

An Roinn Oideachais

Department of Education

Cineáltas: Action Plan on Bullying and the Bí Cineálta Procedures

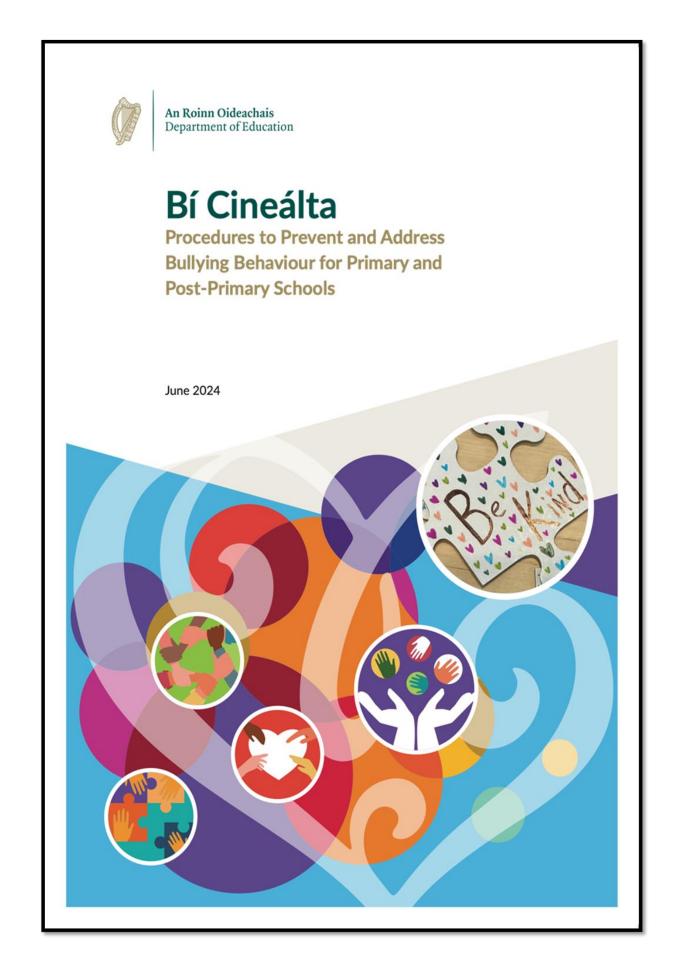














Each school is required to develop and implement a Bí Cineálta policy that sets out how the school community prevents and addresses bullying behaviour. Schools should engage with their school community to develop and review their policy.

(Bí Cineálta Section 4.1)



Consultation with the School Community



- What is the best way to include the voice of all school staff in our Bí Cineálta Policy?
 - Avail of half-day school closure to enable all school staff to engage?
 - How does the school get feedback from staff in relation to other school policies?
 - Develop a survey or questionnaire for all school staff?
 - Include preventing and addressing bullying behaviour as part of regular staff meetings?

Consultation with the School Community



 What is the best way to include the voice of parents in our Bí Cineálta Policy?

How do we get feedback on existing school policies?

Can we use the existing weekly/monthly newsletter?

Consult with our Parents Association?

Host a coffee morning for parents?

Hold an evening information seminar for parents

Develop a survey/questionnaire for parents



Consultation with the School Community



- What is the best way to include the voice of children and young people in our Bí Cineálta Policy?
 - Engage with pupils and students as part of SPHE?
 - Can we ask the Student Council for their input?
 - Develop a survey or questionnaire for pupils/students?
 - Hold an art competition to design the student-friendly Bí Cineálta policy?