



MYA RAISE TEAM

Violence Prevention in Secondary Schools

RESOURCE ROUNDUP

Hate Crime

Merseyside Youth Association's
**Mentors in
Violence
Prevention**

WELCOME

Welcome to the 1st edition of our Violence Prevention newsletter.

Working together, MYA and the Merseyside Violence Reduction Partnership (MVRP) will be sending out monthly newsletters to support the practices and discussions that professionals are using and having with young people and their families around violence prevention.

Join us each month to explore current themes, view relevant resources and support services related to these themes, and explore free training available for you to support the mental health and wellbeing of your students.



Definition

Hate crimes involve hostility or violence towards someone because of who they are.

A hate crime is when a criminal offence takes place which is perceived by the victim, or any other person, to be motivated by hostility or prejudice based on a person's:

- Race or perceived race, skin colour, nationality, ethnicity or heritage.
- Religion or perceived religion, including people without a religious belief.
- Sexual orientation or perceived sexual orientation.
- Disability or perceived disability
- Gender identity including those who identify as transgender.

Hate crime can fall into one of three main categories: physical assault, verbal abuse, and incitement to hatred.



Youth Voice

Want to know what young people think about Hate Crime?

Disability Discrimination

[St Hilda's CE High School - Hidden Disabilities](#)

Homophobia

[Calday Grange Grammar School - Tackling Homophobia](#)

Racism

[Hope Academy - Racist Bullying](#)

[Notre Dame - Tackling racism and prejudice](#)

[Woodchurch High School - End Racism](#)

[St Anselm's College - Exploring Racism](#)

CONVERSATION STARTERS

Do you know the difference between a hate crime and a hate incident?

How could you be an active bystander to discrimination? What steps could you take to become an ally?

What impact could being a victim of hate crime have on a person's mental health?

Where do we learn beliefs and attitudes about discrimination and hate crime? Are these credible sources of information?



MERSEYSIDE SCHOOLS NETWORK

MERSEYSIDE
Violence
Reduction
Partnership



YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN THE MERSEYSIDE SCHOOLS NETWORK

The Merseyside Schools Network was established to share learning and resources related to violence prevention, and to identify opportunities for collaboration on new interventions, training and campaigns.

The Network is open to professionals from schools and educational settings, as well as external partners across Merseyside, working to support those organisations to prevent and reduce violence.



Thursday 23rd October



4-5pm



Online



Sign up here

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SIGNPOSTING AND SUPPORT

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FREE TRAINING FOR PROFESSIONALS, PARENTS AND CARERS

Delivered by the RAISE Mental Health Promotion team, you can access free, live training sessions to gain knowledge and understanding of key issues that our young people are facing.



REPORTING A HATE CRIME / INCIDENT

If there is immediate danger, call 999.
For all other incidents, use the non-emergency number 101.
You can also report online: www.merseyside.police.uk/report-hate-crime

CrimeStoppers.

Report crimes anonymously using their online form, or by calling 0800 555 111.



Fearless is the dedicated youth service of CrimeStoppers where young people can anonymously report any forms of crime.



STOP HATE UK

If, for any reason, you do not wish to speak to the police you can contact Stop Hate UK, available 24 hours a day.
The helpline is confidential and independent.
You can report a hate crime by:

- Telephone 24/7 on 0800 138 1625
- Webchat at www.stophateuk.org/report-here/
- Stop Hate UK hate crime reporting app

SUPPORT AFTER A HATE CRIME



Provides a single point of contact for victims of crime residing in Merseyside to access free, confidential advice, plus emotional and practical support tailored to your needs.
0808 175 3080 | www.victimcaremerseyside.org



Support following a racial or religious hate crime

0151 237 3974

support@anthonywalkerfoundation.org.uk



Support for victims of LGBTQ+ hate crime

0151 522 1400 with extension 5006

lgbthatecrime@caliverpool.org.uk



Support following a disability hate crime

0151 261 0309

info@daisyuk.com

