FUSE

Anti-bullying and Online Safety Programme

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W: antibullyingcentre.ie/fuse
FUSE is an anti-bullying and online safety programme developed by the Anti-bullying Research and Resource centre in DCU with support from Facebook/Instagram. The programme is grounded in Irish and international best practice research, consisting of a series of workshops and projects aimed at junior cycle students, their parents and school staff in post-primary schools across Ireland.

FUSE is also a research and evaluation programme, allowing schools to monitor their own school and identify areas of improvement and self-evaluation. The curriculum focuses on empowering students to develop initiatives in their schools which tackle bullying and raise awareness of online safety.

**FUSE Aims:**
Over the course of one academic year, FUSE aims to;

— To reduce levels of bullying in schools
— Increase reporting of bullying incidents
— Raise student, school staff and parent awareness of online safety
— Increase inclusiveness within the school climate, enabling school staff, students and parents, to tackle bullying and online safety together

**Research Design and Data Collection**
At the beginning of FUSE, teachers will participate in a 2-day training programme, which will enable them to deliver workshops to school staff, parents and students. Pre and post evaluations will then take place with school staff, parents and students, to measure the extent to which the programme is impacting on participant’s ability to tackle bullying and raise awareness of online safety.

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