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Dear Parents / Carers,

Anti-Bullying Week takes place next week, on the 14th – 18th November. This year's theme is **Reach Out**. Children will be focusing on anti-bullying in their PSHE lessons, assemblies, story time and computing lessons and we will look at how we can Reach Out and show each other the support that we need. The week will kick off with **Odd Socks Day on Monday 14th November**, where adults and children can wear odd socks to celebrate what makes us all unique. You don't need to rush out and buy any jazzy, new socks ... simply pull a sock out of your drawer ... and a different one from your odd sock pile ... and you're all set to show off your individuality! The odd socks should be worn with normal school uniform but can be worn over tights, for warmth if you wish.



During the week, all children will spend some time looking at **how to report bullying** and who can help them if they experience or witness bullying. Here is the link to our anti-bullying page on our website – [Anti-Bullying - The Good Shepherd Primary Catholic Academy](#) There you will find the Anti-Bullying Policy and also the child-friendly version and the Information Booklet for Parents which can help you to discuss our policy and procedures with your child. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you would like to report any concerns or would like any support with this.

Kindest regards,

Gillian McGee

Anti-Bullying Coordinator

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