

Junction Elementary School District

BULLYING DEFINITION AND ANTI-BULLYING PLEDGE

The Junction Elementary School District has determined that the following is the definition of what Bullying is, and who will be considered to be a Bully.

“Bullying is when someone repeatedly and on purpose says or does mean or hurtful things to another person who has a hard time defending him or herself.”

(California Education Code sections 200, 220, 233, and 48900.3 require all schools to address issues of bullying and to intervene and to assign appropriate consequences whenever bullying occurs)

NOTE: This includes electronic bullying and all forms of social media and electronic/digital communication.

Anti-Bullying Pledge

I Will:

- **Speak out** against bullying
- **Report bullying** when I see it
- **Learn** what is and is not bullying
- **Make others feel** included and valued
- **Solve problems** in peaceful ways
- **Think** before I comment on, post or forward messages

I Know:

- **I don't deserve to be bullied.**