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I think that smacking kids should be illegal because it is hurting kids.

I think the bill is right because no children would want to be smacked.

I think that smacking children should be illegal. Punishments should not have physical pain.

I think that smacking should be illegal because kids don’t always want to be smacked by their mums and dads.

I am against banning hitting because it teaches them a lesson.

I think that smacking should be illegal because adults can’t smack other adults. Why should it be different with children?

The Bill is good because we should not be smacked.

I think that smacking kids is illegal because people would take it too far and it will leave a mark.

I think that smacking should be illegal because some children won’t learn from mistakes but punishment should not be physical pain.

I think it will change characteristics because being smacked might make you think you can smack other people and that could lead to bad injuries.
Our thoughts on the Bill's aim to end the physical punishment of children by parents/carers...

I think something needs to change. I know a lot of kids that are beaten up by their parents.

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I think that smacking kids is abusive because people would take it to far and it will leave a mark.

I think it will come where parents become more open minded and they will think you can teach other people and they will need to be taught.

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