



## IF ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR IS HAPPENING:

- Consider how this could affect others.
- If pressured to join in, say no firmly and your true friends should understand.
- Remember that you can walk away.
- If you are with a group involved in ASB you could end up receiving the same punishment.

## WHERE TO GO FOR HELP AND ADVICE:



**childline**

ONLINE, ON THE PHONE, ANYTIME  
childline.org.uk | 0800 1111



**Gloucestershire  
Victim Support**

Tel 0808 281 0112

**You got this Glos**

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Tel 0800 281 2446

[www.ygtglos.org.uk](http://www.ygtglos.org.uk)



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Behaviour**

**HELP AND ADVICE**

## WHAT IS ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR ?

Anti-social behaviour (ASB) is any behaviour which causes or is likely to cause harassment, alarm or distress to one or more people:

- **HARASSMENT** – continued unwanted or annoying actions, including threats and demands.
- **ALARM** – A sudden fear caused by the threat of danger.
- **DISTRESS** – Suffering, pain or worry.



### EXAMPLES OF ASB

Anti-social behaviour can come in lots of different forms but can include;

- Graffiti
- Littering
- Fighting
- Drinking alcohol and taking drugs
- Throwing objects
- Cycling dangerously / inconsiderately
- Cherry knocking / knock and run
- Intimidating and annoying behaviour
- Setting fires

## ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR CAN TURN INTO CRIMINAL BEHAVIOUR.



You can still get into trouble with the police for ASB.

Anti-Social behaviour is often picked by residents across the county as one of the things that really affects their lives.

### IT MAKES PEOPLE FEEL:

- Anxious and on edge
- Frightened to go out
- Unsafe in their home
- That their children are not safe
- Like they want to move house
- Like it will never end