Are you a learner, parent, teacher, or involved in a school community?
We would like to hear from you!

Bullying in schools deprives millions of children and young people of the fundamental right to education. A recent UNESCO report reveals that more than 30% of the world's students have been victims of bullying, with devastating consequences on academic achievement, school drop-out, and physical and mental health. While the issue of bullying may seem challenging to overcome, we know that many learners, parents and teachers are already taking practical and achievable steps to end it.

In the lead-up to this year’s first International day against violence and bullying at school Including cyberbullying on November 5 and as part of an International conference on school bullying hosted by UNESCO and France, we are creating a 5-minute video on bullying, featuring the voices of learners, parents and teachers from across the world. We want to know what your experiences of bullying have been, and what actions you are taking to overcome it. We will screen this video at the international conference and share it across the world, so that Governments, UN agencies, and other learners, teachers and parents, can hear your stories and learn from your experiences.

What do to: Please record a short video (60 seconds maximum) responding to all of the questions below (see page 2 of the attached). Videos can be recorded in English, Spanish or French. We will consider including your story as part of our 5-minute video on bullying.

How to share: Please email to Sylvain Séguy: s.seguy@unesco.org. Large files can be emailed to Sylvain Séguy via WeTransfer.com

Deadline: Please send your video before Monday 19 October 2020 (6pm - Paris time).

Consent: Please fill in the attached consent form and return it with your submission. We cannot accept your submission without a consent form.

TIPS:
For learners, please ensure they are comfortable participating – it is completely voluntary and there is no right or wrong answer to questions. Learners should be aware that this video will be shown to an audience online.

Please record in a quiet space, sit close to the camera
Please use landscape mode on your camera or smartphone
Answer the questions below:
There is no right or wrong answer and we are excited to hear your diverse thoughts and perspectives

I am a SCHOOL-AGED LEARNER

• What is your name, what is your age, and what country do you live in?
• What has been your personal experience with bullying?
• What did you do about it? (for example, how did you respond? did you report it to a teacher or parent?)

I am a TEACHER / PRINCIPAL / involved in a SCHOOL COMMUNITY

• What is your name, what is your profession/title and/or involvement in a school, and what country do you live in?
• What has been your experience of bullying in and around school? Can you tell us about a specific incident?
• What did you do about it? Was there a positive outcome?

I am a PARENT

• What is your name, are you a parent, and what country do you live in?
• How have your children or other learners been impacted by bullying? Can you tell us about a specific incident?
• What did you do about it? Was there a positive outcome?