

Responding to Racial Bullying: A Self-Advocacy Guide

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IS IT RACIAL BULLYING?

- Sometimes racial bullying is obvious. Sometimes it is subtle. Either way, it is wrong.
- See LCR's [Model Anti-Bullying Policy](#) for examples.

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DOCUMENT EVERYTHING

- Make notes for yourself. Write down what happened.
- Include dates, times, locations, and witnesses.
- Take photos.
- Save screenshots.

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TAKE ACTION

- Identify which school staff can address the issue.
- If you do not know, go directly to the principal.
- Put it in writing! Click [here](#) for a template outreach email.
- Ask for a meeting.

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GET HELP

- If your school is not doing enough to stop the racial bullying, take it to the next level.
- File a complaint with the federal Office for Civil Rights. Click [here](#) to learn how and click [here](#) to submit an electronic complaint.
- You can also ask LCR for legal help. Fill out our intake form [here](#).

