

April 2024

PSHE Focus for Summer One: Responsibility- Child on Child Abuse

What is Child on Child Abuse?

Child-on-child abuse is when one child or young person causes harm to another, either in person or online. KCSIE (Keeping Children Safe in Education) references different forms of child-on-child abuse:

- Bullying (including cyberbullying, prejudice-based and discriminatory bullying)
- Abuse in intimate personal relationships between children
- Physical abuse
- Sexual violence and sexual harassment
- Consensual and non-consensual sharing of nude and semi-nude images
- Causing someone to engage in sexual activity without consent
- Upskirting (taking a photo under someone's clothing without their permission)
- Initiation/hazing type violence and rituals.

These links are designed to support parents/carers to continue conversations around Child on Child Abuse at home:

[Internet Matters- Child on Child Abuse Parents Guide](#)

[Young Minds- Mental Health and Bullying Parent Guide](#)

[NSPCC- Talking to Children About Racism](#)

Together with local charity, Mike's Trust, we celebrate Knife Crime Awareness Week from **15th- 21st May 2024**. We vow to educate young people at Bodmin College to understand the risks and harms of carrying a knife.



This half term in PSHE, our units of work include:

Year 7: Community and Me

(Protected Characteristics, Community, Managing Conflict and Differing Opinions)

Year 8: Our Language, Our Choices

(The Power of Words, Protected Characteristics, Managing Conflict and Differing Opinions, The Effects of Discrimination)

Year 9 and 10: My Actions, My Responsibility

(Freedom of Speech, Protected Characteristics, Community, Language and Respect, Culture, The Impact of Anti-Social Behaviour, Gangs, Knife Crime, Extremism)

Year 11: Discrimination (Continued from last half term)

(Types of Discrimination, Impact of Discrimination, The Importance of Diversity, Workplace Discrimination, Discrimination and the Law)

Our assemblies this half term continue to complement our PSHE curriculum and include:

Week 1- Expectations of the term ahead: Ready, Respectful and Safe

Week 2- Child on Child Abuse: Introducing a kinder Bodmin

Week 3- Full Stop: Reporting Child on Child Abuse

Week 4- Site Safety: Fire Drill Training

Week 5- Knife Crime Awareness: Welcoming Mike's Trust

Week 6- Review of the half term