



## Spotlight on Anti-Bullying Week 13<sup>th</sup> November – 17<sup>th</sup> November 2017



As I am sure that you are aware from previous newsletters, this week was Anti-Bullying week. We are so proud of all of the children and what they have achieved this week that we wanted to share some of the work that has been completed for anti-bullying week to highlight this very worthy cause.



All classes made boxes, and were asked to write down a bad memory, and then 'posted' them into the box. The box was then decorated with positive images / statements. Pictured are a selection of the boxes that we displayed in the hall during assemblies for all the children to see.



BE AN UP-STANDER – NOT A BY-STANDER  
**STOP BULLYS**  
KIERA – YEAR 6

I THINK ANTI-BULLYING WEEK IS AMAZING  
BECAUSE IT TELLS PEOPLE TO STOP  
BULLYING – RAVEL - YEAR 6

Bullying can hurt people, but  
they don't show it on the outside  
they show it on the inside – Evie,  
Year 6

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Foundation stage children have been talking about  
**'What it means to be a good friend'**

Thomas from Year 6 amazed us all with this fantastic poem – not only did he perform it in front of everyone, he memorized it too and gave an unforgettable performance – **Well done Thomas!**

You bullies think that you're so cool,  
You try to make us look the fool,  
You call us names to make us hurt,  
And even kick us to the dirt,  
But proudly here we all choose to shout,  
At Gig Mill we stamp and clap it out.

Cyber-bullies – you're no better,  
Sending pain through an e-mail letter,  
Posting things on social media sites,  
This is as well as the physical fights,  
But proudly here we choose to shout  
At Gig Mill we stamp and clap it out

We will never be too scared to speak,  
At school we're taught to be strong, not weak,  
Together we care, together we succeed,  
So you bullies just have no need,  
But proudly here we choose to shout  
At Gig Mill, we stamp and shout it out!

*If you see bullying,  
tell a teacher –  
Ruby, Year 4*

Well done to Year 5 who  
performed their rap in  
assembly for us all, it was  
fantastic!



Year 4 produced some  
excellent comic strips



Every class now has a  
playground buddy who will  
wear a special hat during  
playtimes and is available to  
be a friend to anyone who  
wants some company.

If you would like to find out more about please go to  
[www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk](http://www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk)