

Meadow Lane Infant School

Dear Parent or Carer,

Our school is taking part in Anti-Bullying Week this week between Monday 14th-Friday 18th November 2016. Anti-Bullying Week helps schools across England to shine a spotlight on bullying and encourage all children, teachers and parents to take action against bullying throughout the year.

The theme this year is '**Power for Good**'. It is organised by the Anti-Bullying Alliance and they have set the following key aims:

To support children to use their **Power for Good** - by understanding the ways in which they are powerful, and encouraging individual action to stop bullying and create the best world possible.

To help parents and carers to use their **Power for Good** - through supporting children with issues relating to bullying and working together with schools to stop bullying.

To encourage all teachers and school support staff to use their **Power for Good** - by valuing the difference they can make in a child's life, and taking individual and collective action to prevent bullying and create safe environments where children can thrive.

What can you do to support us to stop bullying and participate in Anti-Bullying Week?

- Talk to your child about bullying and the Anti-Bullying Week lessons they have taken part in this week.
- The Anti-Bullying Alliance have a free online tool to support parents to understand bullying and what to do if you're worried about it - you can access it at www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/parenttool
- Come and talk to us first if you ever feel your child is having an issue related to Bullying.

Thank you and best regards
Gail Roy (PSHE Coordinator)