

## CHAPTER I

### BACKGROUND OF THE STUDY

#### INTRODUCTION

Bullying is a type of aggressive behavior that allows to hurt others physically, mentally, socially. It can cause serious problems. No one likes bullying you don't want it to happen to any child (GerlinJoy Orazco,nd)

The Department of Education (DepEd) documented more than 1,700 cases of child abuse and bullying in school year 2013-2014 after the Republic Act 10627 the anti-bullying Act was passed last year. Education secretary Bro. Armin Luistro said violence takes many forms peer-to-peer bullying, gender discrimination, physical assault, psychological punishment, public ridicule and sexual harassment. (Flores,2014)

There are numerous number of bullying cases that has been recorded in General Emilio Aguinaldo National High School (GEANHS). One of this student is Alias "jazzi" who experienced this type of bullying case.

This study wants to know and explore the experiences of a bully victim.

## STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM

This study wants to know the experiences of a bully victim.

The following are specific questions to be answered:

1. What are the significant experiences of a bully victim?
2. How does bullying affects life of a victim: physically, mentally, socially, emotionally?
3. What are the lesson learned from the experiences?

to do this type of degrading others. They will also learn to respect each other as well as they can help on how to raise their classmates or other students that has been suffer from bullying before.

This chapter presents the reviewed literature and shows about bullying. Literature and studies were presented according to the main categories used in this research.

This chapter is divided into three (3) parts. First is the general background about bullying. Second is the effect of bullying to victims. Third is the support system for the bullying victims.

### Meaning of bullying

A research study by Ladd et al. (2002) says that the word "bully" was first used in the 1630's meaning "oppressor", applied in other senses from the Dutch word "loven" meaning "to praise". The meaning changed through the 17<sup>th</sup> century to mean "to oppress", but the word "bully" of the word "bully". The first time used in a dictionary was

## SIGNIFICANCE OF THE STUDY

The result of this study will benefit the following sectors:

**To the Teachers.** They will be able to give more attention to those bullying victim students that need more moral support. So that, they can lead as a teacher to remind and to guide those students on how they can build self-esteem and their interest in school.

**To the Guidance Councilor.** He/she may be able to realized that bullying must be lessen and eventually gone to the cases that a school faces. They may be able to conduct programs for all the students supporting the Anti-Bullying. The program that will be conduct is for all students, victims, bullies and the bystanders. Such as counselling and students school seminars.

**To the Principal.** He/she may be able to give focus on the numerous case of bullying in the school of General Emilio Aguinaldo National High School and also to think more appropriate programs and solutions to avoid bullying. He/she can also support the programs morally and financially.

**To the Parents.** They will be able to realize that they must be more aware about their children's condition. Give more attention to their children in school, financially, and specially the moral support that a student need to conquer their problems.

**To the Learners.** They will be able to understand the situation and condition of a bully victims so that, they can avoid and not to do