

## Music to combat bullying in a music video made by and for students

**LOCATION:** Almería

**DURATION:** 1'29"

**SUMMARY:** Students from the Freinet public school in Almería have recorded a music video to combat bullying. The song 'Lágrimas a mí, risas para ti' ('Tears for me and laughter for you' in English) is a message of hope for children who are being harassed at school. In Spain, one out of four children is a victim of bullying.

**VTR:**

### BACKGROUND

*[Singing] "Tears for me, laughter for you..."*

You are watching the video against bullying made by these students from the Luis Freinet school in Almería. They put themselves in the shoes of a bullying victim to write this song. But they couldn't have imagined how popular they would become.

**Jean Pierre Gauchi**  
**Teacher of Citizenship Education**

*"They will always remember this because they have become aware of it, they know what it is. And now, thanks to the media coverage, they have realized that this is really necessary."*

A unique experience that has made an impact on them.

**Ilenia Salinas**  
**Student**

*"During the recording we felt excited, happy, sometimes sad... Because bullies make others feel bad, want to die... everything; and that's very wrong."*

Thanks to this work, they know exactly how handle bullying.

**Marina Ruiz**  
**Student**

*"They need to tell people about it, grown-ups, even teachers, because maybe they can help."*

**Raúl Catalicio**  
**Student**

*"If the people in the class see it, they must warn teachers, everyone, they can't let it go."*

And they also have a message for bullies.

**Jaime Terribas**  
**Student**

*"They need to stop because they are causing a lot of pain, that's why we have made this video, to send them a message."*

If a case is detected we must...

**Juan Sánchez**  
**School principal**

*"Inform families and the inspection service of our education office."*

According to the Association No to Harassment, one out of four minors in Spain is a bullying victim. Alarming figures that initiatives like this one try to combat.