

is it Bullying?

What is it?



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Teasing

- Everyone is having fun
- No one is getting hurt/No intent to harm someone
- Everyone is participating equally
- If asked to stop you would

Rude Moment

- Someone is being hurt inadvertently
- Often annoys another but not actually harm
- Usually not planned out in advance

Mean Moment

- Someone is being hurt on purpose
- Reaction to a strong feeling or emotion
- An isolated event (does not happen regularly) that happens maybe once or twice

Bullying

- Attacked physically, socially and/or emotionally
- Unequal balance of power
- Happens more than once over a period of time
- On purpose and meant to harm someone
- Usually planned in advance