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## A PARADIGM SHIFT: HELPING KIDS CREATE AN ENVIRONMENT WHERE BULLYING IS OBSOLETE

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Texting, Facebook, and Snapchat provide unlimited, unsupervised and peer-driven social interactions ripe for bullying and other forms of unkindness. Bullies gossip, write things on social media and exclude you from social events. Bullying is not a normal part of growing up; it doesn't build character; and it impacts an optimal learning environment. Despite a great deal of attention being paid to anti-bullying efforts in the past several years, and the increased breadth of the problem, it is no wonder that schools, despite their best efforts, still face bullying concerns on a daily basis.

Licensed clinical psychologist and certified school psychologist John Dominguez, Ph.D will present a paradigm shift that compels us to address this problem in a different way, through a comprehensive focus and emphasis on creating cultures in which bullying and other forms of unkind behavior cannot survive.

