Bullying

Skit

Cast:

Sarah (victim) Nazneen (bully) Aneesa (bully) Narrator

Scene 1

Narrator: Nazneen and Aneesa are very good friends and they are walking in the school hallway when they meet Sarah who is a new student at school

Sarah: Salaam Alaykum

Nazneen: Alaykum Salaam.

Aneesa: Come on Nazneen, we won't get our seats in the cafeteria if we start talking to every new person at our school

(Nazneen and Aneesa brush off Sarah and hurry to the cafeteria, Sarah slowly follows behind them In the cafeteria Sarah is looking for a place to sit and there is only one spot available next to Aneesa and Nazneen so she approaches their table).

Aneesa: You can't sit here because this table is full (as she puts her back pack on the empty seat)

Nazneen: Yeah...you'd better look for another seat

(Aneesa and Nazneen look at each other and snicker)

Sarah: But it doesn't look like there's anyone sitting there

Aneesa: I told you this seat is taken!

(Sarah walks away feeling very hurt and she sits by herself in a corner of the cafeteria eating her lunch.

Scene 2

Narrator: Aneesa and Nazneen go over to Nazneen's house after school

Nazneen: Who is that new girl at school?

Aneesa: I don't know and she better stop following us around. I don't have time to deal with new people showing up at our school all the time.

Nazneen: Did you see her clothes...they're so out of fashion!

Aneesa: What a loser. Hey, let's check her out on facebook

Nazneen: Yeah, let's take the laptop to my room

Aneesa: Here, let me search for her name....she's from some place called Mombasa....never even heard of it

Nazneen: Let's write her a message.

Narrator: Aneesa and Nazneen anonymously write her a mean message

Start up a discussion with the students in the class. Some discussion points:

- 1. What is bullying?
- 2. What type of bullying happened in the skit
- 3. What must Sarah have felt being in a new school
- 4. Why do you think Aneesa and Nazneen behaved the way that they did
- 5. If you were there to witness the situation what would you have done? Would you be scared to stand up for Sarah?
- 6. What are ways that you can help stop bullying