



**RAISING STANDARDS IN EDUCATION THROUGH
A CREATIVE APPROACH TO LEARNING**

BIGFOOT VISIT FOR ANTI BULLYING WEEK 2023-24;

MAKE A NOISE ABOUT BULLYING!

Dear Parents/Guardians

We are delighted to be working in your child's school this term to help them celebrate Anti Bullying Week 2023-24.

As an associate member of the Anti-Bullying Alliance, Bigfoot Arts Education is committed to providing Primary Schools all across the UK with fun and creative assemblies and workshops to support children to understand how they can help put a stop to bullying.

Each year the ABA works with parents, teachers and students to select a theme; this year's theme is 'MAKE A NOISE ABOUT BULLYING'. Based on this, during our visit we will be helping your children understand that:

- ❖ Too often, we are silent when we see bullying take place, silent about the hurt bullying causes, and silent when we hear bullying dismissed as 'just banter'. It doesn't have to be this way.
- ❖ Of course, we won't like everyone and we don't always agree, but we can choose respect and unity.
- ❖ This Anti-Bullying Week children and adults are coming together to have discussions about what bullying means, how banter can turn into something more hurtful, and what we can do to stop bullying.
- ❖ Together, we can make a difference and take a stand against bullying.

From the playground to Parliament, and from our phones to our homes, let's make a noise about bullying!

It is important that the work we do continues beyond our visit and beyond anti bullying week itself. Therefore, to further support your child please continue the conversations and visit '[Advice for parents and carers \(anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk\)](https://www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk)' for parent resources, help and advice.

Thank you for your support,

Best Wishes,

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