



AIM Buddy Project and Olweus Bullying Prevention Program

Crosswalk Alignment

The chart below outlines the alignment between the *AIM Buddy Project* program resources and the *Olweus Bullying Prevention Program* components. Use this crosswalk alignment to help you organically incorporate the AIM Buddy Project resources into your OBPP planning stages.

OBPP Component	AIM Program Resource	Alignment Notes
Coordinating Committee Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AIM program/topics ▪ “About the Topics” video 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Discuss AIM as a program that can help promote social, emotional, and character development (SECD) in children and in effect help move school climate to a positive, inclusive, welcoming environment
Staff Discussion Groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “Welcome to AIM” video (introduce five topics) ▪ Individual topics or full AIM program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Include AIM in planning discussions as suggestions for class meetings ▪ Introduce AIM program and topics; discuss promoting social emotional learning and character development as paths to stronger peer relationships, reduction in negative behaviors, safer and more caring learning environments
Kick-Off Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “Welcome to AIM” video (introduce five topics) ▪ “Why a Buddy Program” section ▪ Interactive comic or game 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduce AIM program and topics; discuss promoting social emotional learning and character development as paths to stronger peer relationships, reduction in negative behaviors, safer and more caring learning environments ▪ Model and encourage buddy collaborations to help promote building positive peer relationships; suggest continued collaboration outside of AIM program ▪ Reinforce home connection with AIM digital materials
Introducing School Rules/Discipline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “So Funny I Forgot To Laugh” interactive comic and episode 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use materials to open discussions about negative consequences, reporting, etc.
Class Meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “So Funny I Forgot To Laugh” interactive comic and episode 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use resources as a class meeting topic ▪ Use story line as role-play topic (aggressor: Arthur; target: Sue Ellen; bystanders: friends; support adult: Mr. Ratburn; group mechanism and actions) ▪ Suggest class meeting be led by buddy pairs ▪ Refer to AIM Summary Chart listing OBPP Class Meetings alignments
Parent Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Arthur episodes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Include OBPP in AIM parent letter and AIM in OBPP Parent letter ▪ Provide parents with ideas on how to introduce the topics at home ▪ Include AIM in list of parent recommended resources

Parent Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “So Funny I Forgot To Laugh” comic and episode 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduce as supplement to OBPP ▪ Small group discussion after viewing ▪ Discuss how parents can use resources at home
“Back to School Night”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduce AIM; hands on demonstration 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduce bullying discussion ▪ Introduce school’s prevention efforts ▪ Share AIM Buddy as supplemental resource to OBPP program
Going Beyond the Basic Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AIM Buddy Project 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Include as supplemental resource to enhance OBPP
OBPP Common Core Alignments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Common Core alignments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Point out alignment of programs for Trainer-Consultants
Olweus Bullying Prevention Program Companion Bibliography Using Literature to Promote Cultural Competence: A Bullying Prevention Companion Bibliography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ References and Bibliography 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Refer OBPP Trainer-Consultants to AIM list (includes OBPP references)
Olweus key word definitions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Teasing, bullying definition box (“So Funny I Forgot To Laugh” lesson plan) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Incorporate and merge the two program definitions
<i>Venn and Friends</i> (new resource)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “Dear Adil” interactive comic and lesson 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Supplement new “Venn and Friends” (penpals in US and Sweden) with “Dear Adil” (penpals in US and Turkey)
Olweus website	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AIM/WGBH 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Point out entry in affiliate/partner section

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