



Bullying and being treated differently after ABI

“I’m younger than Amy so when she got sick a few of the kids in my class made fun of me because they didn’t understand.

I hadn’t done anything wrong. Young kids sometimes don’t know how to react to things so when they heard about Amy getting sick they tried to make fun of things.

It all went too far though and what they said became really hurtful to me. They didn’t know when to stop. I had to tell my teacher because I was really upset.

My teacher explained to them what had happened to my sister and that it wasn’t anything that should be made fun of. The bullying stopped then.

I worry about bringing my friends home from time to time because it can be hard explaining to them what is happening with Amy. My good friends still come round because they understand what is happening but sometimes I just go to their house and play instead.

No-one mentions it at school now. They know not to ask and they mind their own business.”

