

Wellbeing Weekly



What is body shaming? It is humiliating someone by making inappropriate or negative comments about their body size or shape. The negative comments will be for all different body shapes and/or reference to a specific

body part.

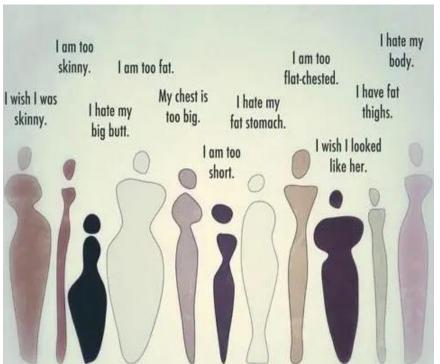
Why do we need to stop body shaming? It leads to comparison and shame, and perpetuates the idea that people should be judged mainly for their physical features.

'I don't think this can be improved now. Wherever you go someone has to say something about your body shape. They will always say that you're too skinny or too fat. When people describe someone else they start with their weight.'

Year 11 student.

Body shaming happens in school and we need it to stop. The comments made are hurtful. A remark in the corridor can make someone feel humiliated,

angry and embarrassed.



Can we make it better together?

We all should **call** it **out** for what it is - **spiteful** and harmful - and make sure we all know that it is not acceptable. We could all try and say something **kind** when we see people. For example:-

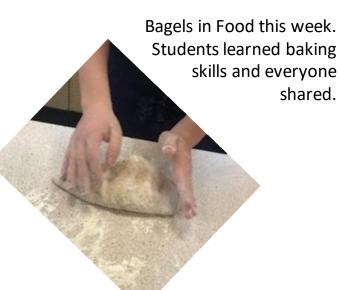


'I like your smile!'
'You're funny.'
'Thank you.'
'I like your top.'



















Our Year 11 student Corey was able to take a whole engine apart and clean it. Older students commented on his skill. He is making excellent progress.



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Friendly February 2023

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

SUNDAY



Send a message to let someone know you're thinking of them

Ask a friend how they have been feeling recently

Do an act of kindness to make life easier for someone

Invite a friend over for a 'tea break' (in person or virtual)

Make time to chat with a

Get back in touch with an old friend you've not seen for a while

Show an active interest by asking questions when talking to others

Share what you're feeling with someone you really trust they made a

Look for good in others, particularly when you feel frustrated with them

Send an encouraging note to someone who needs a boost

Focus on being kind rather than being right

Smile at the people you see and brighten

Tell a loved one or friend why they are special to you

Support a local business with a positive online review or friendly message

16 Check in on someone who may be struggling and offer to help

the good qualities of someone in

Respond kindly to everyone you talk to today. including yourself

Share something you find inspiring, helpful or amusing

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Make a plan to connect with others and do something fun

Really listen judging them

Give sincere compliments to people you talk to today

Be gentle with someone who you feel inclined to criticise

Tell a loved one about the strengths that you see in them

Thank three grateful to and tell them why

Make uninterrupted time for your

loved ones



Call a friend to catch up and really listen to them

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Give positive comments to as many people as possible today





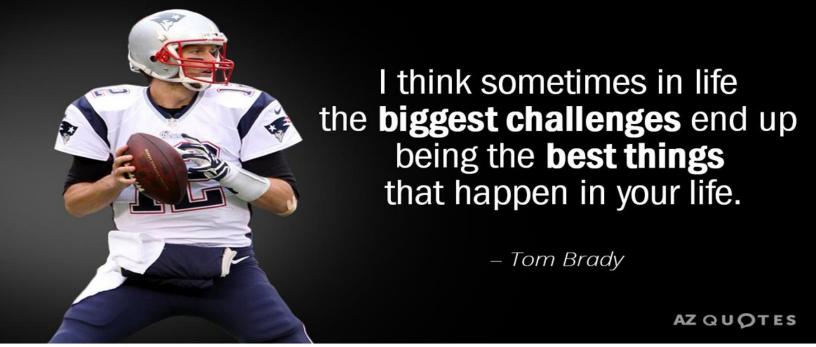








Mr. Hall's Health & Fitness



This week's quote comes from Tom Brady. Tom retired from American Football this week, after 23 seasons in the NFL. Brady led his team to the play-offs in an amazing 20 of his 21 seasons as a starter.

He is the NFL's all-time regular-season leader in pass attempts, completions, passing yards and touchdown passes.

Tom's quote teaches us that overcoming challenges often feels good, brings joy, and builds personal strength. As you succeed with each challenge, you trust yourself to overcome future obstacles.