

Grades 6-12 Bullying & Cyberbullying Survey (1/22/13)

*** Required**

Are you in*

- Middle school (grades 6, 7 or 8)
- High School (grades 9, 10, 11 or 12)

Which grade are you in?*

- Grade 6
- Grade 7
- Grade 8
- Grade 9
- Grade 10
- Grade 11
- Grade 12

Are you... *

- Male
- Female

Does your school have any programs to help stop bullying? *

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

Does your school have any programs to help stop CYBERbullying? *

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

Do you ever: play games online with Xbox, PS3 or another console; use Facebook, Myspace or a similar website; send IMs or text messages; chat or post pictures online; or go to other websites for fun? *

- Yes
- No, or I ONLY use the internet for homework

Which of these things has happened? Has anyone ever said something cruel to you in a chat or IM, or during a game? *

- Yes, more than twice
- Perhaps once or twice
- No, never

Has anyone ever posted something online about you that was mean or embarrassing? *

- Yes, more than twice
- Perhaps once or twice
- No, never

Has anyone ever sent you a mean, cruel or humiliating text message? They could have sent it directly to you or they could have sent it to someone else, but the cruel message was ABOUT you. *

- Yes, more than twice
- Perhaps once or twice
- No, never

Did you know the person (or people) who was mean to you on the internet or through texting?

- No, I didn't know them
- Yes, Sometimes I knew them
- Yes, I always knew who it was
- No one was ever mean to me online

When this happened did you tell your friends? If it happened more than once, did you USUALLY talk to your friends about it? *

- Yes
- No
- This never happened to me

When this happened did you tell your parents? If it happened more than once, did you USUALLY talk to your parents about it? *

- Yes
- No
- This never happened to me

When this happened did you tell an adult at school? If it happened more than once, did you USUALLY talk to an adult about it? *

- Yes
- No
- This never happened to me

When this happened did you tell another adult? (a counselor, clergyman, trusted adult friend or relative) *

- Yes
- No
- This never happened to me

If something happened on a website – for example, like someone attacking you on Facebook –did you report it online to the website? *

- Yes
- No
- Nothing happened to me

Do you have your own cell phone? *

- No
- Yes, but I can't use it to text or go online
- Yes, and I can use it to text or go online

How often do you bring your cell phone to school? *

- Never
- Just now and then
- About once a week
- A few times a week
- Every day
- I don't have a cell phone

Has anyone ever sent you a mean, cruel or humiliating text message about someone else?*

- Yes, more than twice
- Perhaps once or twice
- Never

When this happened did you send it on or show it to others? *

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- This never happened

When this happened did you talk about it with your friends? *

- Yes
- No
- This never happened

When this happened did you just ignore it and delete it, and not discuss it at all with others? *

- Yes, I always just delete these types of messages
- Sometimes, but usually I sent it on or showed it to others
- Most of the time I deleted it but sometimes I sent it on or showed it to others
- No, I didn't just ignore these types of messages
- I never receive these messages

Has anyone ever bullied you at school? *

- Yes, many times
- Yes, a few times
- Yes, once
- No, never

In your opinion what percentage of the text messages that kids get and send are gossip about other people?*

- Very few – 0% to 10%
- Some – 15% to 25%
- About half – 40% to 60%
- More than half – 65% to 80%
- Most messages are like this – 85% or more

Do you think that bullying happens a lot at school? *

- No, it is very rare
- It happens sometimes but not often
- It happens regularly (like each week)
- It happens often (like every day)

Have you ever bullied someone at school? *

- Yes, I've done this sometimes
- Yes, but I don't do this often or frequently
- Yes, but very infrequently
- No, I've NEVER done this

Did you ever feel like you NEEDED to be mean to someone at school? *

- I needed to do this to be sure that I wouldn't be picked on or targeted
- I needed to do this or other kids might think I was weak
- I needed to do this because it's how you show that you're cool or funny
- I needed to do this because I was helping or supporting a friend who needed to pick on someone
- I needed to do this to defend a friend or to defend myself
- I NEVER needed to do this at school

I have never bullied someone but I've been friends with kids who bully others *

- True
- False

I have never bullied someone but I've stood by when others are getting bullied*

- True
- False

Have you ever bullied someone on a website or through text messaging? *

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No, never

I have never bullied someone online or electronically but I've been friends with kids who cyberbully others*

- True
- False

I have never bullied someone online or electronically but I've seen it happen to others online *

- True
- False

I have never been involved in cyberbullying*

- True
- False

Where do bullying and cyberbullying happen most often, in your opinion? *

- Elementary School (grades K-5)
- Middle school (grades 6-8)
- High School (grades 9-12)
- They happen equally at all schools