There's no race hate here say pupils

PUPILS have denied claims of racism at a Bradford upper school.

More than 250 children at Eccleshill Upper School have signed a petition refuting claims by the Asian Youth Movement that coloured children are living in fear of racist taunts and attacks.

The petition will be sent to Bradford Metro Council on Monday — two days before education chiefs are due to release findings of an inquiry into racism at the school.

Student Michelle Arnold, 16, said the allegations were untrue and were causing anxiety among children at the 1,300-pupil school.

She said: "We have got the petition together to tell people that there is not racism at school. We cannot recall seeing any National Front posters at the school."