**Bullies should be suspended for a week.**

(Argumentative essay)

Bullying is when a child harasses, mentally or physically, other children. Is it good for them to be suspended or not?

Suspension teaches children that if they do something they should not, they will need to face consequences. It also makes time for them to think about what they are actually doing and how does it affect other people. They will have time to talk to someone, maybe a parent, friend or someone else. Suspension is also good for victims of bullying. Why? Because they always live in fear and it can make some time for them to feel less anxious and also to speak with people who can help them become more confident and aware or the things happening around them.

But does the suspension have bad influence on a bully? Isolation is not always the answer and it can cause the reverse effect. After suspension some children can be more aggressive and angrier, because they know it is a punishment. This effect is not good at all neither for the bully or the victim. It can also make other children hate the bully and mark him/her as a "bad" person. So, they may be left out by society or even be bullied themselves. What is important to say is that it is not good to spend less time in school. By going to suspension bullies are going to miss classes and exams. All that will pile up and their grades will go lower.

Suspension may be good but there are better ways to make children learn that what they are doing is wrong. It could be social work or cleaning school or talking with parents, teachers or psychologists.

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