

Bullying

Final Assignment Instructions

In this lesson, you have learned about how bullying limits people's rights in a democracy. You have also learned how small actions in our everyday lives make a big impact on our society as a whole. You will now write an essay that shares what you have learned and what you think about it. You will need a printout of your notes.

- Choose one of the topics below and **write** an essay.
- **Organize** your response so that it includes at least three supporting details that you have learned from the reading passage, video, and other materials in this lesson.
- **Use** at least three vocabulary words (or a form of the words) as part of your supporting details.

Essay Topics

1. Write in your own words how bullying affects a democratic society.
2. "Sticks and stones may break my bones, but words will never hurt me." This is an old saying that many young children are taught. Describe a situation in which this saying is true. Then describe a situation in which this saying is not true. Use examples from the videos and the reading passage in the lesson to support your ideas.
3. Situations in which bullying takes place often involve a "victim," a "bully," and a "witness." Can you explain how different people play different roles in those events?

Vocabulary Words

cyberbullying
democracy
intervene
limit
society