STOP CYBERBULLYING!

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Today's podcast is about cyberbullying, which is one of the most used ways to bully someone with the use of digital technologies. It mostly affects young people. Now we are going to talk about our experiences from different countries: Italy, Turkey and Poland.

I'm Nur and I'm 17, I'm from Turkey. One day I wanted to ask something about my photos with my friends on snapchat but I sent it to wrong person. After that we talked with this boy and in the beginning he was very kind person but after he wanted intimate photos of me and If I won't send it to him, he will photoshop my pictures so that will look like I was without my clothes on. After that I was really horrified and I told my mom about it and I told him that she said that my uncle is a lawyer and if he won't stop this and delete those photos he will sue him. We had a small argument with him but in the end he deleted the photos and we cut him off.

I'm Carmen, I'm Italian and I'm 17. Once when I was younger some of my classmates created a hatepage about a girl from the same class as ours. She was really shy and she was very introverted. While the breaks they published photos of her on the hatepage and they were making fun of her. Around a month later she discovered that and she talked about it with her mom and her mom talked about it with our teachers. My classmates had to delete the hatepage and they had to give her apologies. Now they are in friendly terms.

I'm Gabriela, I'm Polish and I'm 14. About a month ago when I was back from my other Erasmus project which I flew to with my best friend some really inappropriate rumours started to spread online about her and what she did in there which wasn't true at all. Her boyfriend found out about them and he confronted the guy who spread the rumour. Few days after the boyfriend found out about it he and 4 of his friends met up with this guy and had a little fight. The principal found out about it and they landed in his office. The boyfriend and his friends were forbidden to go near him or even look at him, even though they were in the same class, which was difficult, but the guy who spread the rumour confessed that these rumors weren't true and everyone is fine now.

I hope that our stories made you learn something new and you know how to behave when you are getting cyberbullied.

