In 2013, US high school students took the CDC’s Youth Risk Behavior Survey. This infographic outlines some of the findings.

20% of students were bullied on school property.
15% of students were electronically bullied.
19% of students were physically bullied.

23% of students had been in a physical fight.
20% of students had been in a physical fight.

Physical fights on school property have decreased since 1993. (8%) of students had been in a physical fight on school property.

8% of students had missed school in the last 30 days due to bullying.
80% of bullied students missed school due to bullying concerns.

96% of students who experienced multiple signs of bullying were more likely to have missed school.

4% of students who had never been bullied did not miss school due to bullying concerns.

How can you stop bullying?

For students:
- Create safe bullying-free environments and respect all students, peers, and adults.
- Support bullying prevention programs in your school.
- Help others who are being bullied, support peers, and support adults.
- Talk with your child about what to do if they or someone they know is being bullied.
- Remember, there is always help; if you have a problem, tell a teacher or counselor.

For parents:
- Build a safe and comfortable environment for your child.
- Help your child to develop social skills.

To learn more, visit stopbullying.gov