

REPORTING ANTI-BLACK RACISM

Reporting anti-Black racism is a crucial step in addressing and combating discrimination. Different entities, including school boards, often have established reporting tools and procedures to address instances of racism. But we know that no system is neutral.

Having avenues to navigate the system without systemic bias is essential. Here's how you can report incidents of racism in Canada:



We Support Hamilton

The Hamilton Centre for Civic Inclusion (HCCI) and the Hamilton Anti-Racism Resource Centre (HARRC) partnered to create [WeSupportHamilton.ca](https://wesupporthamilton.ca/), a website for people in the Hamilton area to report incidents of hate, in part because not everyone in the community is comfortable reporting such incidents to the police.

The TRACIE App

The TRACIE app gives Canadian people of colour the evidence and support that they need to create change. TRACIE stands for Tracking Racism and Collecting Information in Education. This tool is designed to capture and document racist incidents whether it's photos, emails, audio, or video. TRACIE app is a useful tool to help students inform their principal, school, parent, guardian or caring adult if they experience physical or verbal harm.

Thunder Bay Racism Reporting Tool

The City of Thunder Bay's Anti-Racism & Equity Advisory Committee, in partnership with Diversity Thunder Bay and Lakehead Social Planning, launched the incident-reporting tool.

The Parents of Black Children School Racism Reporting Tool

Schools are often not safe spaces for Black students or Black staff. If you are a staff member in a Canadian or American public, Catholic, or private school and you are aware of incidents of anti-Black racism perpetrated against students, colleagues, or even yourself, you can now report it anonymously.

Sources

<https://www.thunderbay.ca/en/city-services/anti-racism-support.aspx>

<https://tracieapp.com>

<https://parentsofblackchildren.org/school-racism-reporting-tool/>

<https://wesupporthamilton.ca/>