

# Anti-Bullying Week

13-17th November 2017



This week has been anti-bullying week. The children have been taking part in lessons to inform them about what bullying is, how it should be dealt with and the importance of respecting each other.

Please find some helpful tips below of what to do if your child tells you that they are being bullied:

Praise them for telling you.

Reassure them they have done the right thing.

Try to find out the facts - what exactly has happened?

Is it Bullying? Use the checklist below to help.

## Checklist

Bullying goes on for a while, or happens regularly.

Bullying is deliberate.

Bullying involves someone (or several people) who are stronger in some way than the person being bullied. E.g. the person doing the bullying may have more power or they are older or stronger.

Bullying is not...

A one off fight or argument

A peer sometimes being nasty

An argument with a peer.

If, after considering the above, you feel that your child is being bullied, then please inform your child's teacher with your concerns as soon as possible.

Please have a look at our anti-bullying policy on our website: [www.millbrook.swindon.sch.uk](http://www.millbrook.swindon.sch.uk).