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Boss at my co-op  
placement is always  
making comments  
about my dress

or my legs

It really creeps me out

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ok. and?

**DRAW THE LINE.CA**

Should I just ignore it?

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Without consent any comment or behaviour of a sexual nature is considered sexual harassment.



### WHY DRAW THE LINE

Everyone has a right to work in a healthy, safe, respectful and equal environment, and be free of harassment. Employers must prevent or stop harassment in the workplace, and this includes within a co-op environment.

### WHEN TO DRAW THE LINE

Any unwanted comment or joke, attention, or conduct of a sexual nature in the workplace is considered sexual harassment and is against the law.

### HOW TO DRAW THE LINE

There is always more than one option for a bystander. Take a stand and do something you feel comfortable with. You can:

**Check in with your friend:** "Are you ok? Let's talk to someone."

**Support and believe:** Listen to their experience.

**Report it:** Tell someone you trust – the co-op teacher, a teacher, a principal, a parent/caregiver or elder.

### IT HAPPENED TO ME

If you have experienced sexual violence, reach out for help. Visit [draw-the-line.ca](http://draw-the-line.ca). Be an ally and speak out against violence. Visit [whiteribbon.ca](http://whiteribbon.ca).



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Sexual violence is everyone's problem. It's never okay. Speak out against it. Spread the word. Find out more at [draw-the-line.ca](http://draw-the-line.ca).

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