

## This is not your mother's school!

School today is not the same as when we were students. Teachers worked hard to educate their pupils. A dedicated cadre of teachers still hold to that objective; however, there are a number intently focused "progressive" teachers that believe their role is to indoctrinate their pupils rather than teach core subjects and American Values.

Most schools today do not start the day with the Pledge of Allegiance. If you were to take a walk through your child's school, you will find few American Flags as some students may be "offended by its presence".

Do not be surprised if you see a number of Gay Pride and La Raza flags. Some school districts even proudly fly the LGBTQ+ flag from the flagpole in front of their schools. Why are these schools elevating one group over others?

"Gender Closets", a room on campus where clothes are kept and students "questioning" their gender may change into clothes that more accurately portray their gender that day. These closets may be found on high school campuses and some middle school campuses.

Books with pornographic content are labeled as "educational" and are accessible to young children in public school libraries.

Parents are increasingly becoming alarmed and angry at what their children are taught... or not taught...in our public schools.

## Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE)

The California Healthy Youth Act, passed in 2015, requires students in grades 7-12 to have *sexuality* curriculum that recognizes people have different sexual orientations. The curriculum must include same-sex relationships and teach about gender, gender expression, and gender identity.

Comprehensive Sexuality Education strips away the innocence of children, introducing them to masturbation, homosexual feelings, oral and anal sex, and fisting.

Lessons include detailed, graphic images and depictions of sexual activity for 8-year-olds. It teaches young children about giving consent for all types of sexual activities, including with adults.

Our kids need "sex education" not "sexuality education". Our children should learn biology, understand the human reproductive cycle, and personal health.

First grade children are asked questions such as "Are you a boy, a girl, or neither?" This is inappropriate. Children should focus on reading, writing, and arithmetic, having fun, social interactions, and treating everyone with respect.

Non-family friendly CSE curriculum, such as: "Be Real, Be Ready", "Rights, Respect, Responsibility", "Teen Talk", and "Positive Prevention Plus" is taught in local schools.

## Critical Race Theory (CRT)

Beginning with the 1964 Civil Rights Act, over 600,000 laws were passed at all levels of government to protect the freedom and equality of all races. By the end of the 1900's, Martin Luther King's vision of a colorblind America was being realized, at least legally.

Utilizing the tenants of Critical Race Theory, our children are being taught that our American laws, way of life, institutions, and values are fundamentally racist and should be destroyed.

This teaching threatens our American dream and instructs our children to judge people by the color of their skin, not the content of their character.

CRT is based on Marxism, which spawned socialism and communism – in direct opposition to our founding principles.

"Equity" is used to replace the American core value of "equality". Equity is a belief in a socialistic **equal outcome**. We believe in the American value of **equal opportunity** for all.

Ethnic Studies, Diversity, Equity, Inclusion (DEI), Social Emotional Learning (SEL) are terms used to hide CRT from parents and teach its principles to our children.

**OPT-OUT your child from CRT & CSE with the QR code below!**



## School Test Scores are abysmal!

In Santa Clara County only **60.63%\*** of students “met or exceeded” the standard in English/Language Arts.

And only **51.39%\*** of students “met or exceeded” the standard in Math.

This is astounding! This is the Bay Area... the technology capital of the world!

Go to [www.IP-SV.org](http://www.IP-SV.org), or use the QR code below, to see how the students in your student’s school district score.

A shift must be to teaching the 3r’s...STEM subject teaching.

It’s time to provide a usable education with a focus on subjects that will help our children be productive members of society.

Many parents seriously consider home schooling their child. You may wish to consider the home school alternative.



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\*Test results from the California Assessment of Student Performance & Progress:  
<https://caaspp-elpac.ets.org/caaspp>

## Opt your student out!

California State Law allows you to opt your student out of certain curricula if you properly notify the school district.

IPSV has a properly worded Notice that you may complete online and submit to the district. This notice will OPT-OUT your child from the various iterations of Critical Race Theory and Comprehensive Sexuality Education teaching.

Go to our website and complete the OPT-OUT Notice online. We will deliver the form to the appropriate school and district by email.

At IPSV, we run a very tight ship and utilize only volunteers and part-time personnel. If you wish to help continue the work of IPSV, please make a gift online, by mail, or via the QR code below.

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## Your children are at Risk!

**Our schools have fallen prey to an ideological agenda pushed by politically motivated legislators, administrators and some educators seeking to indoctrinate our children with their own views at the expense of our family values and beliefs!**

Our children are facing:

**Failing scores on state proficiency tests**  
**Equal Outcome instead of Equal Opportunity**  
**Gender confusion and gender transitioning**

**It’s time for awareness! Time to get involved!**

Parents Rights and Parental Control must be recaptured from our school system. You are the parents. Your school district must have a policy of transparency. You must have a true seat at the table in all matters of parental concern. You are responsible for your child’s physical, mental, emotional, spiritual, and social wellbeing, not the school.

School board members make the decisions about what is taught in our schools. If you don’t agree with their direction, you need to make a change!

**“Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction. We don’t pass it to our children in the bloodstream. It must be fought for, protected, and handed on for them to do the same...”**  
- Ronald Reagan



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