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My seven-year-old son, "Danny," is having trouble with his classmates at school. He has come home three times in the last two months with injuries. Last week, we had to take him to the hospital.

I have talked to his teacher, but the situation has not improved. All she will do is keep Danny away from the other children and make him play in another area.

I feel he is being punished for the bad behavior of others. I asked the teacher if I should speak to the parents of the children in question. She said, "It won't help. Their parents also have problems." If I complain, it could make it worse.

I have encouraged Danny to fight back, even though I know this is not the best way to solve the problem, but it's all I could think of. Today, he came home with a black eye, and I am seriously considering taking it into court. I am afraid for my son's safety.

Danny has asked us to take him out of school and teach him at home. One of his friends is doing this. I have not yet spoken to the principal because I doubt that he would be any more helpful than the teacher. I need some advice.