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This bachelor's thesis examines the issue of bullying in South Korean schools with an emphasis on its prevalence, causes and prevention. Bullying is a serious problem with profound effects not only on individuals but also on society and the Republic of Korea faces this challenge as do many other countries around the world. This paper begins with a theoretical foundation, introduces the Korean school system, and provides a historical context for its development from the 1950s to the present times. It continues with an analysis of diverse factors that contribute to the prevalence of bullying in the Korean education system. In addition, the paper examines specific prevention measures that are being implemented simultaneously in the Republic of Korea. The purpose of this thesis is to provide a comprehensive view of bullying in the South Korean context and to examine the measures that are currently being implemented to prevent bullying.