

12th November 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Anti-Bullying Week and Children in Need 2021

I am writing to inform you that next week Monday 15th – Friday 19th November, NUSA will be participating in the Anti Bullying Alliance United Against Bullying week.

Bullying is taken extremely seriously at NUSA and we have pledged that we will:

- deliver a range of activities to raise awareness
- promote kindness
- ensure we are all United Against Bullying
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We will complete the following:

- Assemblies – During the assemblies, bullying will be defined alongside the effects of bullying, our data from this year and how to report it
- Anti-Bullying ambassadors' applications – pupils will have the opportunity to apply for the position and gain the Diana award which is a nationally recognised reward
- Odd sock day – on Monday 15th November pupils are encouraged to wear odd socks. It's an opportunity to encourage people to express themselves and celebrate their individuality and what makes us all unique.



We have a centralised system for staff, pupils and parents/carers to report bullying and would like to share NUSA's bullying email address: bullying@nusa.org.uk

Our bullying procedure can be found on the back of this letter.

Children in need

Friday 19th November is children in need day, subsequently we will be holding a **non-uniform day** in aid of Children in Need. Pupils will be able to attend in non-uniform and will need to make a donation of £1.

If you would like to find out more about Children in Need and the work that they do, you can go to www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Mr James & Mrs McNally

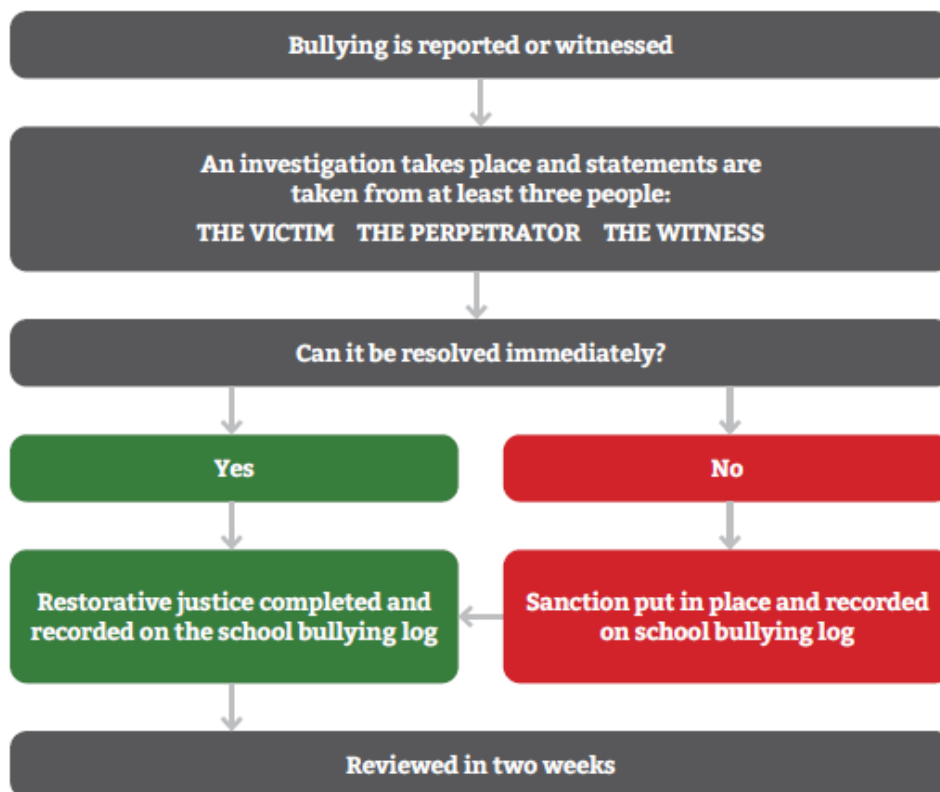


What is bullying?

The repetitive, intentional hurting of one person or group by another person or group, where the relationship involves an imbalance of power.

Bullying can be physical, verbal or psychological and it can happen both face-to-face and online.

How do we deal with reported incidents at NUSA?



How to report bullying

Tell a member of staff or email
bullying@nusa.org.uk