

The modules cover:

Module 1

What do we mean by cyberbullying? Exploring the types and new forms seen in this rapidly changing environment.

How is Cyberbullying different from conventional bullying? A reflective assessment of important factors.

Module 2

Recent rapid changes that affect cyberbullying – understanding the influences behind the behaviour

New influences and tech changes that affect how young people access the net

How can teachers cope in this rapidly changing scenario?

Module 3

Behaviour, anonymity and crowds online

A wider exploration of behaviour and impact. Online behaviour is often anonymous, impulsive, and uninhibited. To the recipient, the impacts can be brushed off or devastating

Module 4

What do young people tell us?

Research on young people's experiences online and their views on e-safety education.

Module 5

How should our advice change in the light of smartphones and tablets? How do we need to adjust to what young people are saying?

A new way to approach e-safety teaching

The 3 tier model: support more vulnerable students

Module 6

What is good practice?

Policy and procedure

Ofsted

The Law

Understanding Cyberbullying
A distance learning course

Worth CPD 20 hours

Module 7

Real cases from life analysed

Module 8

Serious Incidents

Types of sexting

Extortion

Blackmail

Child exploitation

Working with other agencies

Module 9

Handling disclosure sensitively

Preparing a class for a discussion

Effective listening

Support for a young person

Module 10

Tools to use, survey staff training needs

Getting help

Useful websites

Approaches that work

Further reading

Useful videos

Modules have reflection assignments for you to complete, drawing from your own setting or experience.

Feedback will be individual and personal.

You can contact us at any time if you have a question.

Learners are given access to the Bullying Intervention Guild – free for a year – this provides online resources and newsletters to keep you up to date after the course.

Stay in touch with others in this field via our hub and blog.