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Photograph taken by Cally Gatehouse, James Pickles and Matt Wood. Taken as part of a focus group exercise with LGBT+ young people (under 18 years old), who were asked to design ‘devices’ on how to tackle and report anti-LGBT+ hate crime.

The young person explained his design, depicted above, as a form of resistance to anti-LGBT+ hate:

“I was originally going to go for a suit of armour, like your words don’t hurt me, but due to time and cost I had to scale it back [laughter] to ‘fuck off please’. It’s very obvious because it’s got the arrows everywhere. The little spinner … I thought if it got too heated you could spin this and local authorities could be contacted. And then I put the I love camping in to reassure myself and everyone that I’m really camp and that I accept myself for who I am and they can fuck off please.”