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Anti-Cyber Bullyi

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Introduction

The British International School of Cracow recognises that technology plays an important and positive role in everyone's lives, both educationally and socially. It is committed to helping all members of the school community to understand both the benefits and the risks, and to e uip children with the knowledge and skills to be able to use technology safely and responsibly.

Aims

- It includes! threats and intimidation+ harassment or .cyberstalking'+ vilification%defamation+ e,clusion or peer re(ection+
- Impersonation+ unauthorised publication of private information or images /.happy-slapping'0+ and manipulation
- It can be an illegal act

Preventing cyberbullying

Understanding and discussion

- Staff should complete training in identifying cyberbullying and understanding their responsibilities in developing e-safety.
  https!%%www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk%training-catalogue
- The delivery of #S12 and Computing lessons are an important part of preventative strategy and will discuss keeping personal information safe and appropriate use of the internet.
- It is desirable that the pupils will be involved in a response to cyberbullying. They will have a voice through the School Council.
- #upils will be educated about cyberbullying through a variety of means! assemblies, conferences, 3nti-bullying " eek, pro(ects /Computing, #S12, 4rama, 2nglish0, etc.
- #upils will sign a Safe and 3cceptable 5se #olicy before they are allowed to use school computer e uipment and the internet in school and parents will be encouraged to discuss its contents with their children.
- #arents will be provided with information and advice on e-safety and cyberbullying via literature, talks, etc.
- #upils and staff will be involved in evaluating and improving policies and procedures through School Council, Staff * eetings.

Policies and procedures

- 2nsure regular review574(w) 4.58034(i) -1.13592(l) -1.13592(l) -.99941 0 0 1 4(i) -1.13592(n)

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Wor!ing with the bully and applying sanctions

Sanctions will be applied by the 1ead of School or 4epartment as appropriate.
The aim of the sanctions will be!

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Identifying the %ully

3lthough the technology seemingly allows anonymity, there are ways to find out information about where bullying originated. 1oweve

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$ome Useful Agencies&#esources

" ebsites and resources that offer support guidance and strategies for children, young people, schools and parents%carers to prevent all forms of bullying**!**

Anti**'%**ullying Alliance

This site offers information advice and resources on anti-bullying. It is intended to be a one stop shop where teachers can download assembly materials, lesson ideas and information including those for **3**nti-Bullying **"** eek. The site brings information, advice and resources together from more than **EA** of its members, which include charities Childline, $idscape, ***** encap and the **3**ssociation of Teachers **F** ?ecturers /3T?0. It has a site called **1**ometown for children and young people about dealing with all forms of bullying**!** http!%%anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk%

%ritish +outh Council

The BGC brings young people together to agree on issues of common and encourage them to bringabout change through taking collective action. http!%%www.byc.org.uk

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This provides some useful information on a number of bullying behaviours and strategies to prevent bullying. It offers advice to parents and children. 1owever there is no contact link or &about us' section so we do not really know who is behind the organisation or what they stand for. http!%%www.bullyfreeworld.co.uk%

%%C %ullying

This provides links and resources e,plaining how to stop bullying. http!%%www.bbc.co.uk%schools%parents%cyberHbullying%

Chatdanger

This gives advice for young people and parents on using Internet Chatrooms safely. http!%%www.chatdanger.com

*eadliners

1eadliners area 5$-wide news agency producing news, features and comment by young people for everyone. It encourages young people to e,press their views through story,

5eneral advice on how to deal with Cyberbullying

4ue to the anonymous nature of digital communication, anyone with a mobile phone or internet connection can be the target of cyberbully