

KiVa Solihull



Spring 2019 brings an exciting anti-bullying opportunity for schools across the Midlands.

KiVa is an innovative school-based, anti-bullying program which has been developed using extensive research on bullying and its mechanisms. KiVa is a program designed for schools to prevent and tackle bullying swiftly and effectively.

Meriden CE Primary School has been a KiVa school for 3 years. Within the first year, key successes have included:

- ✓ Children either experiencing or witnessing bullying dropping by up to 50% in most classes
- ✓ Recorded incidents of bullying decreasing each month
- ✓ Children showing a much clearer understanding of what bullying is and how to deal with it
- ✓ Parents' perceptions and engagement around anti-bullying issues dramatically improving.



'I defy any school to come on this training and not be clear on what bullying is and how to deal with it.'

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In October 2016 Ofsted noted, "The school has introduced a new whole-school approach to the teaching of anti-bullying. As a result, pupils have an excellent understanding of what bullying is, what to do if it happens and who to tell. The school has worked actively with parents to share their work on anti-bullying and behaviour in addition to

'Can't wait to take these amazing resources back to school!' @Yorkswood

commissioning an external review of the school's antibullying work. Most parents say that the school manages behaviour well and staff deal effectively with bullying."

If this is of interest to your school, the next 2-day KiVa training course led by accredited KiVa trainers Ben Wainwright and Stephen Beamond is taking place on **Thursday 4**th **and Friday 5**th **April 2019.**

Please see attached **costings** document for details of the charges involved.

Please email <u>admin@kivasolihull.com</u> for more information or click the link <u>https://youtu.be/C0B9uNgwUp4</u> for more details about this fantastic initiative.

We look forward to hearing from you.

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