

**Workshop 4: Bullies Beware****Reading 3 Project: Bullying: Get the Facts**  
**Why We Worry**

*Bullies aren't the only thing kids worry about.*

**Project:** Take a survey that shows what the boys and girls in your class worry about.

**Procedure****1. Plan your survey.**

Review the bar graph on page 95 of your *rBook*. Survey students in your class on the same topics (bullying, discrimination, violence, and alcohol and drugs). Let students answer without giving their names. Here's how to get started.

- Give each student a piece of lined paper. Tell them NOT to write their name on it—just write “B” for “boy” or “G” for “girl.” Have students number their papers 1–4.
- Say, “Number one: Do you worry about bullying? Write ‘yes’ or ‘no’ after number one.”
- Give students a moment to write their answers. Then say, “Number two: Do you worry about discrimination? Write ‘yes’ or ‘no’ after number two.” Do the same for violence, and alcohol and drugs.
- Have students put their answers in a folder or large envelope.

**2. Organize the information.**

- Divide the answers into those from boys and those from girls.
- Count how many boys and how many girls worry about each topic.

**3. Present your work.**

Write a short paragraph telling the results.