

## CHILD ON CHILD ABUSE / SEXUAL AGGRESSION AND VIOLENCE LESSON OVERVIEW SHEET

NAME OF FILM:	BROKEN STONES
RUNNING TIME:	13.11 mins
<b>KEY TOPIC AREAS:</b>	Online Peer on Peer Abuse / Discrimination
CHARACTERS:	

When Max comes out as Trans, the role of his friends as bystanders becomes a key part of his acceptance in society. The film shows how the friends reacted initially without acknowledging the effect of online "Banter" and then how they reflect on their actions and examine how they should have done things initially.

## **QUESTIONS / ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION AND DISCUSSION**

- Was the way Max "came out" the best way to announce the news?
- What issues do people face online and is it easier for peer-on-peer abuse to occur online?
- How could have Max's friend have supported him initially when he decided to announce the news online?
- Sticks and stones may break my bones but calling names won't hurt me discuss this statement- do you agree / disagree?
- What is your definition / view of "Banter" where does it become unacceptable or Peer on Peer Abuse
- Did the reaction of the teacher really encourage people to speak up should the reaction be any different what would you like to see?
- Malicious Communication / Hate Crime are criminal offences has this occurred here?

## SUGGESTED FOLLOW UP / LINKS (Listed at the end of the film)

- Children and Families Social Care 0191 424 5010 (office hours), 0191 456 2093 (evenings, weekends, and bank holidays)
- Humankind
- National LGBT+ Domestic Abuse Helpline 0800 999 5428
- LGBT+ Hate Crime Helpline 0207 704 2040
- National Conversion Therapy Helpline 0800 130 3335
- Childline 0800 1111 /NSPCC Helpline 0808 800 5000
- Kooth.com
- Talk to a trusted adult at school / college or at home

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3seYQSyaurQ&list=PLehP1kNqXxmTN22KxDY E84wTLQz0HS8Zq&index=1

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