



Anti-Bullying Ambassadors at West Town Lane Academy

Children's Rights:

Article 14 – Children have the right to think and believe what they want, and to practise their religion, as long as they are not stopping other people from enjoying their rights.....

Article 19 - Governments should ensure that children are properly cared for, and protect them from violence, abuse and neglect by their parents, or anyone else who looks after them.

Article 28 – All children and young people have a right to primary education, which should be free. Discipline in schools should respect children's human dignity Young people should be encouraged to reach the highest level of education they are capable of;

Article 29 – Education should develop each child's personality to the full. It should encourage children to respect their parents, and their own and other cultures.

Article 30 - Children have a right to learn and use the language and customs of their families, whether these are shared by the majority of people in the country or not.

What is an Anti-Bullying Ambassador?

Being an Anti-Bullying Ambassador (ABA) is a very important role. Children who have been chosen as an ABA represent our school and support others so that they do not have to experience bullying. As an ABA, you will:

- Be an up-stander – this is someone who sees something that isn't right and intervenes to stop it happening.
- Be a 'listening ear' for anyone who feels they are experiencing bullying
- Share messages with others about how to prevent or stop bullying, what the effects of bullying are and what can be done if someone is being bullied.
- Help write/update the Anti-Bullying Policy
- Participate in assemblies about the topic of Anti-Bullying
- Share information with adults at school if you are worried about someone

You will be supported in your role by:

- Meeting with Mrs Franklin each term (and more if needed)
- Having clear guidelines about the role so you understand what is expected from you
- Knowing and understanding the Anti-Bullying Policy
- Always being able to talk to an adult about any questions/concerns you have