

## A.V. Graham Public School Bullying Prevention and Intervention Plan 2024-2025

## **AVG School Climate Survey – Goals**

- Continue to Strengthen Our School Community and Belonging: Cultivate a strong sense of community by encouraging active participation and collaboration among students, staff, and families through school spirit days, family engagement nights, extra-curricular activities, and school-wide events. Create a strong sense of community by fostering an environment where every student feels valued and included.
- **Cultivate Trust and Inclusivity**: Establish a safe and inclusive environment that celebrates diversity, fosters healthy relationships, and helps students connect with a trusted adult within the school through school spirit days, emotional wellness initiatives, and regular mental health awareness activities.
- Enhance Equity, Inclusion, and Well-Being: Increase awareness of equity and inclusiveness, while developing critical thinking skills to solve problems, increasing supportive peer interactions, and positive mental health and well-being through school programming and events.

With continued focus on these goals, A.V. Graham will further develop an environment where inclusiveness, supportive relationships, and community spirit thrive, contributing to the overall well-being and success of all students, staff, and community members.



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#### Each school should:

- ✓ Actively communicate policies, procedures and guidelines to staff, students, parents/guardians/caregivers and broader members of the school community.
- ✓ Review policies, procedures and guidelines and include the school community in this process in order to build upon and sustain a positive, welcoming, and inclusive school climate.
- ✓ Review guidelines and procedures or develop new ones to address discrimination and harassment as they may apply to students, staff, parents/guardians, and community members.
- ✓ Outline roles/responsibilities of the school community, including students, staff, parents/guardians, and community members.
- ✓ Ensure goals address areas of challenge, as identified in school climate surveys and other relevant data.

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## A.V. Graham 2024 School Climate Survey Results

The information below represents the highlights from our 2024 'School Climate Survey'. These results have been used to shape our programs and initiatives at A.V. Graham. In the spring of 2025, a new 'School Climate Survey' will be available to staff, students, and parents. We value your input. Of course, at any time, we are available to answer any questions you may have.

## **Highlights from the 2024 School Climate Survey:**

- √ 87% of students surveyed feel welcomed at AVG
- √ 84% of students like participating in school activities
- ✓ 76.5% of students feel like they have one friend at school
- ✓ 60.7% of students have not experienced bullying at school

The AVG School Climate Survey results show that in 2024, 60.8% of the students surveyed reported that they had not experienced bullying or harassment at school. An analysis of the type of bullying being reported as experienced by students at school is as follows:

Types of Bullying Behaviour	2024			
Physical	24.3%			
Verbal	29.6%			
Social	33%			
Cyber	14.8			
Shown hateful images	27%			

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**Goal:** The students and staff of AVG will have a common understanding of bullying prevention and its relationship to anti-racism, equity, and inclusion. All students will be made to feel welcomed and included at A.V. Graham.

Levels: Student, Class, School, Board, Community (Parents, Community Agencies)

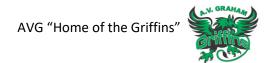
**Supports:** Zones of Regulation, Black History Month is Every Month, Social Justice Begins with Me Literature Kits, Diversity Books, CYW support/Restorative Practices

Septemb	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
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First Ten Days: School Mental Health	Terry Fox Walk/Run Kicking it for	Bullying Awareness & Prevention Spirit Week	Tinsel Treats  Tree of  Warmth	Beat the Blues Spirit Week *Leadership	Black History Month Free to be Kind Week:	Carnaval  Rock Your Socks for World Down	Parent Reaching Out Grant: STEAM and Well-being	Multi- cultural Celebr- ation	Pride Day Pride Flag Inclusion
Ontario	Cans: Soccer Game Can	Remembrance Day Assembly	Merry and Bright Spirit	team pictures for Griffin	Random Acts of Kindness	Syndrome Day	Event	Talent	and Well- Being
Orange Shirt Day	Drive	and Learning Activities	week Holiday/Winte	Gallery (ongoing)	Pink Shirt Day (Feb. 26)	(March 21) March	We All Fit Together Spirit Week:	show Fit Week	Spirit Week
Meet the Staff Event		Words Matter Presentations Grades 4-8	r assembly Winter walkthrough Kinder		Fostering Healthy Relationships Grant: Friendship Bracelets	Mashup Spirit Week	Light it Up Blue for Autism AVG puzzle pieces	Spirit Week	
					"Spread the Love" RAK				

Welcoming and Inclusive Schools Campaign Bullying Prevention Week activities

2024-2025 Days of Acknowledgement: Inclusive calendar of various cultural holidays and special days

Class of the Week



Lexia Superstars! Zones of Regulation Mentor Texts



The First 10 Days (and Beyond).pdf