Bullying and Banter.....



Lets talk about...

Understand the difference between 'banter', teasing & bullying behaviour





'It's just a bit of banter'

What is 'banter'?



Crossing the line

Is banter the same as teasing?



When does banter turn into bullying behaviour?

Good teasing or banter

 There's no intention to hurt and everyone knows the limits

Ignorant teasing

 'crosses the line' with no intent to hurt. Will often say sorry.

Malicious teasing/bullying

 Done to make a person feel inferior, it's relentless and often in public

Using the 'b' word



Do you think people use the term 'banter' to disguise the fact they are 'bullying'?

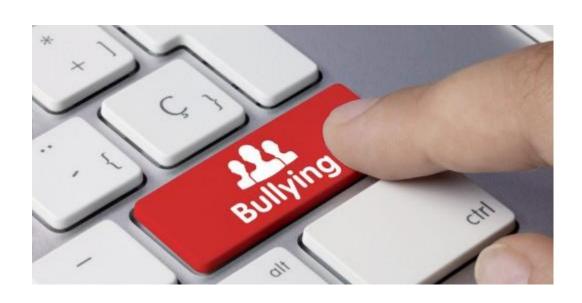
Where?



Where does banter or bullying take place?



Cyber Bullying



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Everything begins with the resolve to take the first step. From that action, wisdom arises and change begins. Without action. nothing changes.

(daisaku ikeda)