

“The Dean and JoJo Alternatives to Bullying and Intolerance DVD has been an amazing resource for teachers at my school. Using the program, we have had students volunteer to become "Dolphin Ambassadors for Peace" and go into other classes to teach conflict resolution. This has built both community and confidence among our diverse student population. I have found the message of compassion easy for children and adults to relate to. I have had fewer incidences of teasing, fighting, and bullying with this program than in my previous 15 years of teaching. In addition, incidences of fighting, bullying, and harassment have decreased since implementing the suggested strategies in the accompanying PDF file. I would recommend this program for any teacher wanting to create an atmosphere where students are empowered to make assertive peaceful choices in their relationships.”

---Laurie Woodward, 5th Grade teacher. Taylor Elementary. Santa Maria-Bonita School District, Recipient of Santa Barbara Foundation Grant 2011 for Dean and JoJo Anti Bullying school program.

“Elements of our “Dean and JoJo Anti Bullying” DVD program are Bullying Prevention & Resolution. Students and young people of all races and classes are seriously affected. Our program addresses physically violent bullying, solutions for solving verbal, emotional, abusive and cyber bullying as well. Teacher’s students, families, and therapist’s patients, have all benefited.”

--Dean Bernal, Creator of the Dean and JoJo Anti Bullying and Enrichment programs.