

## **Bullying Report**

Ohio law requires school policies to use the definition of bullying found in R.C. 3313.666, which defines "harassment, intimidation, or bullying" as:

Any intentional written, verbal, or physical act that a student has exhibited toward another particular student more than once and the behavior both: (a) causes mental or physical harm to the other student; (b) is sufficiently severe, persistent, or pervasive that it creates an intimidating, threatening, or abusive educational environment for the other student.

House Bill 116 further requires school districts to establish cyber-bullying policies. Those requirements are covered in Ayersville BOE policy 5517.01-Bullying and Other Forms of Aggressive Behavior.

In accordance with these laws of the State of Ohio, it is reported that the administrators of Ayersville Local Schools dealt with the following number of incidences of bullying:

### **2011-2012**

K-6: For the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the 2011-2012 school year, there were 6 cases of bullying in grades K-6.

7-12: For the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the 2011-2012 school year, there were 13 cases of bullying in grades 7-12.

K-6: For the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester of the 2011-2012 school year, there were 22 cases of bullying in grades K-6.

7-12: For the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester of the 2011-2012 school year, there were 6 cases of bullying in grades 7-12.

### **2012-2013**

K-6: For the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the 2012-2013 school year, there were 8 cases of bullying in grades K-6.

7-12: For the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the 2012-2013 school year, there were 8 cases of bullying in grades 7-12.

K-6: For the 2nd semester of the 2012-2013 school year, there were 7 cases of bullying in grades K-6.

7-12: For the 2nd semester of the 2012-2013 school year, there were 5 cases of bullying in grades 7-12.

### **2015-2016**

K-6: For the 1st semester of the 2015-2016 school year, there were 0 cases of bullying in grades K-6.

7-12: For the 1st semester of the 2015-2016 school year, there were 0 cases of bullying in grades 7-12.

### **2016-2017**

K-6: For the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the 2016-2017 school year, there were 2 instances of bullying in grades K-6.

7-12: For the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the 2016-2017 school year, there were 3 instances of bullying in grades 7-12.

K-6: For the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester of the 2016-2017 school year, there were 2 instances of bullying in grades K-6

7-12: For the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester of the 2016-2017 school year, there were 2 instances of bullying in grades 7-12.

### **2017-18**

K-6: For the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the 2017-2018 school year, there were 0 instances of bullying in grades K-6.

7-12: For the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the 2017-2018 school year, there was 1 instance of bullying in grades 7-12.

K-6: For the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester of the 2017-2018 school year, there were 2 instances of bullying in grades K-6.

7-12: For the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester of the 2017-2018 school year, there was 1 instance of bullying in grades 7-12.