

Anti-Bullying Week: EYFS/KS1 assembly

Session summary		Pupil context
This session helps students understand what respect is and why it is important, with a particular focus on the importance of respecting differences.		EYFS/KS1 students who are beginning to understand concepts such as kindness.
Session aims	Session outcomes	Resources needed
I understand what respect is. I understand that we are all different. I understand that it is important to respect everyone.	An understanding of what respect means, how we show it and why it is important. An understanding of the many ways we can all be different and how important it is that we respect those who are different to us.	Slide presentation

Preparation ahead of the session

You may want to think about the particular context of your school and the ways in which your community is diverse.

Throughout the session, this symbol partners.



is used to indicate where you might want to have talk

Timing	Activity	Aim(s) and link(s)
0-5	Explain that this week is Anti-Bullying Week – explain what this is and why we have it. It is important that children understand the difference between bullying and other behaviours.	To explain what bullying is and why we have Anti-Bullying Week.
5-15	What is respect? Ask pupils to work with partners to think about what respect means. Take their feedback, you may want to add it	For students to understand what respect is.

to the slide in a mindmap.

Ideas might include:

- Being OK with everyone being different
- Being kind
- Caring about how people feel
- Listening to people

How might someone be different to you?

Ideas might include:

- How they look
- What they wear
- Different religions
- Different genders
- Different families
- Different interests

You may want to bring attention to the fact that no two people are the same - you could use teachers as an

example.

15-20 How can we show respect? Pupils talk to their partners. It may be useful to think about this in particular situations e.g. how do we show respect in the classroom/playground.

> Explain that it is important that we respect everyone's differences and that no one should be bullied because they are different.

Make the link back to your school and how you respect differences. You may want to reference specific events/rules that showcase these

For students to think about how people may be different from one another.

To understand why respecting differences is so important and particularly how they can show respect.