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BULLYING EDITION



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Too Good for Violence, Bully Prevention Curriculum

CACY has received grant money from Richland County Mental Health & Recovery Board, Richland Public Health Department, and Richland County Foundation to offer a Bully Prevention Program to Richland County Schools. CACY is offering the TOO GOOD FOR VIONENCE (TGFV) 4th

grade curriculum published by the Mendez Foundation. TGFV is on the National Registry of Evidence Based Program List. TGFV teaches students skills they need to safely prevent and resolve conflict. Students will learn how to handle bullying situations, improve communication and problem solving

skills, learn to manage emotions, and have respect for themselves and others.



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CACY's Core Purpose: To provide tobacco, alcohol, violence and drug prevention information, education and coordination by bringing together schools, parents, government, law enforcement, agencies, business and community members who work toward making our county a healthier, safer place to live.

What is Bullying?

Bullying is unwanted, aggressive behavior among school aged children that involves a perceived power imbalance. The behavior is repeated or has the potential to be repeated over time.

In order to be considered

bullying, the behavior must be aggressive and include:

- An imbalance of power: Kids who bully use their strength, access to embarrassing information, or popularity to control or harm



others.

- Repetition: Bullying behaviors happen more than once or have the potential to continue.

Resources:
www.stopbullying.gov

Jodi Floyd, CACY Prevention Educator is available to come and speak to your PTO's. Please call if you are interested in having a speaker about Bullying and the Too Good For Violence Curriculum.