



Topic: Bullying

Key Question:

What constitutes bullying?

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Scenario:

The class is asked to complete projects in small groups. One student who is a bright but socially awkward girl, is rejected by all groups even with teacher intervention. She gets into a verbal fight with several other students. The student fails to be accepted in any group situation.

Discussion questions:

1. Would counseling be effective for this student?
2. How could the teacher/students help this student fit into a group?
3. What means could be used to get the rejected student to reflect on and modify her own behavior?

Correlated TEKS:

ELPS: 1A, 2H, 3G, 3H, 5F, 5G

ELAR: 25B, 25A, 18C, 23B

CCRS, E/LAS IV Listening A

Health 2E, 5C, 5K, 7A, 7B, 10A, 10B, 10D, 11A, 11B, 11C, 11D, 11F, 12F

Physical Education 7B, 7E

Social Studies (7th grade) 17B, 23A, 23B

Social Studies (8th grade) 20C, 21B