



## Horsforth School

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### Anti-Bullying Week and Odd Socks Day!

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you are aware we take bullying seriously and campaign against it. To show we stand up to bullying at Horsforth School we will mark national anti-bullying week in school with awareness activities and assemblies. The week runs from 15<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> November.

On Monday 15th November, we are hosting a wear 'Odd Socks' to school day. This will launch our school campaign on anti-bullying week.

We hope students will show their support and stance against bullying by coming to school on Monday 15th November wearing odd socks! This is a national strategy with many schools taking part. Wearing 'odd socks' highlights the message that we are all different and diverse but all equal.

Students will learn about the negative effects of bullying through special Form Time activities and in assemblies. Our anti bully ambassadors will be visiting form time all week and the whole school will be given a chance to sign the anti-bully charter.

For more information about the Odd Socks campaign click on the link below.

<https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/anti-bullying-week/odd-socks-day>

Students will need to be in normal uniform and shoes, just different socks!

We appreciate your support in this.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S Nowell  
Deputy Headteacher



**Being different is ok, Wear odd socks today.**

*'Opportunity and achievement for all'*