

Prejudice

Prejudice can be caused by fear of the unknown, or by fear of something different.

Look up the word "prejudice" in two dictionaries and find out what it means.

Here is a simple definition to help you:

an unreasonable dislike of something or someone

Write down your own meaning of prejudice.

Here are some reasons why children sometimes experience prejudice in school:

wearing glasses;

being a new girl or boy;

wearing different clothes;

having a different colour skin to most other children;

having a physical handicap;

being overweight or underweight;

having a different religion.

Choose one of the reasons and imagine that you are the person who is experiencing prejudice. Write a diary for one week explaining what happens to you and how you feel.

Afterwards we will read out some of the diary entries and compare them.