

# What is hate crime?

Sometimes, people might be unpleasant towards you because you look different to them, or act different to them.



They might be nasty to you.



They might threaten you.



They might hurt you.



They might call you horrible names.



They might shout nasty things about you.



They might write things about you on the internet.

Remember, it is normal to feel upset after this has happened.  
Always tell someone about it, and get support.

Email: **[sussexhateincidentreport@victimsupport.org.uk](mailto:sussexhateincidentreport@victimsupport.org.uk)**

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