



Anti Bullying Policy

Bullying is deliberate, intentional and **repeated** harassment by one student or group of students.

Our goal:

To create a learning environment which is safe, inclusive, conducive to learning and free from harassment and bullying.

Our vision:

Inspired learners who thrive both confidently and competently in all aspects of schooling.

We are committed to consistent behaviour education and skilling students' in self-management, where students do the right thing because it is the right thing to do and focus on the effect my behaviour has on me and those around me. We aim for students to be considerate of themselves, others and the world in which they live and have sound reasons for the things they do.

Our anti bullying policy is based on our school values Teamwork, (TACT).

Responding to harassment and bullying

Students

If you are being harassed or bullied at school, use the **'IT STOPS'** steps.

- I** = IGNORE: Ignore it.
- T** = TALK: Tell them to stop.
- S** = SEE: Wait a while and see if it works.
- T** = TELL THEM: Tell them you'll speak to an adult.
- O** = OPEN UP: Open up and speak to an adult.
- P** = PERSIST: Speak to as many adults as you need to until it stops.
- S** = STOP: If you follow these steps the bullying WILL stop.

Parents

If you think your child is being harassed or bullied listen to your child and reassure them they have done the right thing telling you. Gather as many facts as you can and report it to your child's teacher as soon as possible. If the situation continues with no resolution contact the school office.

Hahndorf Primary School and Preschool will respond to harassment and bullying by:

- Operating within the DfE guidelines and our Behaviour Support Policy in regards to appropriate consequences.
- We will be transparent and strive for high levels of communication with all parties.
- Students may be supported through restorative practices, mediation, the Child Protection Curriculum or outside agencies as negotiated with the family.
- The families of children who are bullying or harassing others will be notified in regard to the consequences of their actions.

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