with children and families, as well as influencing public policy and attitudes.

Tel: 0207 825 2500 www.nspcc.org.uk

#### **Parentline Plus**

Offers help and support through a range of free, flexible and responsive services by working for and with anyone who is parenting a child.

Tel: 0808 800 2222

www.parentlineplus.org.uk

#### School's Out!

Aims to support lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender - LGBT, staff in education and to raise the profile of LGBT people and issues.

Tel: 01273 298299 www.schools-out.org.uk

#### **Stonewall**

A campaign and lobby group working to achieve legal equality and social justice for lesbians, gay men and bisexuals.

Tel: 020 7593 1850 www.stonewall.org.uk

#### **Teachers TV**

Section of the Teachers TV website devoted to anti-bullying, featuring programmes which can be watched online, downloadable resources, links and interviews with experts on bullying.

www.teachers.tv/bullying

#### The Samaritans

Tel: 08457 909090 www.samaritans.org

# **UK Observatory for the Promotion of Non-Violence**

A national initiative committed to addressing the key issues of aggression, bullying, anti-social behaviour and violence amongst children and young people.

Tel: 01483 684552 www.ukobservatory.com

#### **Victim Support**

Staff and volunteers offer free and confidential information and support for victims of crime. Operates via a network of affiliated local charities, Witness Service and the Victim Supportline. Currently developing specialist and outreach services for children and young people affected by crime and bullying.

Tel: 0845 3030900

www.victimsupport.org.uk

#### **Young Voice**

Undertakes research with children and young people. Works in partnership with them on a wide range of issues including bullying. Offers research, evaluations, training and consultancy. <a href="https://www.young-voice.org">www.young-voice.org</a>

#### Youth Justice Board for England and Wales

Executive, non-departmental public body working to develop and improve youth justice system and to prevent offending by children and young people up to the age of 17.

Tel: 020 7271 3031

www.youth-justice-board.gov.uk

#### **Local Organisations**

#### Children and Young People's Services

Middleton House, 27 St Mary's Gate, Derby, DE1 3NN

Tel: 01332 716924

#### Choices

For gay, lesbian and bisexual advice and support.

Tel: 01332 206027 www.choices.ndo.co.uk

#### **Connexions**

Free advice, information and support – including specialist careers advice. For all 13-19 year olds and people up to 25 years who have learning difficulties and/or disabilities.

8 Curzon Street, Derby Tel: 01332 200033

www.connexions-derbyshire.org

# **Derby City Youth Service**

David Finn – Head of Youth Service Tel: 01332 716819

david.finn@derby.gov.uk

# **Derbyshire and Derby Young Carers Service**

9 Leopold Street, Derby, Derbyshire, DE1 2HE

Tel: 01332 370430

# **Derbyshire Friend**

For gay, lesbian and bisexual advice and support.

Tel: 01332 207704

# **Derby Race Equality Council**

Tel: 01332 372428

# **Disability Direct**

Advice and information for disabled people, carers or family members.

Tel: 01332 299449

www.disabilitvdirectderbv.co.uk

### Hadhari Nari Women's Project

Advice and information for women on many issues, including support and accommodation for women fleeing domestic violence.

#### **Runaways Project**

Advice for under 16s who are thinking about running away from home.

Tel: 01332 206773

www.runawaysproject.org.uk

#### Safe and Sound Project

Citywide multi-agency initiative, providing support and advice for young people who are being, or are at risk of being sexually abused and exploited.

Tel: 01332 362120

www.safeandsoundderby.co.uk

# The Space

Free information and advice for young people aged 12-25 years on sexual health – including clinics – housing, benefits, careers, drugs and more. Open Monday-Friday 1pm-6pm and Saturday 12pm-4pm. 12 The Sport, Osmaston Road, Derby

Tel: 01332 364445

www.derby.gov.uk/theSPACE

#### **Youth Link Derby**

A website for all 11-19 year olds in Derby. A chance for young people to have a say on what is happening in their area. Young people's ideas and views, up-to-date information, hot topics and a directory of services are all featured.

www.youthlinkderby.org.uk

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# Appendix 7 Bullying - A Charter for Action

Schools can sign up to the Anti-bullying Charter to show their commitment to tackling all forms of bullying, and use the principles of the Charter to self-evaluate their anti-bullying policies and practices. For more information and a copy of the charter please use the link below.

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