

Problem Statement

"How can we cultivate a safe and supportive school environment where students like Emma feel empowered to report harassment without fear of reprisal, while also promoting empathy and understanding among their peers?"

Success Metrics

To evaluate the effectiveness of the anti-harassment strategy in schools, the following key performance indicators are proposed:

1. Increase in Harassment Reports

- **Definition:** Track the volume of harassment reports submitted through a secure, anonymous reporting system.
- **Goal:** Aim for a 30% rise in reported incidents within the first year following the introduction of support initiatives.
- **Reasoning:** An increase in reports would signal that students feel more confident in reporting issues and trust the school's response, reflecting heightened awareness and belief in the support system.

2. Enhanced Student Satisfaction Levels

- **Definition:** Conduct regular surveys to gauge students' satisfaction with school culture, safety, and the support provided regarding harassment issues.
- **Goal:** Achieve a 20% improvement in satisfaction scores over two academic years.
- **Reasoning:** Higher satisfaction scores would imply that students are positively responding to the new initiatives, perceiving a safer and more supportive school environment.

3. Reduction in Bullying and Harassment Incidents

- **Definition:** Track the frequency of bullying and harassment cases over time, comparing data before and after the solution's implementation.
- **Goal:** Target a 40% reduction in incidents within the first year of the program's launch.
- **Reasoning:** A decrease in incidents would reflect the effectiveness of the anti-harassment strategies, fostering a more inclusive and respectful school culture.