

BYSTANDER EFFECT

explained for kids



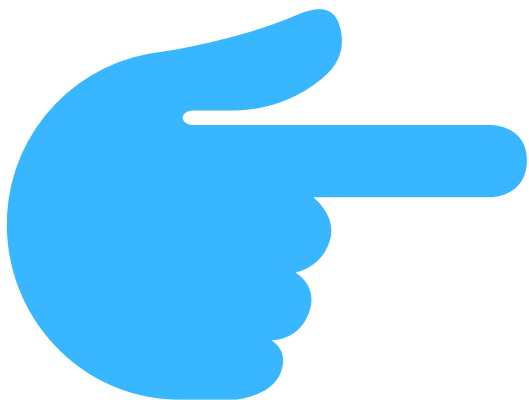
WHEN THERE ARE OTHER PEOPLE AROUND,
A PERSON TENDS TO BE LESS LIKELY TO
HELP SOMEONE THAT NEEDS HELP.



THIS MIGHT HAPPEN BECAUSE WE' ARE
WAITING TO SEE WHAT OTHER PEOPLE
WILL DO,



WE MIGHT FEEL SCARED, NERVOUS, OR
WORRIED ABOUT HELPING,



OR WE THINK SOMEONE ELSE WILL HELP.



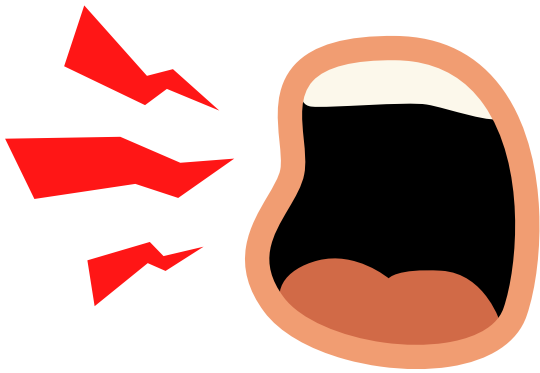
WHEN MIGHT SOMEONE NEED HELP?



WHEN THEY ARE SICK OR GET HURT.



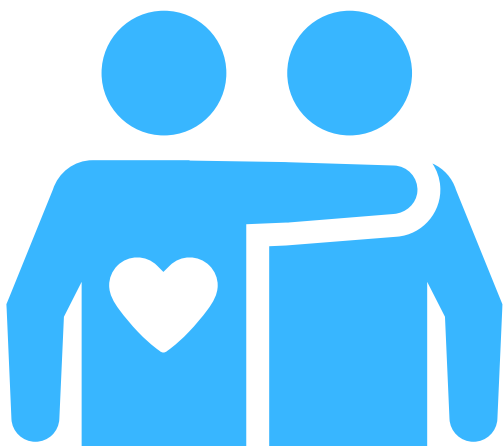
WHEN THEY ARE CRYING OR LOOK VERY UPSET,



WHEN SOMEONE IS BULLYING HIM/HER (SAYING OR DOING MEAN THINGS TO THAT PERSON),



OR WHEN THERE IS AN ACCIDENT, A SPILL, OR A BIG MESS.



WHAT CAN I DO TO HELP?

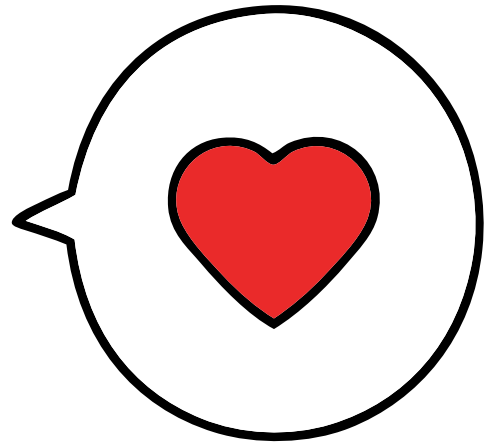


STAY
SAFE

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FIND AND ASK A GROWN UP FOR HELP!



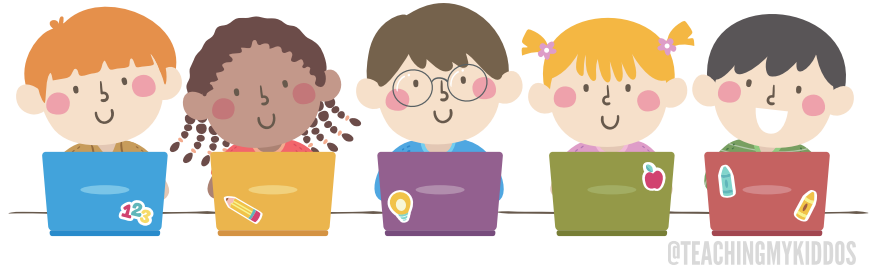
IF IT SEEMS SAFE, ASK THE PERSON WHO NEEDS HELP IF EVERYTHING IS OKAY.



ASK ANOTHER PERSON OR PEER NEARBY TO HELP YOU.

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what is the bystander effect?

WHEN THERE ARE OTHER PEOPLE AROUND, A PERSON TENDS TO BE LESS LIKELY TO HELP SOMEONE THAT NEEDS HELP.

when might someone need help?

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- WHEN SOMEONE IS CRYING OR LOOKS REALLY UPSET,
- WHEN SOMEONE IS BULLYING THEM (SAYING OR DOING MEAN THINGS TO THEM),
- WHEN THERE'S AN ACCIDENT, A SPILL, OR A BIG MESS.

why does it happen?

IT MIGHT HAPPEN BECAUSE:

1. WE ARE WAITING TO SEE WHAT OTHER PEOPLE WILL DO,
2. WE MIGHT FEEL SCARED, WORRIED, OR NERVOUS ABOUT HELPING,
3. OR WE THINK THAT SOMEONE ELSE WILL HELP.

how can we help?

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