

Look Strategically...What YOU Can Do



STEVEN'S STORY

Steven wasn't enjoying overnight camp. He wasn't very good at the camp activities and he missed his friends from home. At first, the boys in his bunk mostly ignored him. Then Jesse, one of the older boys, discovered Steven's stuffed bear. After that, things really went downhill. Jesse made fun of him for bringing the bear to camp. He started calling him "Baby Stevie" and the other boys soon followed. One counselor heard them and told them to cut it out, but that just made things worse. Steven counted the days until he'd be able to go home.

**Who is the Bully? Who is the Victim? Who are the Child Bystanders?
Who are the Adult Bystanders?**

What would happen if . . .

- Steven attempted to fight back by threatening or hitting Jesse?
- Steven stood tall and told Jesse to stop calling him names?
- The other boys in the bunk didn't follow Jesse's lead?
- One of the boys stood up for Steven and told the other kids to stop?
- The counselor followed up by talking with the group about taunting?

What else could the Bully, Victim, or Bystanders have done?



CARINA'S STORY

Carina didn't understand why Nel had suddenly become so mean. They used to be best friends, but now Nel barely spoke to her. Even worse, Carina knew Nel talked about her because she often saw Nel whispering to her new friends whenever Carina walked by. Yesterday, during soccer, none of the girls passed the ball to Carina. The coach didn't seem to notice. Carina found out later that Nel had told them not to. Nel said it would be funny.

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What would happen if . . .

- Carina attempted to fight back by threatening or hitting Nel?
- Carina ignored Nel's whispers?
- The other girls didn't whisper with Nel about Carina?
- One of the other girls passed the ball to Carina anyway?
- The coach noticed Carina was being excluded and asked the girls what was going on?

What else could the Bully, Victim, or Bystanders have done?